

Introduced by: Councilmember Snipper

**CITY OF TAKOMA PARK, MARYLAND  
RESOLUTION 2011-34**

**PROVIDING FOR AN APPOINTMENT TO THE TAKOMA JUNCTION TASK FORCE**

WHEREAS, by Resolution 2010-40, the City Council established a Takoma Junction Task Force to create a work plan for the revitalization of Takoma Junction; and

WHEREAS, the primary purpose of the Task Force is to: a) evaluate current conditions in Takoma Junction and identify opportunities for the redevelopment and revitalization of the area; b) develop an outreach plan designed to solicit comment on future redevelopment proposals, increase awareness of available incentive programs and engage the community in revitalization initiatives that may be undertaken by the City and others; and, c) create work plans with recommended near and long term actions for Council consideration that addresses the community's interest in improving existing traffic patterns; resolving pedestrian safety concerns; increasing public use of public spaces; providing for the redevelopment of city-owned properties; enhancing the physical appearance and condition of properties; and increasing the economic viability of area businesses; and

WHEREAS, the Task Force is to consist of seven to 21 members appointed by the City Council for the duration of the existence of the Task Force; and

WHEREAS, members are to include a diversity of persons representing a variety of interests in the revitalization of the Takoma Junction and surrounding neighborhoods; and

WHEREAS, the Task Force shall provide periodic updates to the Council with the final report on its findings and recommendations presented to the Council on or before September 30, 2011 at which time the Task Force will be dissolved unless otherwise extended by the Council.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TAKOMA PARK, MARYLAND THAT the following individual is hereby appointed, effective immediately, to the Takoma Junction Task Force:

<b>Name</b>	<b>Ward</b>
Dan Seligman	2

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that Mr. Seligman's term shall expire on September 30, 2011 unless the City Council extends his term pursuant to an extension of the time for the Task Force to complete its work.

Adopted this 11th day of July, 2011.

Attest:

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Jessie Carpenter, CMC  
City Clerk