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**PLANNING BOARD TO CONSIDER
INCREASING DEVELOPMENT REVIEW FEES**

SILVER SPRING, MD -- The Montgomery County Planning Board will hold a public hearing on March 2, 2006 at 7 p.m. on a proposal to raise development review fees. Developers, community members and others interested are invited to testify.

Development review fees are paid by land-use developers to cover the staff costs involved in the complex and detailed multi-agency review of preliminary plans, project plans and site plans for proposed residential, commercial and industrial projects in Montgomery County.

Increased fees may be instituted as early as June 30, 2006.

WHO:

Montgomery County Planning Board and staff
Members of the community

WHAT:

Testimony, discussion and action on proposed increases in development review fees

WHEN:

Thursday, March 2, 2006
7 p.m.

WHERE:

M-NCPPC auditorium
8787 Georgia Avenue
Silver Spring, MD 20910

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