Planner's Report

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- 1. Met with other staff re water billing for Daughters of Charity and FEMA procedures. Related to changes to water lines and new meters.
- 2. Participated in choosing final improvements for 22 E. Main. Follow-up by other staff.
- 3. Met with Mayor Briggs, Jerry Muir, and Emmitsburg News Journal reporter to provide info on local projects and topics. Provided requested follow-up info.
- 4. Comp Plan update
 - Commenced research and outline for comp plan update.
 - Provided initial work assessment/outline to Dave Haller.
 - Met with 2 potential zoning/growth boundary change requestors. Have received one follow-up letter for comp plan process.
 - Received letter from a local business regarding request for rezoning of a property. Will keep it in file for comp plan process.
- 5. Provided materials to Planning Commission for January 26 meeting, which was cancelled due to weather.
- 6. Assisted audio video repair staff with assessment of TV issues in meeting room.
- 7. Provided CD of College Mountain environmental assessment to Comm. O'Donnell.
- 8. Created display for kiosk on the square. Welcome Center kiosk has Fire Museum panel on it.
- 9. Worked on response to MDE comments on FredCo Water/Sewer plan update relative to Emmitsburg. Info requested will also be required for town comp plan update.
- 10. Responded to George Brenton regarding information needed in order to assess water/sewer tap needs at Seton Center property, if buildings are removed and replaced. (Outside of town boundary, so increase in fixture count would require annexation.)
- 11. Attended Frederick Co. Planning training session re census data utilization on 1/16/15.
- 12. Community Legacy grant program coordination local
 - Grant agreements processed for 105 N. Seton and 307 W. Main projects (work can start)
 - Tracked progress of current projects, and funding utilization, submitted reimbursement requests for completed projects, issued reimbursement checks for 800 Frailey and 320 W. Main.
 - Documented projects via photos.
 - Provided additional documentation to DHCD as needed.
 - Sent review request to MHT for additional work at 22 E. Main.
- 13. Attended meeting with SHA and Frederick Co. Planning regarding the Scenic Byways program and Journey through Hallowed Ground. Also received info re potential grant funding.
- 14. Attended Grand History Trail meeting in Gettysburg 1/29/15. Initial effort to connect Gettysburg to Emmitsburg.