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Arundel Community Development Services, Inc.

FY 2023 LDC Accomplishments

SEPTEMBER 20, 2023

ARUNDEL COMMUNITY
DEVELOPMENT SERVICES, INC.

Human Services for Success

The overarching goal is to deploy resources for services that will have the greatest impact on people's lives – not just in terms of number of people served, but also to the extent the service creates opportunities for success and self-sufficiency. Focus will be on initiatives that provide positive outcomes around the following areas:

- ▶ transportation (empower accessibility);
- ▶ help with childcare (empower people to work);
- ▶ recreation & youth development (after school programs, mentoring, police programs, Boys & Girls Clubs);
- ▶ food and nutrition assistance (support a holistic food program);
- ▶ increase employability programs (jobs skills training but also soft skills);
- ▶ case management & support (to help people get on their feet in a sustainable way); and
- ▶ affordable housing development and stabilization.

The LDC also supports the development of a regional facility to house needed programs such as services for seniors, job training classes, child support, wellness programs, and community activities.



Severn Center - Exterior



Severn Center - Interior



HONORING AN EXTRAORDINARY VOLUNTEER

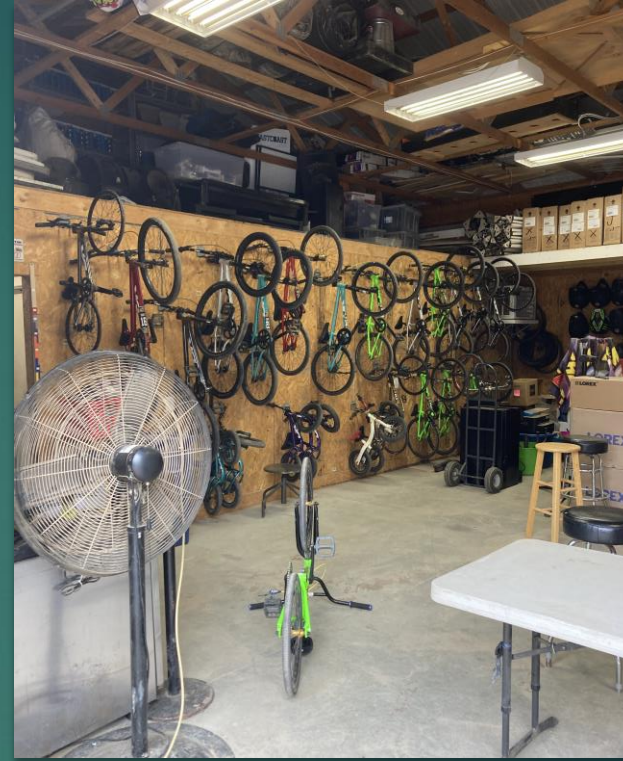
In honor and special recognition of Ernest "Rusty" Bristow's contribution and extraordinary community service on behalf of the Severn Community and Anne Arundel County.

Rusty's invaluable volunteer service and ability to advocate for communities, Veterans, senior citizens, police, fire, recreation and parks, and youth organizations bridged the gap in community services and amenities. Rusty was an ever-present community member who volunteered tirelessly. His outstanding commitment to service made a difference in the lives of others. Rusty served in various positions across several organizations including the Western District Police Community Relations Council, Arundel Mills Task Force, Harmans Civic Association, Jessup Improvement Association, and the Local Development Council. Rusty's participation in these organizations further demonstrates his dedication to community service. Rusty, thank you for the vision, hard work, and support.

