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Modern GIS system launched in Bedford County

Bedford, Virginia—Bedford County has released a new and improved public Geographic Information System (GIS) website this week (<http://webgis.bedfordcountyva.gov/Bedford>).

The new GIS website features an interactive map that allows residents and professionals to view many layers of information, including tax, assessment, zoning, utilities, school, political geography lines, topography, and public safety.

The site incorporates information from both Bedford County and the Town of Bedford, and replaces each of these localities' earlier GIS sites.

The user will immediately notice a modern, more aesthetically pleasing map interface. The site has more user-friendly searches, detailed property and assessment information, enhanced reporting and printing capabilities, more intuitive map navigation, and improved site performance. The site will also be updated much more frequently than the quarterly data updates with the older site. In addition, the County will save money by bringing the site in-house instead of paying a consultant for these services.

The new site contains extensive documentation, as well as several short Help videos, to assist the user with the functionality of the new site.

For more information about the new GIS website or about the County's GIS program, please contact Carl Levandoski, GIS Coordinator at clevandoski@bedfordcountyva.gov.

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