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FAIRHOPE, Alabama – The City of Fairhope will hold two Comprehensive Land Use Plan neighborhood meetings in the coming week.

Meetings will be held at 1 p.m. Tuesday, January 25th, at the Fairhope Recreation Center, and 10 a.m. Thursday, January 26th, at Dahlgren Hall on the campus of Coastal Alabama Community College. The public is invited and encouraged to attend.

Project staff will lead a facilitated discussion on the challenges and opportunities facing the City of Fairhope. Feedback gathered from residents during these meetings will be used to create a community-driven comprehensive land use plan for the City of Fairhope to address growth with an emphasis on environmental stewardship and legal foundation for implementation.

Community engagement meetings are also planned for 6 p.m. February 15th at the Fairhope Public Library and 10 a.m. February 16th at the Fairhope Recreation Center. A virtual engagement meeting will be held at 7 p.m. February 16th on the City's YouTube and Facebook pages.

"It is crucial that our residents get involved in this process," said Fairhope Mayor Sherry Sullivan. "The time to speak up for the future of our City is now."

The engagement portion of the project will culminate in a public workshop from 6-8 p.m. March 3rd at the James P. Nix Center before a presentation on engagement findings is held from 5:30-7:30 p.m. March 8th at the Fairhope Civic Center. Throughout the process, residents can visit www.PlanFairhope.com or email CompPlan@FairhopeAL.gov for more information.

The project is sponsored by the RESTORE Council in cooperation with the State of Alabama Department of Conservation and Natural Resources.

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