



A weekly selection of issues and activities relevant to local planning in Nashville and Davidson County

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## An interactive Nashville flood map

See aerial photos, inundation levels, and many other layers in a [new map](#) from the Metro Planning Department.

## It's good to be connected

A clear, concise [explanation](#) of why walkability is so important.

## “Alien, sometimes even insulting...”

Not everyone likes the [modern variations on the shotgun house](#) which have been going up in New Orleans.

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The Metro Nashville-Davidson County Planning Department publishes this weekly digest to inform members of the Planning Commission, Metro Council, Board of Zoning Appeals, and other interested parties about planning and growth issues in other communities which could apply to our city and region, with particular emphasis on appropriate development, smart growth, multimodal transportation, and other information which will help us build a sustainable future and a more livable city.