



Gallery Place-Chinatown Task Force

In neighborhoods across DC, from the waterfront to Union Market, our community has witnessed and enjoyed the transformation of old spaces into new uses. Mayor Bowser created the Gallery Place/Chinatown Task Force to focus on potential future uses of the Capital One Arena, Gallery Place, and the surrounding blocks. This team of experts is charged with creating an immediate activation plan, long-term vision, and investment plan for a re-energized Gallery Place/Chinatown neighborhood.

Priority Focus Areas

Vision: Develop a strategic vision for the future of the two city blocks that make up the Capital One Arena and Gallery Place, and reimagine the potential for amenities, activities and new uses for this vibrant neighborhood.

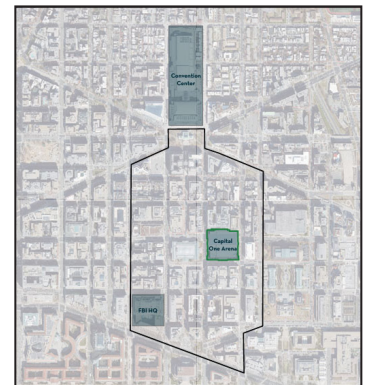
Activation: Identify temporary and permanent activation programs, including special events, to generate foot traffic and increase visitation to Gallery Place/Chinatown. The Task Force will identify and coordinate activities to enhance public safety, cleanliness and public health resources in and around Gallery Place/Chinatown.

Investments and Incentives: Source, evaluate and recommend investment tools to support stabilization of existing businesses, prioritize critical capital investments and reposition real estate assets into new productive uses.

Community Engagement and Marketing: Promote community activations and provide updates about changes and planning for the future of Gallery Place/Chinatown.

Boundaries

The Task Force will focus on the future uses of the two city blocks between 6th and 7th Streets NW and F and H Streets NW, currently occupied by Gallery Place and the Capital One Arena, and inform the vision and key actions needed to re-envision the area between the Washington Convention Center to the north, 10th Street NW to the west, Pennsylvania Avenue NW to the south, and 5th Street NW to the east.



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