



Howard County Council

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Capital Budget Public Hearing
Tuesday, April 18, 2023
Hybrid Meeting (Virtual and In-Person Meeting)
Video Streamed on <https://cc.howardcountymd.gov/Online-Tools/Watch-Us>
Broadcast on channels 44(Verizon) and 99(Comcast)
6:00 p.m.

Members Present: Christiana Rigby, Council Chairperson; Deb Jung, Vice Chairperson; Opel Jones, Council Member and Liz Walsh, Council Member.

Staff Present: Michelle Harrod, Administrator to the County Council; Gary Kuc, County Solicitor; Amanda Mihill, Assistant County Solicitor; Jennifer Sager, Legislative Coordinator; Maureen Arthurs, Director of Government Affairs; Lynne Rosen, Senior Legislative Analyst; Margery Sayers, Executive Assistant and Brenda Smith, Administrative Support were also present.

- I. Call to Order at 6:00 p.m.
- II. Pledge of Allegiance
- III. Public Hearing
 1. Education
 - a. HCPSS
 1. Jonathan Edelson, Oakland Mills Community Association – called to speak
 2. DPaul Nibber, Horizon Foundation (combined testimony) – called to speak
 3. Jackie Eng, Housing Affordability Coalition (combined testimony) – called to speak
 4. Brent Loveless, PTA Council of Howard County – called to speak

b. Libraries

1. Tonya Aikens, Howard County Library System – called to speak
2. Shehlla Khan – called to speak
3. Barbara Krupiarz, PATH – called to speak
4. Antonia Watts, HCLS Board of Trustees – called to speak
5. James Karatonis – called to speak
6. Mary Lou Hobbs – called to speak
7. Leonardo McLarty Howard County Chamber of Commerce (combined testimony) – called to speak
8. Karl Grover – called to speak
9. David Costello – called to speak
10. Kevin McAliley, Wilde Lake Village Board (combined testimony) – called to speak

c. HCC

1. Daria Willis, Howard Community College – called to speak
2. Christopher Marasco - called to speak
3. Tom Albert– called to speak
4. Mike Smelkinson – called to speak
5. Sydnei Harmon – called to speak
6. Michael Butera – called to speak
7. Gregory Yancey

2. General County

1. Jack Guarneri, Bike HoCo – called to speak
2. Jessica Nichols – called to speak
3. Annalissa Daly – called to speak

IV. Adjourn at 8:38 p.m.