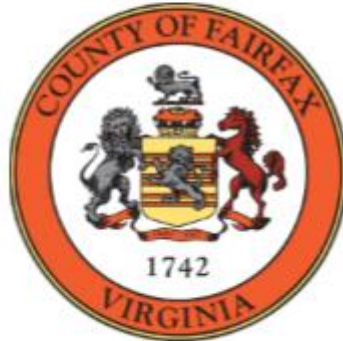


# *Sull-E Newsletter*



## **A message from Kathy Smith**

Happy St Patrick's Day! This week, we have a lot of information in the newsletter. I hope you will read on to learn about the Cabell's Mill Trail Project, future plans for the Fairfax County Community Services Board, and many other items.

One item I'd like to highlight is the next meeting of the Dulles Suburban Center Advisory Group. On Tuesday, this group will meet at the Sully Governmental Center and will receive a special briefing from the Fairfax County Park Authority regarding current and future park needs in our region.

If you have feedback or issues that you would like to share with me, please reach out to my office by replying to this email or calling us at 703-814-7100.

Sincerely,

*Kathy*

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| [www.twitter.com/sullysupervisor](http://www.twitter.com/sullysupervisor)



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## Animal Shelter Corner



**Meet Cici!**

Age: 3y 3m

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**Gender:** Female

**Color:** Black / White

**Spayed/Neutered:** Yes

**Size:** Medium

Cici's foster mom said that she is an amazing dog! She is a great mix of playful and relaxed. She is very affectionate and loves being in your lap, although she isn't demanding when it comes to your time and attention. She loves people and does well with kids. She is also housebroken, crate-trained, and well-mannered in the home. She is learning new obedience commands all the time and is also learning how to walk nicely on a gentle leader. She may be picky about the dogs she chooses to hang with, so the shelter does recommend an introduction with potential doggy siblings. Come see this beauty today! To learn more about Cici email the animal shelter at [animalshelter@fairfaxcounty.gov](mailto:animalshelter@fairfaxcounty.gov).

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## **Cabell's Mill Trail Improvements to Begin this Month**

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Maintenance work is scheduled to begin **March 20, 2017**, on the Cabell's Mill Trail at Ellanor C. Lawrence Park, as paving is added from the parking lot at Walney Road to the existing community trail behind Ellicott Court in the Cabell's Mill subdivision.

There will be construction work at all points along the trail, and park patrons should be alert for construction traffic on the trail and in the Walney Road parking lot. The trail may be closed in the vicinity of the active construction for certain periods, especially during working hours on weekdays. During construction, access to the site will be from the Walney Road entrance to the park.

Contractor Accubid Construction Services, Inc., will be working on site for up to 90 days, depending on the weather. The \$93,950 project is funded by Park Bonds. For your safety during the construction period, please obey all signs.

Ellanor C. Lawrence Park is located at 5040 Walney Road, Chantilly, VA. For more information, contact Project Manager, Som Govender at 703-324-2464.

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# Future Plans for CSB

## Developmental Disabilities Services



The CSB anticipates having sufficient reserves – without needing additional funds in the FY 2018 budget – to provide employment and day services for the anticipated number of students graduating in 2017 who will need them, along with other newly eligible individuals from the community who come forward in FY 2017, per current eligibility guidelines. New program guidelines would be phased in during FY 2018 and would apply to new applicants only, not to individuals already receiving the services.

CSB's proposals for the future of its non-mandated employment and day services are described in this [Feb. 21 presentation to the Housing and Human Services Committee](#) of the Board of Supervisors. Further clarification is provided in [CSB's response to questions from the County Board of Supervisors regarding services for individuals with developmental disabilities](#).

Under the new program guidelines, priority access will be given to new participants who have funding through a Medicaid Waiver. Individuals without a Medicaid Waiver who demonstrate exceptional hardship will be served through funding set aside by the Board of Supervisors, based on objective determinations of need. As available funding is exhausted, newly eligible individuals will be waitlisted for services in order of need and in programs incentivizing less restrictive/more integrated services.

The FY 2018 Advertised Budget Plan fully funds 22 additional full-time equivalent CSB staff positions to provide mandated support coordination services for

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individuals with developmental disabilities. This is in addition to four new positions funded in FY 2017 for this purpose.

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## Margaret C. Peck Youth Internship Program



Sully Historic Site, the home of Richard Bland Lee, Northern Virginia's first representative to Congress is pleased to announce the fourth year of the Margaret C. Peck Youth Internship program, sponsored by the Sully Foundation, Ltd.

Juniors at Herndon, Chantilly and Westfield high schools in good standing and who have an interest in history are encouraged to apply for this paid, eight-month internship that runs from late April through December 2017. Up to three interns will be hired. Participants will gain experience in museum operations, public speaking, historic object collections, event programming and museum store and visitor center operations.

Candidates must provide a completed application, written essay and teacher recommendation by **March 21, 2017** for panel review.

