3.09. Annual reports.

- (A) [The] A planning commission shall [annually] prepare, adopt, and file an annual report with the local legislative body. [The annual report shall be made available for public inspection and a copy of the report shall be mailed to the Director of the Maryland Office of Planning.]
 - (B) The annual report shall [(a) index]:
- (1) INDEX and locate on a map all changes in development patterns WHICH OCCURRED DURING THE PERIOD COVERED BY THE REPORT, including land use, transportation, community facilities patterns, zoning map amendments, and subdivision plats [which occurred during the period covered by the report, and shall state];
 - (2) STATE whether these changes are or are not consistent with:
 - (I) [each] EACH other[, with the]:
 - (II) THE recommendations of the last annual report[, with];
 - (III) THE adopted plans of the LOCAL jurisdiction[, with]:
- (IV) THE adopted plans of all adjoining [planning] LOCAL jurisdictions[, and with]; AND
- (V) THE adopted plans of State and local jurisdictions that have responsibility for financing or constructing public improvements necessary to implement the LOCAL jurisdiction's plan; [(b) contain] AND
- (3) CONTAIN statements and recommendations for improving the planning and development process within the LOCAL jurisdiction.
- (C) The local legislative body shall review the annual report and direct that [such] ANY APPROPRIATE AND NECESSARY studies and other actions [as appropriate and necessary] be undertaken to insure the continuation of a viable planning and development process.
- (D) (1) THE ANNUAL REPORT SHALL BE MADE AVAILABLE FOR PUBLIC INSPECTION.
- (2) A COPY OF THE REPORT SHALL BE MAILED TO THE DIRECTOR OF THE MARYLAND OFFICE OF PLANNING.

DRAFTER'S NOTE: The second sentence of subsection (a) of this section has been renumbered as subsection (d) of this section.

General Development Regulations and Zoning

- 4.01. Grant of powers; [certain restrictions in St. Mary's County;] statement of policy; construction of powers.
 - (A) (1) IT IS THE POLICY OF THIS STATE THAT: