Coordinating Maryland Revitalization Overlays Using GIS Mapping
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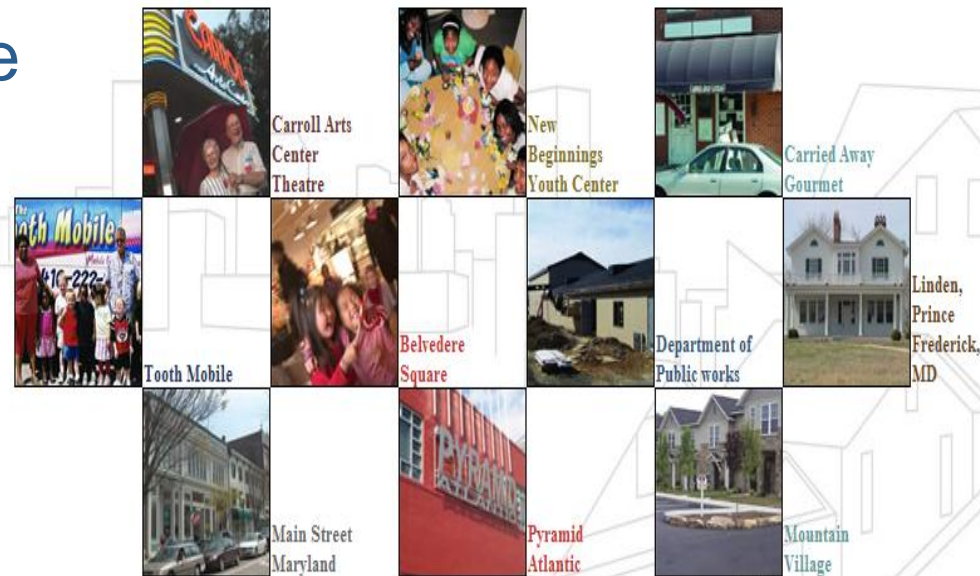**Raymond A. Skinner**
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DHCD/Division of Neighborhood Revitalization

Through funding and technical assistance we….

- Enhance existing neighborhood resources
- Support economic development
- Provide public services
- Improve the quality of life

