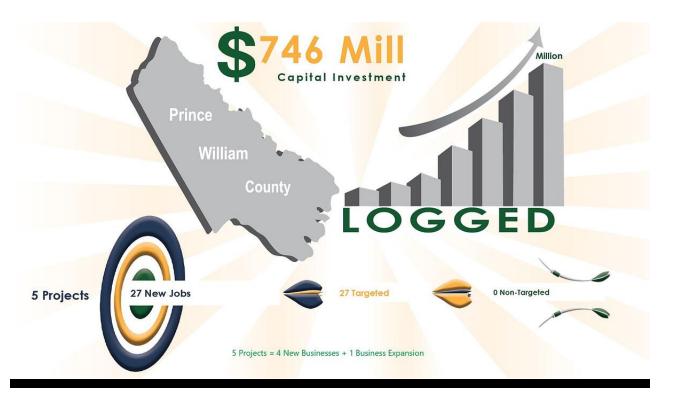


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### **PROJECT SUCCESSES: JAN-MAR 2021**

The Department successfully completed 5 projects during the first quarter of 2021 - 4 new business attractions and 1 business expansion. The companies involved operate within several areas targeted by the county, namely, life sciences, information technology, advanced manufacturing and a large redevelopment project (Station Plaza) in eastern Prince William County. The 5 projects are expected to invest a total of \$746 million in the county and add 27 new jobs.



# **ONGOING PROGRAMS & INITIATIVES**



## **Catalyst for Change**

NOVA EDA is continuing its webinar series launched last fall that focuses on how companies can turn disruption into success. Register for upcoming webinars and view previous sessions <a href="here">here</a>.



#### The New Frontier

The Department launched a new 10-part webinar series on two current areas of interest - workforce and redevelopment. The first session, "5 Generations in the Workforce," kicked off on April 8th. Look out for upcoming sessions here.



## **Northern Virginia Bioscience Center**

The Northern Virginia Bioscience Center is a 30,000 square-foot commercial wet lab space opening in 2021. Designed to build and grow promising life science-based companies, the center will offer access to infrastructure, equipment, expertise and startup support services. Read more <a href="https://example.com/here/bases/ba



#### **IGNITE Grant**

Prince William County's IGNITE program offers cash grants up to \$50,000 to selected high-growth companies and tech catalyst organizations. *Deadline for application is May 31st, 2021*. Read more <a href="here">here</a>.



## **Construction & Renovation Permit Rebate Program**

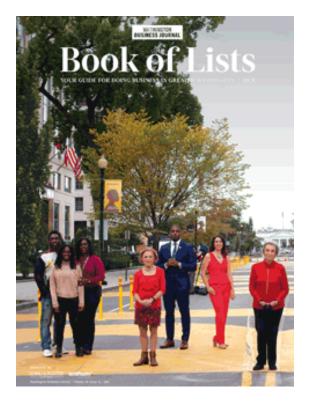
Applications for rebates of up to \$2,000 for permitting fees for renovations and new construction projects are still being accepted. **Deadline for application is June 30th, 2021**. Apply here.

# **KUDOS**



# **PWC Businesses & ELEVATE Program Recognized at Prince William Chamber 2021 Business Awards**

Several Prince William County businesses were recognized at the virtual <a href="Prince">Prince</a> <a href="William Chamber of Commerce">William Chamber of Commerce</a> Business Awards, held annually to honor the best of local businesses and recognize outstanding contributions to the community. Read more <a href="here">here</a>.



# **PWC Businesses Highlighted in Washington Business Journal's 2021 Book of Lists**

A number of local companies and organizations were highlighted in WBJ's annual compilation. This year's rankings underscored the diverse mix of high-performing local companies that call Prince William County home. Read more <a href="here">here</a>.



#### Mike Garcia Construction Celebrates 40 Years in PWC

Growing up in the City of Manassas Park, 14-year-old Mike Garcia knew he wanted two things for the rest of his life... Now with 40 years in Northern Virginia ... Mike has plenty of stories of watching the regional change in Prince William County. Read more here.

# **NEW & EXPANDING COMPANIES**









### IN OTHER NEWS...

Prince William County is considering re-branding and would like to hear from you! Read more here and don't miss upcoming community engagement sessions. Register today!

Christina Winn named to GMU's President's Innovation Advisory Council.

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Prince William County Economic Development records banner year in 2020.

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