

to reconsider Topic 41 in particular.

The staff circulated a Summary of Straw Votes from the C.O.W. worksession on February 18. Also circulated were copies of page 266 of the Preliminary Amendment to the Historic Sites and Districts Plan, which describes the significance of Appendix L.

Following discussion the Council voted to reconsider two properties, the Mitchellville Store Site and the West End Farm. Both were reinstated as Historic Sites.

A motion was also approved to add a sentence at the end of the first paragraph on page 266 describing the procedure whereby a property listed in Appendix L may be redesignated as a Historic Resource or Historic Site.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION/FISCAL IMPACT

(Includes reason for proposal, as well as any unique statutory requirements)

Following the May 21, 1991, public hearing on the Preliminary Amendment of the Historic Sites and Districts Plan, the Planning Board reviewed the hearing testimony, adopted the Plan, and transmitted it to the District Council for consideration.

The Council held a Committee of the Whole Worksession on February 18, 1992, and voted the plan out of committee with a favorable recommendation (5-0-1 vote), with the following amendments:

- 1) Define the environmental setting for the Brown's Tavern historic site to include approximately 1/2 acre, and include the Turnpike milestone.
- 2) Delete the following historic sites:
 - a) Mitchellville Store Site and Storekeeper's House
 - b) Osbourne House/Linwood
 - c) West End Farm
- 3) Delete the following historic resources:
 - a) Marche House
 - b) Bowie-Arnold House (and barn)
- 4) Delete the Marche Florist building from "Appendix L."
- 5) Add to description of Appendix L that properties listed therein can only be considered for historic site or resource status upon request of the property owner.