Carroll Arts Center Theatre

New Beginnings Youth Center

Carried Away Gourmet

Tooth Mobile

Belvedere Square

Department of Public works

Linden, Prince Frederick, MD

Main Street Maryland

Pyramid Atlantic

Mountain Village

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Neighborhood Revitalization

Revitalization Building Blocks

Where Revitalization is Working

Multi-year investment strategy – supported by various State agencies

Strong local leadership & partners – multiple agencies

Specific & local targeted strategy

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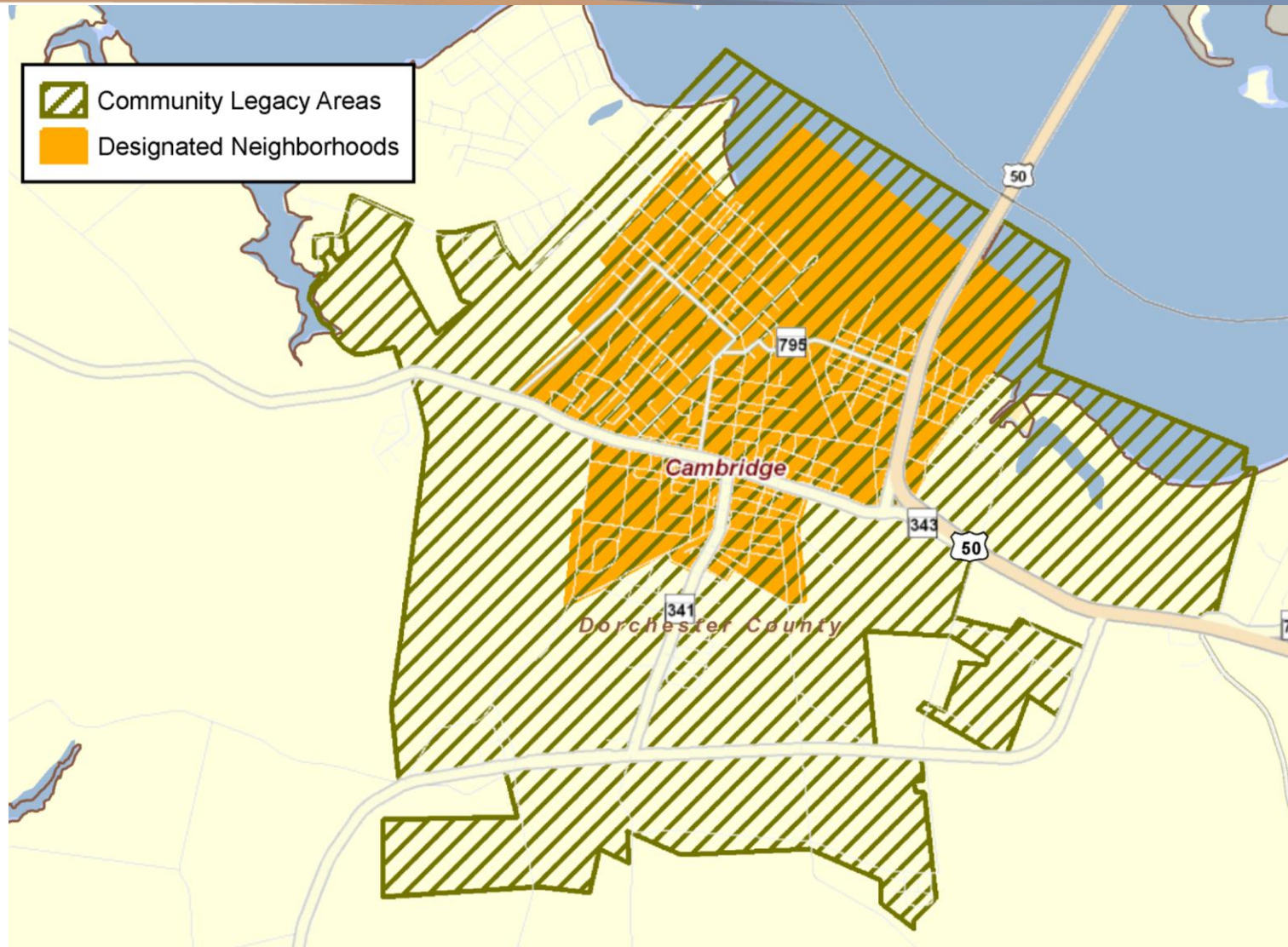
Sustainable Communities - Overview

