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A Message from Kathy Smith

COVID-19 cases have increased in our community. As the Thanksgiving and winter holidays approach, it is important that we not let our guard down, even around family and friends. How we celebrate might look a little different this year, but there are still plenty of ways to enjoy the holidays. Read below for more information about how to celebrate the holidays safely in the "Coronavirus Column."

<u>Evictions on Hold Through December 31; Resources Available for</u> Residents:

- To protect public health and slow the spread of COVID-19, the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) has issued a temporary moratorium on evictions through December 31, 2020.
 Details
- The moratorium applies to people with incomes less than \$99,000 or \$198,000 if married and filing jointly, unable to pay rent due to income loss or extraordinary out of pocket medical expenses and would become homeless if evicted.
- If you are having trouble making rent payments because of the coronavirus pandemic, you are not alone. Federal, state and local governments continue to offer <u>relief and resources to protect tenants</u>.

Fairfax County Board of Supervisors Meeting:

- The Board will meet on Tuesday, November 17, 2020 at 2:00 p.m. at the Fairfax County Government Center (12000 Government Center Parkway, Fairfax, VA 22035) in the Board Auditorium. All meetings are televised on Channel 16, streamed live online and available to view on demand following the meeting. Live audio of the meeting may also be accessed by dialing 703-324-7700.
- <u>Click here</u> to view the agenda and meeting materials. There are two Sully District land use cases on the agenda. More information is below in the "Sully Land Use Spotlight."
- Agenda Highlights:
 - 3:00 p.m. Public hearing to receive comment from citizens on the <u>Draft 2021 Legislative Program</u> and <u>Draft Human Services Issue</u> <u>Paper</u> to be presented to the 2021 Virginia General Assembly.
 - 3:30 p.m. Public hearing on RZ 2020-SU-006 (Cape Theresa, LLC) (Sully District)
 - 3:30 p.m. Public hearing on <u>PCA 78-S-063-08 and RZ 2019-SU-005</u> (Stanley Martin Companies, LLC) (Sully District)

<u>Fairfax County is Helping "Made in Fairfax" Entrepreneurs Get</u> Connected:

- The <u>new Made in Fairfax directory</u> is connecting local small production manufacturers to networking groups, marketing opportunities and potential customers. The directory was created by the <u>Fairfax County</u> <u>Department of Planning and Development</u>'s <u>Community Revitalization</u> <u>Section</u> to be a one-stop shop for maker businesses and the people who want to support them. <u>Details</u>
- The new directory also provides a new way for makers to raise their visibility during the COVID-19 pandemic.

<u>Sully District Police - Community Engagement Meeting:</u>

- The Community Engagement Meeting previously scheduled for Wednesday, November 11, 2020 has been rescheduled for Wednesday, December 2, 2020 at 6:00 p.m. The agenda includes a presentation on human trafficking and a Q&A with Station Commanders.
- The meeting will be virtual via Zoom. To access the meeting visit, https://bit.ly/decembercac.

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Coronavirus Column

Important reminders to keep yourself and others safe:



<u>Update on Coronavirus in the Community:</u>

- The Virginia Department of Health reported 214 new cases of COVID-19 in the Fairfax Health District yesterday, November 12, 2020.
- It is important that everyone stay vigilant and not let pandemic fatigue lead to letting our guard down.
- Cases of COVID-19 are increasing in Fairfax County and our <u>community</u> <u>transmission level</u> has increased from low to moderate. Our case investigators are seeing more exposures occurring in work places, at celebratory events and gatherings, and within households.
- What You Can Do to Keep Yourself and Your Household Safe:
 - Wear a face covering and maintain social distancing (at least 6 feet) in public settings.
 - Avoid travel and large gatherings as much as possible.

- Wash hands frequently and disinfect commonly touched surfaces.
- Stay home when sick!
- Find out more about COVID-19 and ways to stay healthy and safe at www.fairfaxcounty.gov/covid19.

Guidelines for a Safe and Relaxing Thanksgiving During COVID-19:

- While travel and large gatherings are typically common during this time of year, it is still vital to remember that we all have an important role to play in slowing the spread of COVID-19. <u>Details</u>
- You can further lower your risk during holiday get-togethers by following CDC's recommendations on <u>holiday celebrations</u> and <u>hosting gatherings</u> or cook-outs.
- Higher-risk activities (NOT RECOMMENDED!):
 - Going shopping in crowded stores.
 - Participating or attending crowded public events, even outdoor ones.
 - Attending large indoor gatherings with people from outside of your household.
- Moderate level of risk activities include:
 - Small outdoor dinner with family and friends who live in your community.
 - Visiting pumpkin patches or orchards where COVID-19 safety procedures are encouraged or enforced.
 - Attending small outdoor sports events with safety precautions in place.
- · Low level of risk activities include:
 - Small dinner with people who live in your household.
 - Virtual dinner and sharing recipes with family and friends.
 - Preparing recipes for family and neighbors and delivering them in a way that doesn't involve contact with others.
 - Shopping online (rather than in person) on the day after Thanksgiving and other sales holidays.
 - Watching sports events, parades, and movies from home.

