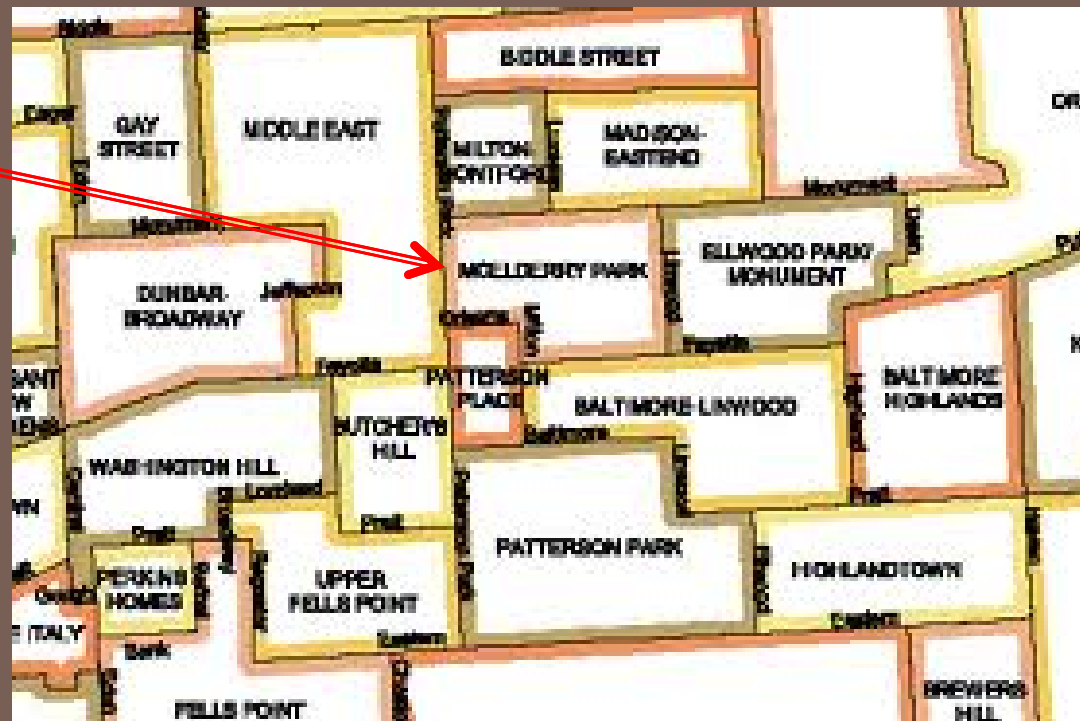


# MCELDERRY PARK REVITALIZATION COALITION



"Building Strong & Sustainable Communities of  
Opportunity"



- Located in Southeast Baltimore City
- Population of slightly over 4k
- 80% African American
- Growing Latino population

Quick Demos

- Greatly effected by recession
- Lack of “healthy” development
- Physical decay
- Brownfields / environmental impact
- Lack of recreational resources
- Lack of workforce development
- Quality of life issues



## Community Challenges



- Sits in shadow of Hopkins
- Years of bad blood Residents vs. Hopkins

Issues of:

- Gentrification
- Displacement
- Lack of community engagement
- Broken promises



## The Hopkins Impact



In April 2013, we launched the McElderry Park Revitalization Coalition which is a steering committee of stakeholders, community residents, and other community partners.

- Goals:
1. Community Engagement and Empowerment
  2. Partnership and Resource development
  3. Creating a Community of Opportunity

MPRC Kickoff

- Southeastern Police District
- Johns Hopkins Center for Adolescent Health
- Banner Neighborhoods
- The McElderry Park Community Association
- Charm City Clinic
- Historic East Baltimore Community Action Coalition
- Safe Streets East
- Amazing Grace Lutheran Church
- Environmental Justice Partnership
- Coalition to End Childhood Lead Poisoning
- Johns Hopkins Office of Community Services Government and Community Affairs

**Environmental**

**Redevelopment**

**Community Health**

**Workforce Development**

**Youth Engagement**

**Reentry**

Partners and Community Involvement



- Hosting Monthly MPRC Meetings
- Hosting Communitywide Listening Sessions



- Community Organizing Team (Center for Grace-Full Living)

Door to door, Phone calls, Flier drops

Mobilizing



#### Quantitative

- Survey Information (past studies)
- BPD crime stats
- BNIA data archives

#### Qualitative

- Communitywide focus groups
- Listening sessions
- Community meetings

Data Collecting