



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

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Repairing urban sprawl

We can't just abandon it - so [what might we do](#) to make it more livable?

Bikes 50, cars 35

That's the count of parking spaces at a new grocery store in Portland, Oregon which has [more parking for bicycles than for cars](#).

You can't miss it

[Aerial photos](#) make it obvious why some development patterns just don't work.

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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.