



Get the Facts about the MARYLAND HORSE PARK PROPOSAL AT THE OLD NAVY DAIRY FARM



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The Maryland Horse Park will:

- ▶ guarantee that the farm will remain *open space for the next century*
- ▶ *increase community-usable open space* and assure that the entire community can benefit from this property, instead of a select few
- ▶ *protect Jabez Branch* from waste runoff
- ▶ *reduce waste produced* at the farm by over **1,300 tons a year**
- ▶ *remove waste daily*, as opposed to using it as fertilizer
- ▶ *retain* over **800 acres** of land as *green space*
- ▶ *create proper drainage* areas and utilize *permeable surfaces* for the majority of parking
- ▶ *give the community a voice* in the future of the farm
- ▶ *create jobs* on and off site, infusing millions of dollars into the state's economy
- ▶ *generate millions of dollars in tax revenue* for Anne Arundel County and Maryland through taxes from visitors to the park – money that can be used for schools, roadways, police, firefighters and seniors
- ▶ *keep the Anne Arundel 4-H Dairy Leasing Program* in operation and open the facility to more 4-H and Future Farmers of America activities
- ▶ *provide a local, family-oriented recreational opportunity* that combines sport, nature, agriculture, entertainment, history, culture and art in one location
- ▶ *restore all facilities* on the property

- ▶ *help preserve other farmland* around Anne Arundel County and Maryland by revitalizing the horse industry
- ▶ *create increased educational opportunities* for Gambrills, Anne Arundel County and Maryland
- ▶ *reduce the amount of dust* production by the facility
- ▶ *bring attention to area traffic issues* that have been sorely neglected for the last 30 years
- ▶ *keep the property agricultural* in nature, in accordance with federal law, by maintaining hay crops and the dairy operation, and including a horse farm
- ▶ *create year-round trail access* for the public
- ▶ *honor and protect* the United States Naval Academy Dairy Farm and the Hammond Manor Estate
- ▶ *have 24-hour security* for the historic structures and Naval Academy mascot Bill the Goat
- ▶ *increase the property values* of surrounding homes

A win-win for the community, the county and the state of Maryland!

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Speak to officials in charge of the Maryland Horse Park Feasibility study at the Maryland Horse World Expo Jan. 19-22 in booths #905-906 (University of Maryland–Equine Studies and Maryland Horse Industry Board). Officials will also be available at the Pennsylvania Horse World Expo Feb. 24-26 in booth #244 (Maryland Horse Industry Board).

