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## **Information Release**

## Public input sought on U.S. EPA Brownfields Assessment grant funded activities along Paxton Creek and in the South Allison Hill Neighborhoods

**HARRISBURG** - The Redevelopment Authority of the City of Harrisburg is utilizing funding provided by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) to support assessing localized environmental conditions on potential "brownfield" sites in the city and determine future economic development opportunities for brownfield impacted areas.

The areas of focus are South Allison Hill and the Paxton Creek Corridor, as well as other individual sites dispersed throughout the city.

A portion of the funding was allocated toward reuse planning evaluations of the Paxton Creek Corridor from Herr Street to approximately Paxton Street, an area with an extensive industrial legacy.

Grant funded activities included advancing various aspects of previous planning efforts for the Paxton Creek corridor including the 2017 Harrisburg Transportation Center Transit-Oriented Development Master Plan and supporting 2018 Paxton Creek Master Study prepared by the Pennsylvania Department of Transportation.

A public information meeting will be held to highlight various aspects of the grant funded activities and to provide the community with opportunities to provide input on the information presented.

DATE: September 21, 2022 TIME: 6:00 – 7:00 PM LOCATION: TriCounty Community Action, 1514 Derry St., Harrisburg, PA 17104

Information about the project and future events is available on the Harrisburg Redevelopment Authority's website: <u>http://redevelophbg.org/</u>

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