

## Baltimore Avenue Connected Communities: Smart Cities Roundtable

Tuesday, October 25, 2022, from 10:00-11:30 am

Zoom Video Link:

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### Agenda

1. Tara Burke, UMD Smart Cities Initiative 10:05-10:15 am  
Welcome and Introduction

2. Dawn E. Jourdan, esq., Ph.D., AICP, **Smart Cities | Smarter Signage** 10:15-10:45 am

Dawn Jourdan is the Dean of the School of Architecture, Planning and Preservation. She was previously appointed Executive Associate Dean for the College of Architecture at Texas A&M University. She studies issues at the intersection of urban planning and law. Her most recent book (with co-author Eric Strauss) is *Planning for Wicked Problems: A Planner's Guide to Land Use Law*. She has taught courses in land use law, growth management, affordable housing and planning history and theory,

Dawn is well-known for her work in the field of on-premise sign regulation. With an interdisciplinary group of scholars, she crafted a model sign code for the International Sign Association (ISA). She founded the Academic Advisory Council for Signage Research and Education and served as the editor of the Interdisciplinary Journal of Signage and Wayfinding. She currently serves as the chair of the Planners Outreach Subcommittee for ISA.

3. Tara Burke, **Digital Divide | Equity, Literacy Projects** 10:45-11:05 am  
Tara will review multiple projects underway that are addressing digital divide, equity, public WiFi, and literacy

4. Round Robin 11:05-11.30 am

**Jurisdictions/Municipal/County/State**

- Erica Bannerman – Prince Georges County
- Lauren Belle - M-NCPPC – Prince George’s County Parks
- Steve Carter - M-NCPPC – Prince George’s County Parks (maybe)
- James Chandler – Hyattsville (maybe)
- Sonja Ewing - M-NCPPC – Prince George’s County Parks
- Dannielle Glaros – Councilmember (maybe)
- Joy Haghtalab – M-NCPPC – Prince George’s County Parks
- Steve Halpern – College Park
- Lora Katz –Riverdale Park, Green Team
- Andrea Lasker – Prince Georges County (maybe)
- Patrick Wojahn –College Park, Mayor
- Kenneth Young –College Park (maybe)

**Industry/Organizations**

- Lexie Assunto – ClearWorld.US
- Susan Cargill-Collura – Cisco
- Graham Dodge – Westminster, MD MAGIC (maybe)
- Sam duPont - BGE
- Donald Eaddy, Living Classrooms DC
- William Ellis - PEPCO
- Mazhar Haq – Bechtel (maybe)
- John Leibovitz – Columbia Capital and Passage Safety (maybe)
- Jordan Montoya - Margrave Strategies
- Natalia Norko – Washington Gas and Electric
- Scott Pomeroy – Smart City Media
- John Rizzotti – Environments by LE
- Tony Ruffin – PEPCO

**UMD**

- John Baras – Electrical and Computer Engineering and the Institute for Systems Research
- Tara Burke – Smart Cities Initiative
- Qingbin Cui – ENGR – Civil and Environmental Engineering (maybe)
- Andrew Fellows – College of Information Studies and Campus Community Connection
- Vanessa Frias-Martinez – College of Information Studies
- Chester Harvey – National Center for Smart Growth
- Mike Hunninghake – Environmental Finance Center – Sustainable Maryland
- Ming Hu – Architecture (maybe)
- Hiro Iseki – Urban Studies and Planning (maybe)
- Clara Irazábal-Zurita, Urban Studies & Planning
- Virinchi Juttukonda - VPR-EconDev-UM Ventures, College Park
- Dawn Jourdan – School of Architecture, Planning and Preservation
- Ashish Kabra – Smith School of Business
- Tanisha Lee – Environmental Finance Center
- Ira Levy - UMD
- Wayne Lutters – College of Information Studies
- Roddy Moscoso – Center for Advanced Transportation Technology
- Sammy Popat - VPR-Economic Development & Innovation
- Allison Reilly - ENGR-Civil & Environmental Engineering
- Neil Sehgal – School of Public Health, Health Policy and Management (maybe)
- Mimi Stanford- ARCH-Urban Studies & Planning Program
- Susan Winter – College of Information Studies