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This internship is named in honor of former Sully Historic Site administrator and Sully Foundation member, Margaret C. Peck. Ms. Peck is a longtime resident of the Herndon area, and a former educator with the Fairfax County Public School system. This internship honors her community service, dedication to educating young adults, and historic preservation efforts in the surrounding community. For further information contact either Noreen McCann, Visitor Services manager at [noreen.mccann@fairfaxcounty.gov](mailto:noreen.mccann@fairfaxcounty.gov), or Tammy Higgs, historian, at [tammy.higgs@fairfaxcounty.gov](mailto:tammy.higgs@fairfaxcounty.gov). You may also call 703-437-1794 for more information.

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## Dulles Suburban Center Advisory Group Meeting





As part of the [Dulles Suburban Center Study](#), the Dulles Suburban Center Advisory Group is discussing land use and possible changes to the Comprehensive Plan for the area. At the [Tuesday, March 21, 2017](#) Advisory Group meeting, Fairfax County Transportation Staff will present the results of the transportation study for existing conditions within the Dulles Suburban Center. The Advisory Group will discuss the results following the presentation. We encourage you to attend the meeting and stay informed!

**Meeting Information:**

Dulles Suburban Center Advisory Group Meeting

Tuesday, March 21, 2017 at **7:00 p.m.**

Sully Governmental Center, 4900 Stonecroft Boulevard, Chantilly, VA 20151

For additional information, please visit the Dulles Suburban Center Study website at <http://www.fairfaxcounty.gov/dpz/dullessuburbancenter/>.

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## First Hike Fairfax



The Park Authority staff picked the Cub Run Stream Valley Trail as a starter hike for

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those park users over age 50. And when they say hikes, they mean walking, jogging, biking, horseback riding, and scenery strolling.

### **Cub Run Stream Valley Trail -**

**Location:** 4630 Stonecroft Blvd, Chantilly, VA 20151

**Parking:** Parking is plentiful at Cub Run RECenter, located adjacent to Westfield High School.

**Operating Hours:** Open daily sunrise to sunset (park grounds only)

**Distance:** 2 miles

**Difficulty:** Easy

**Where to Start:** Follow the wood chip path past the playground (to the right of the RECenter entrance) to the start of the trail. (For an ADA accessible option, go around the left side of the RECenter, past the water slide.) At the fork in the path, either choose left to go toward Old Lee Road, or right to go toward Stonecroft Boulevard. Either direction is ½ mile out. Start out to the left and when you approach Old Lee Road, turn around to go back the way you came. Pass the path entrance and continue all the way down the path until you approach Stonecroft Boulevard. Turn around once again, to double back to the path entrance. You will have covered a 2-mile distance.

**Features:** Paved. Stroller, bike, and dog friendly. Relatively flat. Wide paths to accommodate trail users in both directions.

**Highlights:** Scenic bridge and stream (on the path to the right, toward Stonecroft Boulevard).

**Helpful comments:** This path is paved, but not marked. Since both sides are down-and-back, you stay close to the point of entry at the [Cub Run RECenter](#), which is convenient for bathroom and water stops.

Trail Buddy is a free GIS app that can be downloaded that will help you find your way around Fairfax County's hundreds of miles of trails. You can view the app online at <http://www.fairfaxcounty.gov/parks/trails/>. You can also access the app from your Smartphone. No special app is needed to view the map. Just go to

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<http://bit.ly/fairfaxtrailbuddy>.

If it is your first time taking one of these hikes, the Park Foundation would love to hear about your experience! Send an e-mail to [parkfoundation@fairfaxcounty.gov](mailto:parkfoundation@fairfaxcounty.gov) with a reflection on your experience.

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## Say What?!



Hearing loss is a normal part of aging and can make daily life frustrating. Everyone mumbles. Children become hard to understand and background noise can ruin a get-together. Socializing may be exasperating, leading to loneliness and more. In short, help is needed. The Northern Virginia Resource Center for Deaf and Hard of Hearing Persons (NVRC) provides individuals and families with information to help navigate the challenges of hearing loss. No sales are involved. NVRC offers free hearing screenings by appointment. Its device demonstration room boasts an array of hearing assistive technologies and an opportunity to learn about Virginia's Technology Assistance Program. They offer one-on-one or small group mentoring for anyone needing to talk about their hearing loss challenges, and they also have an Interpreter Program. Consider attending NVRCs information fair, Celebrate

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Communication, on **April 22**. To learn more, contact **[boleary@nvrc.org](mailto:boleary@nvrc.org)**, or visit **[www.nvrc.org](http://www.nvrc.org)**.

You also may want to consider the county's Health Department for free speech and hearing clinics, Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., by appointment only. Call 703-246-7120 to schedule an appointment at one of these three clinics.

**Joseph Willard Office:**

3750 Old Lee Highway

Fairfax, VA

703-246-7120

**Herndon Reston Office:**

1800 Cameron Glen Drive, Suite 100

Reston, VA

703-481-4237

**Mount Vernon Office:**

8350 Richmond Highway, Suite 233

Alexandria, VA

703-704-6100

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# A United Response to Hate Speech, Bias Incidents and Hate Crimes

Sunday, March 26, 2017, 3:00 p.m. to 5:30 p.m.