Recent Headlines:

REV Initiative Provides Scholarships to COVID Impacted Workers

Download Virginia's FREE COVIDWISE Exposure Notifications App:

- COVIDWISE uses Bluetooth Low Energy technology to quickly notify users who have likely been exposed to COVID-19 so you can reduce the risk of infection for your friends and family.
- Download the free app <u>iPhone App Store</u> or <u>Android Google Play</u> Store.

 For more information about COVIDWISE, visit: https://www.vdh.virginia.gov/covidwise/.

FREE COVID-19 Testing Offered Every Tuesday:

- In partnership with the Centreville Labor Resource Center, Healthworks for Northern Virginia is offering FREE COVID-19 testing every Tuesday from 8:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. for walk-ins and 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. by appointment only. Location: 5944 Centreville Crest Lane, Centreville, VA.
- COVID-19 testing is free for uninsured patients.
- To make an appointment call 703-443-2000, select option #1.

Inova COVID-19 Update:

 Inova Blood Donor Services is currently experiencing a critically low supply of O+ blood and is asking the community to help. Additionally, beginning September 14, all successful blood donations will be tested for COVID-19 antibodies. For more information, and to make an appointment, please visit www.inovablood.org.

Ways to Stay Informed:

- Call our Health Department Call Center at 703-267-3511 with Coronavirus questions; open 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. weekdays and 9:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. on weekends.
- Text FFXCOVID to 888777 to receive updates from Fairfax County about COVID-19.
- Email questions or concerns to ffxcovid@fairfaxcounty.gov. This email account is staffed Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. through 6 p.m.
- Visit a <u>web portal for coronavirus</u> that serves as a one-stop online resource for information.

Reminder! Santa's Ride Toy Drive



Drop off a *NEW* unwrapped toy to help the Fairfax County Police Department's annual Santa's Ride. For over 30 years, our Motor Squad has been delivering toys for the kids at the Inova Children's Hospital and the Georgetown Hospital Lombardi Comprehensive Cancer Center.

Anyone wishing to donate can bring a new, unwrapped toy, game, book, or other gift to the lobby of the Sully District Station (4900 Stonecroft Boulevard, Chantilly, VA) on Saturday, November 14, 2020, between 10:00 a.m. and 1:00 p.m.

For more information about Santa's Ride, visit: http://bit.ly/fcpdsanta2.

FREE FOOD DISTRIBUTION

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 16th 1:30 PM

The Fields of Chantilly
13950 Rockland Village Drive, Chantilly, VA

Meadows of Chantilly
4200 Airline Phwy, Chantilly, VA

Kendrick Court Apartments
13430 Coppermine Rd, Herndon, VA

Contact-Free Distribution: Please wear a mask when picking up food items! Each bex contains dairy, fresh produce and protein! No eligibility required!

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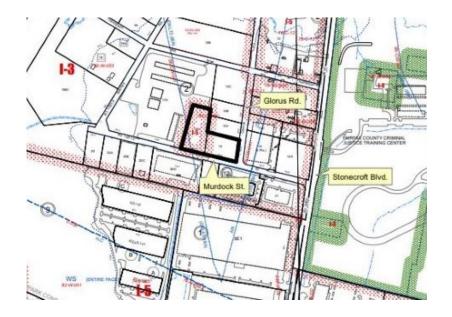






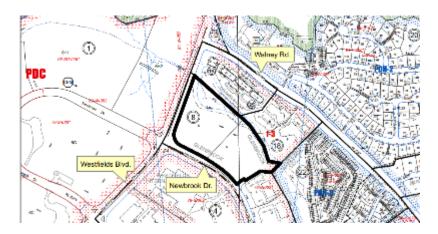
Sully Land Use Spotlight

The Board of Supervisors will hold a public hearing on RZ 2020-SU-006, also known as Cape Theresa, LLC, on November 17, 2020 at 3:30 p.m.



The applicant proposes to rezone 3.03 acres of land from the I-3 and I-5 District to the I-5 District to permit a contractor's office and storage yard near Murdock Street. <u>Learn more about the proposal</u> and <u>how to provide public testimony on the application</u>.

The Board of Supervisors will hold a public hearing on PCA 78-S-063-08 RZ/FDP 2019-SU005, also known as Stanley Martin Companies, LLC, on November 17, 2020 at 3:30 p.m.



The applicant proposes to rezone 12.04 acres located at Tax Map Parcels #44-1 ((8)) 5 and 6 from the I-3 District to the PDH-16 District, and develop 120 stacked multi-family dwelling units and 14 single family townhomes. <u>Learn more about the proposal</u> and <u>how to provide public testimony on the application</u>.

