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**Item:**  
**Announcements**

**Date of BOCC Meeting:** December 9, 2019

**Request for Board Action:**

- 1. Public Input is Needed on the Regional Plan to Reduce Reliance on Single-Occupancy Vehicles -**  
What do you think about carpooling, vanpooling, public transit, biking, walking, teleworking, and flexible work weeks? The Durham-Chapel Hill-Carrboro Metropolitan Planning Organization is seeking your feedback on strategies and policies to reduce single-occupancy vehicles for travel. The proposed plan can be viewed by visiting [www.https://bit.ly/2O2PRms](http://www.https://bit.ly/2O2PRms) <<http://www.https://bit.ly/2O2PRms>>

The public comment period is open until Tuesday, December 10, 2019 and comments should be submitted directly to Dale McKeel at [dale.mckeel@durhamnc.gov](mailto:dale.mckeel@durhamnc.gov) <<mailto:dale.mckeel@durhamnc.gov>> or by calling 919-560-4366, ext. 36421.

- 2. The HUB Pop-Up: Young Adult Resource Event -** All youth ages 14-26 are invited to attend a **FREE** Resource Event on December 11, 2019 from 2:30 p.m. - 5:30 p.m. at The Fruit located on 305 S. Dillard Street. This event offers free food, voter registration information, employment training resources, free haircuts, health services, clothing, STI testing and other activities.

For more information, please visit [www.hubdurham.org](http://www.hubdurham.org) <<http://www.hubdurham.org>>

- 3. 2019 Durham Holiday Parade and Fun Fest -** The Durham Holiday Parade will take place Saturday, December 14, 2019 at 10:00 a.m. in Downtown Durham on Main Street.

Come out and enjoy floats, bands and mascots. For those not able to attend, the parade will be steamed live on [www.CBS17.com](http://www.CBS17.com) <<http://www.CBS17.com>>

- 4. Health Insurance Marketplace Open Enrollment Period Ending Soon -** Need health insurance for 2020? Open enrollment through the Health Insurance Marketplace is open now until December 15, 2019. To learn more and enroll, please visit [www.healthcare.gov](http://www.healthcare.gov) <<http://www.healthcare.gov>>

- 5. The Santa Train is Coming to the Museum of Life + Science -** Climb aboard the Ellerbe Creek Railway now through December 22<sup>nd</sup> for a journey to the North Pole. Families can enjoy a ride through thousands of twinkling lights as you make your way to meet Santa and his elves.

Pre-registration is required and children under two are free. For additional information, please visit [www.lifeandscience.org/santatrain](http://www.lifeandscience.org/santatrain) <<http://www.lifeandscience.org/santatrain>>

- 6. Art of Mental Health at the Reubenstein Art Center** - Discover Durham invites you to the community exhibit of artwork by local artist showcasing mental health and wellness. The exhibit which ends January 24, 2020 is open to the public Monday - Friday from 10 a.m. - 8 p.m. and Saturday/Sunday from 1 p.m. - 6 p.m.

Please visit [www.discoverdurham.com](http://www.discoverdurham.com) <<http://www.discoverdurham.com>>