Montgomery Planning’s Historic Preservation 6-mile bicycle loop starts and ends at Warner Circle Special Park (10231 Carroll Place, Kensington, MD) and highlights the Victorian architecture of several nearby historic districts.

**STOPS INCLUDE:**

**NOYES LIBRARY**
Built in 1893, this small children’s library is the oldest library in Montgomery County and was founded by Brainard Warner.

**WARNER MANSION**
The center of Kensington’s Historic District, Warner Circle Special Park features a Queen Anne house and carriage house, both built in the 1890s.

**ST. JOHN’S CEMETERY**
This graveyard dates to the 1790s and contains burials associated with John Carroll, first bishop of the Catholic Church in the United States. St. John’s is within the Forest Glen Historic District.

**THE CASTLE**
Part of Capitol View Historic District, the Castle was built in the late 19th century and originally served as a general store and post office.

**NATIONAL PARK SEMINARY**
The architecture of this turn-of-the-century finishing school was inspired by the World’s Columbian Exposition of 1893, and includes a Japanese Pagoda, a Swiss Chalet, Dutch Windmill and Italian Villa-style buildings.
ABOUT MONTGOMERY PLANNING’S HISTORIC PRESERVATION OFFICE

The Historic Preservation Office supports the Montgomery County Planning Board and the Historic Preservation Commission by identifying, designating, and regulating historic sites in the county. Historic Preservation staff maintain an archive and library of documentation on historic resources in Montgomery County, and provide preservation outreach and guidance on best preservation practices to the public.

FALL 2019 HP BIKE TOUR

START
A. Noyes Library for Young Children
   10237 Carroll Pl, Kensington, MD
B. Warner Mansion
   10231 Carroll Pl, Kensington, MD
C. St. John the Evangelist Church & Cemetery
   9700 Rosensteel Ave, Silver Spring, MD
D. The Castle at Forest Glen
   10 Post Office Road, Silver Spring, MD
E. National Park Seminary
   9615 Dewitt Dr, Silver Spring, MD
F. Noyes Library for Young Children
   10237 Carroll Pl, Kensington, MD

END

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