2010 Sustainable Communities Act:

- Create a shared designation, "Sustainable Communities" among various agencies

- Consolidated past CL and DN designations

- All TOD and BRAC zones are Sustainable Communities

Source: DHCD Office of Research

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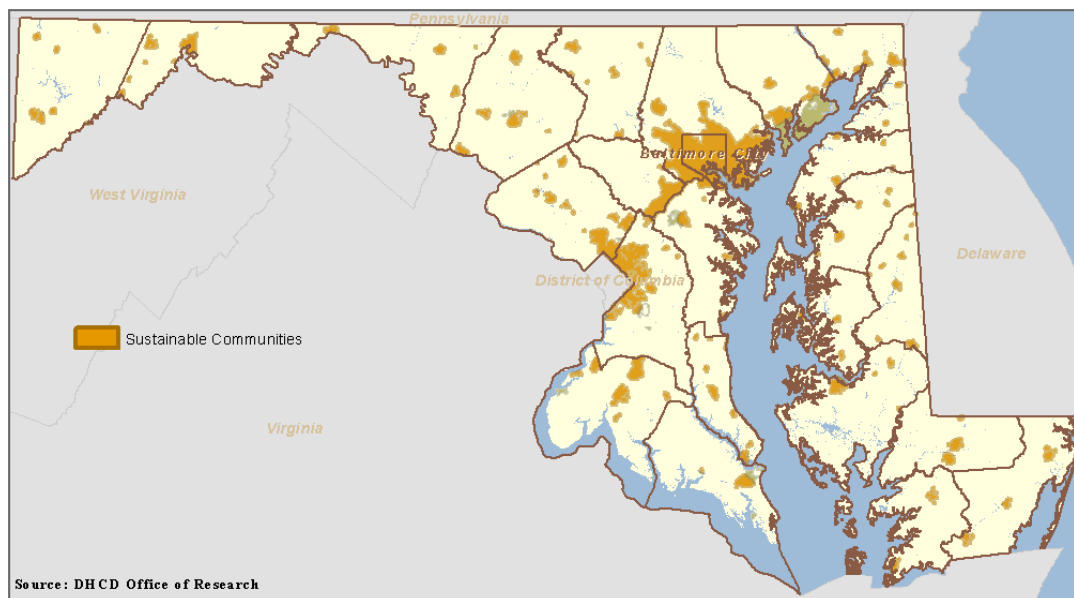
Prior to Sustainable Communities

Sustainable Communities - MD

Sustainable Communities are places where public and private investments and partnerships achieve:

1. Development of a <u>healthy local economy</u>;
2. Protection and appreciation of <u>historical and cultural resources</u>;
3. A <u>mix of land uses</u>;
4. <u>Affordable and sustainable housing</u> and <u>employment options</u>;
5. Growth and development practices <u>that protect the environment and conserve air</u>, water and energy resources, encourage walkability and recreational opportunities, and where available, create access to transit.

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GIS Applications: DHCD Mapper (Public)

- Allows users to verify if an address falls in a Sustainable Communities or any other DHCD revitalization area

- Allows users to see what a given area was designated prior to a Sustainable Community (legacy data).

http://www.mdhousing.org/Website/DHCDmapper.aspx
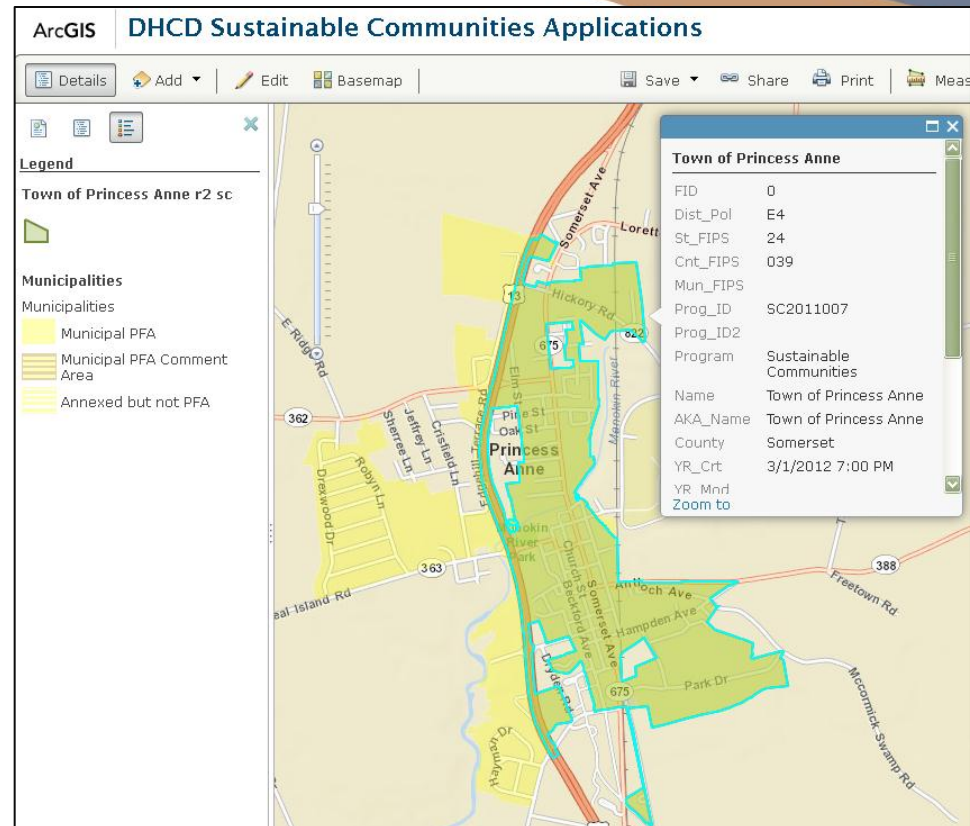
GIS Applications: ArcGIS.com (Private)

