What is the PCDA?

The Pimlico Community Development Authority (PCDA) is an advisory group established by state legislation to provide community input on how slots funding is allocated in the Pimlico area.

What funds does PCDA advise the use of?

Slots revenue, in the form of Local Impact Aid (LIA), provides state dollars for jurisdictions that have casino facilities. PCDA provides recommendations on how to spend LIA dollars.

What areas are eligible for funding?

Funding is designated for the Park Heights Master Plan area and the surrounding neighborhoods (1 mile radius: Northwest Community Planning Forum, Liberty-Wabash area, and Coldspring Newton).

How is LIA distributed in eligible areas?

Beginning in FY2018, 85% of the funds are allocated to the Park Heights Master Plan area and the remaining 15% to the 1 mile radius. Previously, the split was 75/25. This was modified to address the areas of highest need and to maximize impact.

How long are the PCDA slots funds available?

The current statute provides funds to the Pimlico Area for 20 years, through fiscal year 2032.

What's eligible for LIA funding?

In accordance with an approved annual spending plan, LIA funds are primarily used for capital purposes benefiting economic and community development.

How is community input factored in?

Community plans, in the eligible geography, serve as the foundation for annual spending plans. Additionally, PCDA has 45 days to review the Mayor’s spending plan and accepts public comment during this time. The next draft spending plan will be released in January 2018 and public comment will be taken at that time.

How can you join the PCDA?

APPLICATIONS ARE BEING ACCEPTED!
Volunteers are appointed by the Mayor after consultation with members of the Baltimore City delegation in the General Assembly representing legislative districts 40 and 41.

Term: 3 year appointments that are staggered as required. Upon the end of the term, a member continues to serve until a successor is appointed and qualifies. If appointed after a term has begun, a member serves only for the rest of the term and until a successor is appointed and qualifies. At the end of a term, resignation, or removal of a member, the Mayor shall appoint a new member to the authority.
Appendix A: Pimlico Local Impact Aid Eligible Areas

PCDA Membership

**Thomas J. Stosur**, Department of Planning, PCDA Chair

**Camille Burke**, Park Heights Resident

**Gloria Cinquegrani**, Pimlico Racecourse

**Ramsey Harris**, PNC Bank

**Israel (Izzy) Patoka**, Sinai Hospital

**Mereida Goodman**, Civic Leader, Area Outside of Park Heights Master Plan

**Marc Broady**, Civic Leader

**John Henderson**, Civic Leader

**Eric Lee**, Park Heights Resident

**Leslie McCuaig**, Civic Leader, Area Outside of Park Heights Master Plan

**Nechama Cox**, Civic Leader, Area Outside of Park Heights Master Plan

**Senator Nathaniel Oaks**, 41st District

**Senator Barbara Robinson**, 40th District

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