TOWN OF HERNDON, VIRGINIA
TOWN COUNCIL

RESOLUTION

OCTOBER 27, 2026

Resolution- to approve and authorize the submission of an application to the Virginia Department of Housing and Community Development for Exploring Main Street status.

Virginia Main Street, administered by the Virginia Department of Housing and Community Development, is an economic and community development program that provides resources, training, and technical assistance to support the revitalization of downtown commercial districts.

The Town of Herndon has continued to invest in and support the vitality of Downtown Herndon through planning, business engagement, public-space improvements, programming, and other revitalization efforts. Participation as an Exploring Main Street community would provide an opportunity to build upon these efforts, further engage downtown stakeholders, and explore the development of a sustainable, community-led public-private partnership and organizational framework for ongoing downtown revitalization and place management.

The Exploring Main Street application requires an adopted resolution from the local government authorizing submission of the application.

Approval of this resolution does not establish a local Main Street organization, appropriate Town funds for its establishment or operation, or commit the Town to pursuing a higher level of Main Street designation. Any future funding or organizational actions requiring Town Council approval will be considered separately.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Town Council of the Town of Herndon, Virginia that:

1. The Town Council supports the Town of Herndon's participation as an Exploring Main Street community and authorizes the submission of an application to the Virginia Department of Housing and Community Development for Exploring Main Street status.

2. The Town Manager or the Town Manager's designee is authorized to execute and submit the application and any documents necessary to complete the application process on behalf of the Town.