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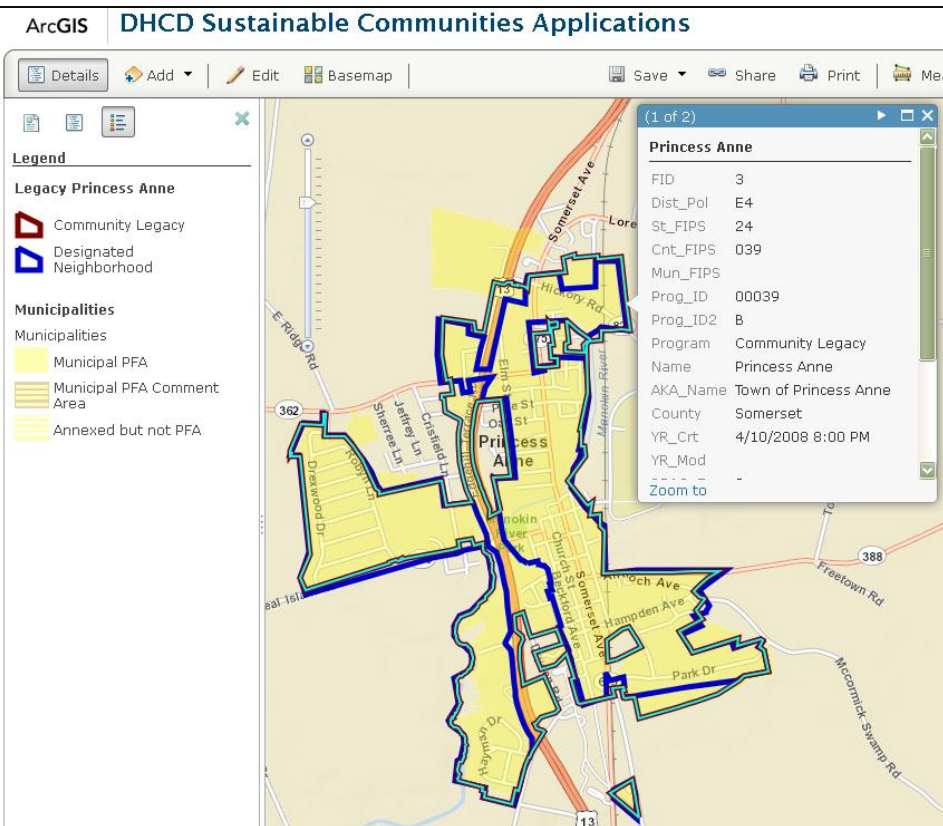
After

- Allows the Inter-agency review team to view updates and data interactively from almost anywhere.

- Helpful in making recommendations to the Smart Growth Sub-cabinet.

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Final Products

- Finalized boundary map of Sustainable Community
- Shapefile for Sustainable Community
- Map service on MD iMap (WFS Enabled for Download)
- http://www.mdimap.us/ArcGIS/rest/services/PlanningCadastre/MD.State.SustainableCommunities/MapServer
- http://www.dhcd.state.md.us/Website/Neighborhood/Default.aspx