District 5

Greg Fox's E-Newsletter

Greetings!
This Thanksgiving Holiday, Thursday, November 24th your trash and recycling will NOT be picked up - see Slide Schedule below. Lots of events and festivals to get out and about this month and next. See sidebar.
Wishing everyone a wonderful holiday with friends and family. Happy Thanksgiving!

-Greg

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DAVIS BRANCH STREAM RESTORATION PROJECT

Howard County Government News Release

A Howard County construction project to improve an eroded stream on Old Frederick Road in the vicinity of Dorchester Road in Woodstock is scheduled to begin on or about Monday, November 21.

The project is not expected to impact the flow of traffic in the area; however, an occasional lane may be necessary during construction hours, Monday through Friday, 7:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. and Saturdays from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Weather permitting, the project will be completed by early March 2017. For more information on Capital Project D-1158 click here.

COUNTY COUNCIL RELEASES STATEMENT REGARDING POST-ELECTION BEHAVIORS IN THE COMMUNITY

Vision and Mission

Vision: Howard County choses to be bastion of civility.

Mission: We choose respect, consideration, empathy, and tolerance as our fundamental values, enhancing the community's quality of life.

"It is the public policy of our County, as outlined in the Human Rights Subsection of the Howard County Code, that that we "shall foster and encourage the growth and development of Howard County so that all persons shall have an equal opportunity to pursue their lives free of discrimination." It further elaborates that "Discrimination practices based upon: Race, Creed, Religion, Disability, Color, Sex, National origin, Age, Occupation, Marital status, Political opinion, Sexual orientation, Personal appearance, Familial status, Source of income, or Gender identity or expression, are contrary to the public policy of Howard County." We believe that both our words and our actions must support this as, we the council, stand firmly against actions to the contrary.

The County Council is asking parents, educators, and other members of the community to do your part and urges you all to use this time in our history and these incidents as opportunities for teachable moments and open dialogue with our children and with our neighbors across the community. We pledge to do the same. We must stand together against hate and intolerance of any type directed at any one in our community. Together, we can and we will get through these turbulent times and ensure Howard County remains one of the greatest places to live in the United States for everyone in our community."

For a full copy of the press release from the County Council.

For a copy of the press release from the County Executive.

HOWARD COUNTY GOVERNMENT CLOSINGS FOR NOVEMBER 24 & 25

There will be no trash or recycling pick-up on Thanksgiving, **Thursday, November 24.**

Closed on Thursday, November 24
County government offices
Community centers and athletic centers
Courts
Landfill
50+ Centers

Closed on Friday, November 25
County government offices
Courts
50+ Centers

Open on Friday, November 25
All trash and recycling services
Landfill
Parks

The 9-1-1 center, police and fire departments remain staffed 24 hours a day.

For full listing of closing along with explanation of "holiday slide" click here.

FRIENDLY REMINDER

Friendly Reminder from Howard County Police

Police remind residents: **always lock your car. Police suggest residents follow these tips to prevent both vehicle theft and theft from vehicle:**

- Lock your car and take your keys with you.
- Never leave your car running attended.
- Never leave valuables in your vehicle.
- Park in well-lit areas.

Presubmission Community Meetings

A new presubmission community meeting for infill development has been scheduled. Information is provided below. You can also see all upcoming presubmission community meetings here:

Project Name:	Lyhus Property
Acres:	99.07
Proposed Request:	Single Family Detached minimum 2 preservation parcels
Street Address:	12170 Lime Kiln Road
Meeting Date:	11/30/16
Meeting Time:	6:30 P.M.
Meeting Place:	Fulton Elementary School
Meeting Address:	11600 Scaggsville Road, Fulton 20759

Project Name:	Simpson Property
Acres:	99.96
Planned Use:	Residential Development
Street Address:	NW of Green Bridge Road; NE of Triadelphia Mill Road
Meeting Date:	11/28/2016
Meeting Time:	6:30 P.M.
Meeting Place:	Dayton Oaks Elementary
Meeting Address	4691 Ten Oaks Road, Dayton 21036

Project Name:	Khan Property
Acres:	15.32
Planned Use:	Single Family Dwellings
Street Address:	828 Hoods Mill Road
Meeting Date:	12/1/2016
Meeting Time:	6:00 P.M.
Meeting Place:	Glenwood Library
Meeting Address	2350 State Road 97, Cooksville 21723

Project Name:	Pfefferkorn Property
Acres:	16.74
Planned Use:	Single Family Detached
Street Address:	NW corner of Pfefferkorn Road & Rover Mill Road
Meeting Date:	12/5/2016
Meeting Time:	6:00 P.M.
Meeting Place:	Glenwood Library
Meeting Address	2350 State Road 97, Cooksville 21723

Feed the Hungry Christmas Parade

For more information click here.

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COUNCIL MONTHLY MEETING SCHEDULE 2016

November 21
Legislative Public Hearing
Bannaker Room
7:00 p.m.

November 28
Legislative Work Session
CVG Room
4:30 p.m.

December 5
Legislative Session
Bannaker Room
7:00 p.m.

December 12
Monthly Meeting
CVG Room
8:30 a.m.

For more information click below for
Schedule of Meetings

To view the Fall Guide "Click Here "

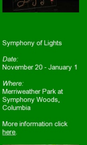
HOLIDAY EVENTS

Holiday Train Garden

Date:
November 19 - January 15

Time:
Mon. - Sat. 7:00 a.m. - 9:00 p.m.
Sun. 9:00 a.m - 6:00 p.m.

Where:
Gary Arthur Community Center, 2400 MD 97, Cooksville



Symphony of Lights

Date:
November 20 - January 1

Where:
Merriweather Park at Symphony Woods, Columbia

More information click here

Santa's Workshop - TLV Tree Farm

Date:
November 26 - December 17

Time:
10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Where:
TLV Tree Farm
15155 Triadelphoa Mill Road, Glenelg

Click here for more information

Howard County Conservancy Events

Relax and browse unique locally crafted items Proceed benefits the Conservancy environmental programs.

Geminid Meteor Shower Showers run annually from December 7-17.

Click here for more information for all events.

Santa Schedule
Sunday December 4 starts at 10:00 a.m. Mt. Hebron area, Liter Road, Weatherstone Drive, Old Mill Road, Greenway, Valley Meade, Cypressenwade, Michaels Way and Joey Drive

Friday, December 16 starts at 6:00 p.m. Waverly and Green Clover

For additional information and dates click here

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