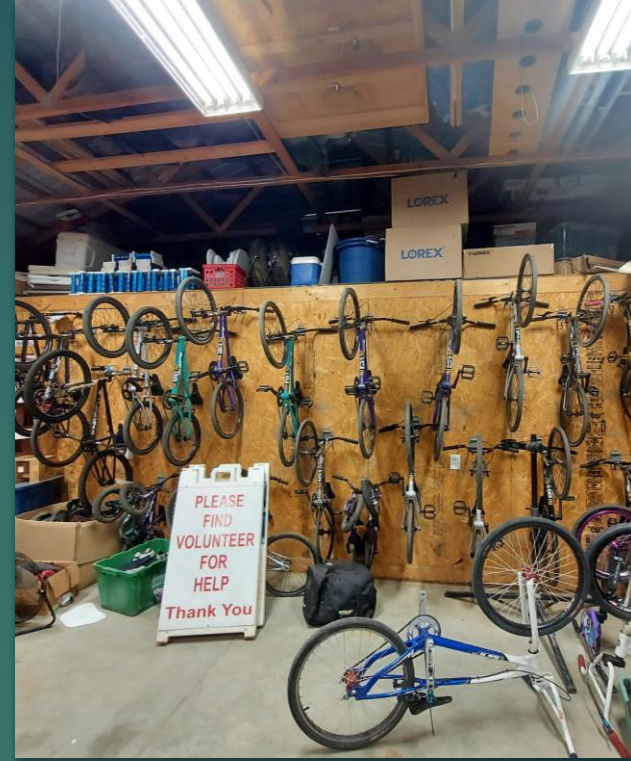


Ernest E. "Rusty" Bristow





Chesapeake BMX Racing - Before



Chesapeake BMX Racing - After



Anne Arundel County Food Bank



Housing Commission of Anne Arundel County/Chase Your Dreams Initiative

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Enhancing Educational Outcomes

- ▶ The LDC will work with AACPS to develop a “needs” list for schools within the three-mile radius that have had little or no LDC support to date and (a) may not have the internal support necessary to generate such a list on their own and/or (b) may have substandard or inadequate facilities.
- ▶ Educational initiatives submitted for LDC funding should be beyond what the Board of Education should be funding and not increase the County’s maintenance of effort obligations.
- ▶ LDC funding should not be replacing funding that is available from other resources.

Annapolis Maritime Museum





New Kingdom Faith Christian Church



Start the Adventure in Reading

Community Beautification and Revitalization

The overarching goal is to invest in capital improvements in communities and on public land located within the three-mile radius of Maryland Live! Casino impacted by the Casino and/or low and moderate income communities in need of revitalization with limited finances available to address the need. Priority will be given to property repair programs and beautification activities.



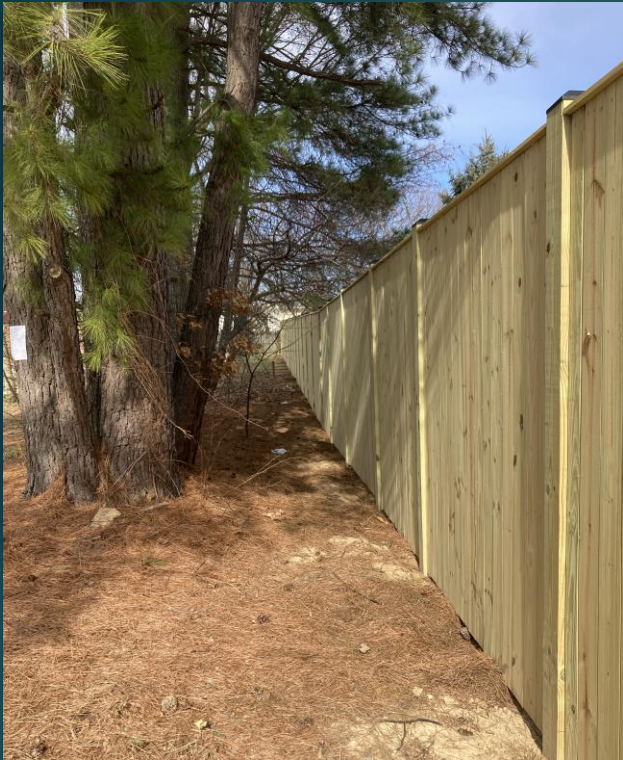
Dorchester View Homeowners Association - Before



Dorchester View Homeowners Association - After



Sandridge Homeowners Association - Before



Sandridge Homeowners Association -
After

FY 2025 Grant Process

▶ **Fiscal Year (FY) 2025** – July 1, 2024 – June 30, 2025

▶ **Priority Areas**

- ▶ 1. Human Services for Success
- ▶ 2. Beautifying & Revitalizing Communities
- ▶ 3. Enhancing Educational Outcomes

▶ **Community Grants** – Nonprofit organizations and community associations serving communities and residents generally within a 3 mile radius can apply for up to \$40,000

▶ **Invitation Grants** – The LDC may identify unmet needs and priorities generally within the 3 mile radius and invite nonprofit organizations and institutions to apply for funding outside of the Community Grant pool of funding.

FY 2025 Grants Timeline



2023-2024 LDC Meeting Dates

- ▶ September 20, 2023
- ▶ October 18, 2023
- ▶ November 15, 2023
- ▶ December 13, 2023
- ▶ January 17, 2024
- ▶ February 21, 2024
- ▶ March 20, 2024
- ▶ April 17, 2024
- ▶ May 15, 2024
- ▶ June 19, 2024

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