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City Thrilled with Warehouse Cinema Announcement

Golden Mile Revitalization Progress Continues

FREDERICK, MD – March 30, 2018: The City of Frederick Economic Development Department and Mayor’s Office are encouraged by the announcement that Warehouse Cinema movie theater will move into space at the former Fredericktowne Mall.

“The City is thrilled to see this type of investment along the Golden Mile of West Patrick Street,” said Richard Griffin, director of Economic Development. “Entertainment is a vital component of the ideal retail mix we encourage.”

Since 2013, the mall property at 1301 W. Patrick St. has not had permanent tenants to fill the 560,000 square feet of vacant space that sit between well-established ongoing businesses Boscov's and Home Depot.

Last year, urologist Mohammed Mohiuddin bought and renamed the property West Frederick Center. Now, Warehouse Cinemas has executed a lease for 40,000 square feet in the space once operated by Hoyts Cinema at the mall.

Warehouse Cinema will bring a unique experience in movie-going: a modern industrial style decor, a unique menu and tap house, and a wide range of ticket prices.

“We are very excited about this new lease at the former mall,” said Mayor Michael O’Connor. “The entertainment experience that Warehouse Cinema offers will play a major role in drawing new foot traffic to the area, reinvigorate the Center, and create a new destination on Frederick’s west side.”

“This new venture will complement the approximately 150 retail establishments that exist along this iconic corridor,” Griffin said. “With private investment and public support, the City remains confident that the Golden Mile will continue to thrive in the future.”

Further information about West Frederick Center is [here](#).

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