*Join us to learn how individuals and communities can constructively address the problem of hateful rhetoric.*



**Sharon Bulova**  
*Chairman*  
Fairfax County Board  
of Supervisors



**Edwin Roessler, Jr.**  
*Chief of Police*  
Fairfax Co. Police Dept.



**Mark Herring**  
*Attorney General*  
Commonwealth of VA

## Conference Location:

The Ernst Cultural Center, NoVA Community College  
8333 Little River Turnpike, Annandale, VA 22003

## How to Register:



**Register Online:** [www.tinyurl.com/fairfaxcountycic](http://www.tinyurl.com/fairfaxcountycic)

**Register By Phone:** (703) 324-3453, TTY 711

**Register By Email:** [ncsinterfaith@fairfaxcounty.gov](mailto:ncsinterfaith@fairfaxcounty.gov)

**Registration Deadline:** Thursday, March 24, 2017

Limited seating available. Early registration is encouraged.

**For more information, please visit our website:**

<http://www.fairfaxcounty.gov/ncs/cic/>



We are committed to non-discrimination on the basis of disability. Reasonable accommodations provided upon request. Learn more: (703) 324-4600, TTY 711.

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[www.fairfaxcounty.gov/ncs/cic](http://www.fairfaxcounty.gov/ncs/cic)  
February 2017

## Speakers & Panelists:

**Giulio Arseni**  
*Agent for Civil Rights*  
Federal Bureau of Investigation

**Steven Gordon**  
*Assistant US Attorney & Civil Rights*  
*Enforcement Coordinator*  
Eastern District of Virginia

**Rev. Steve Hyde**  
*Senior Pastor*  
Ravensworth Baptist Church

**Seth Gordon-Lipkin**  
*Education Director*  
Anti-Defamation League

**Imam Johari Abdul Malik**  
*Director of Outreach*  
Dar Al Hijrah Islamic Center

**Rev. Carlos Peñaloza**  
*Senior Pastor*  
Ekklesia USA

**Rev. Dr. Lisa Rzepka**  
*Senior Pastor*  
John Calvin Presbyterian Church

**Rabbi Amy Schwartzman**  
*Senior Rabbi*  
Temple Rodef Shalom

## Our Community Partners:

The ADAMS Center

Anti-Defamation League

Dar Al Hijrah

The Fairfax County Clergy &  
Leadership Council

The Fairfax County Communities of  
Trust Committee

Fairfax County Faith Communities  
In Action (FCLA)

Fairfax County NAACP

Fairfax County Office of Human  
Rights and Equity Programs

Interfaith Communities for Dialogue

Jewish Community Relations  
Council of Greater Washington (JCRC)

Ventures In Community (VIC)

## Volunteer Opportunity in Sully



### Teaching Docent Sully Historic Site

Do you like history? Do you like children? Volunteer at Sully Historic teaching small groups of children about Sully's history as the 1794 home of Richard Bland Lee. The site containing the original house and outbuildings, along with a representative slave quarter depict life in early Virginia. If you like history and have a desire to share your knowledge with others than Sully might be right for you.

#### **Duties:**

Leads small groups of children through the historic site. Generates discussion and answers questions relevant to site's history, buildings, grounds, and collections. Directs children in "hands-on" activities. May dress in period clothing.

#### **Volunteer Benefits:**

10% off of merchandise in our gift shop, 20% off in December. Free admission for volunteer and immediate family to non-ticketed special events, such as the Annual Car Show, World War II Weekend, and Civil War Weekend. Occasional volunteer

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field trips and appreciation events. Past events have included winter soirées, spring picnics, and field trips to local historic sites such as Ben Lomond Historic Site and Mt. Gilead. HHMC Volunteer Membership: Sully Historic Site is a member of the Historic House Museum Consortium, a collection of historic house museums in the local Washington D.C., Virginia, and Maryland area. As a volunteer at an HHMC site, membership cards can be checked out which allow the bearer to gain free admission or discounted admission into other participating sites.

**Qualifications:**

Volunteers will learn to give house tours and will be provided with the subject specific manuals for learning centers, Sully's Docent Manual and Forgotten Road Tour Manual. Will train alongside current volunteers to master one or more learning centers and will do a walkthrough with staff. Must attend site orientation and on-the-job training as required. Mandatory Volunteer, Facility Based Safety and Interpretive Training will be provided.

**Minimum Age to Volunteer:** 18

**Time Commitment:** You will be expected to volunteer 6 hours per month for 1 year.

**Hours of Operation:**

Availability Monday, Wednesdays, Thursdays, and Fridays 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m., October-December and February-June. May give tours during the summer months, every day from 11:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., except Tuesdays.

**Location:**

3650 Historic Sully Way  
Chantilly, VA 20151

**Contact:**

Darlene Szudera  
703-437-1794

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[darlene.szudera@fairfaxcounty.gov](mailto:darlene.szudera@fairfaxcounty.gov)

<http://www.fairfaxcounty.gov/parks/sully-historic-site/>

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