Transportation News



<u>VDOT - Overnight Lane Closures on I-66 West at Route 29 in Centreville to Shift Traffic to New I-66 Bridge Friday Night, November 13:</u>

- I-66 West in Centreville will be reduced to one travel lane during overnight hours on Friday, November 13, 2020, beginning at 10:00 p.m. to shift traffic to a new bridge span over Route 29 (Lee Highway). <u>Details</u>
- The ramp from I-66 West to Route 29 will be closed from 10:00 p.m. on Friday to 7:00 a.m. on Saturday for this work.
- Drivers should use caution and pay attention to lane markings and roadway signs when traveling in this area. All work is weather dependent and will be rescheduled if inclement conditions occur.

<u>FCDOT - Community Input Meetings Set for Fairfax Connector Bus</u> Service Review:

- <u>Fairfax County Department of Transportation (FCDOT)</u> seeks your input on how to improve local bus service provided by Fairfax Connector in the Centreville-Chantilly-Vienna-Tysons areas. <u>Details</u>
- Virtual Meeting Schedule:
 - Tuesday, November 17, 2020 at 7:00 p.m. Click here to register.
 - Wednesday, November 18, 2020 at 12:00 p.m. <u>Click here to</u> register.
 - Thursday, November 19, 2020 at 7:00 p.m. <u>Click here to register</u>.
- <u>Click here</u> to view meeting materials and maps of the three service alternatives.
- Take the survey! English; En Español

Reminders!

<u>VDOT - Route 28 Widening Project "Pardon Our Dust" Virtual Meeting:</u>

The Fairfax County Department of Transportation (FCDOT) held a "Pardon Our Dust" virtual meeting on Tuesday, October 27, 2020 to present the plans for initial construction of the Route 28 widening project. Comments are due Friday, November 13, 2020. To submit comments, questions, or feedback, contact FCDOT:

- Online via red feedback form link at the bottom of the project webpage
- Via email to Jim Beall, Project Manager

- In writing to: FCDOT, Attn: Route 28 Widening Feedback, 4050 Legato Road, Suite 400, Fairfax, VA 22033
- By phone: 703-877-5673; TTY 711

<u>VDOT - Comment Period on the I-495 NEXT Project Extended to December 4, 2020 -</u>

Comments on the environmental assessment and proposed design **must be received by no later than December 4, 2020**, to be included in the public record. For more information about the I-495 NEXT Project, visit the project website at http://www.495northernextension.org/about_the_study/. Comments can be submitted in the following ways:

- Completing the online comment form
- Emailing <u>495NorthernExtension@VDOT.virginia.gov</u> (Comments should reference "495 Express Lanes Northern Extension Project" in the subject line)
- Mailing to: VDOT Northern Virginia District Office, Attn: Abi Lerner, P.E., 4975 Alliance Drive, Fairfax, VA 22030

Upcoming Events at Sully District Parks



Ellanor C. Lawrence Park (5040 Walney Road, Chantilly, VA):

- <u>Squirreling Around</u> Saturday, November 14, 2020 from 1:00 to 2:30 p.m. Cost \$10. Ages: 8 and older.
- <u>Turkey Walk</u> Saturday, November 28, 2020 from 10:00 to 11:00 a.m. Cost \$6. Ages: 4 and older.

Sully Historic Site (3650 Historic Sully Way, Chantilly, VA):

• Nuts About Felting - Saturday, November 14, 2020; half-hour sessions begin at 10:00 a.m., 11:00 a.m., 1:30 p.m., 2:30 p.m., and 3:30 p.m. Cost \$20 per family. All ages.

 <u>Hidden in Your Backyard: The History of Cain's Branch</u> - Thursday, November 19, 2020 from 11:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. Cost \$10 per person. All ages.

The Green Column

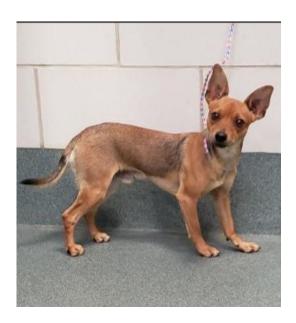


Upcoming Solid Waste Management Program (SWMP) Events

- Food Scraps Composting Program Ribbon-cutting Event:
 - Monday, November 16, 2020 from 2:30 to 3:30 p.m. at the I-66 Transfer Station (4618 West Ox Road, Fairfax, VA 22030).
 - A ribbon-cutting event to celebrate the grand opening of a new drop off site for food scrap composting. SWMP staff will hand out a limited number of reusable buckets, with secure lids and a handle, that can be used to transport food scraps to drop off locations.
- Glass Monster Event:
 - Tuesday, November 17, 2020 from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. at the Fairfax County Government Center (12000 Government Center Parkway, Fairfax, VA 22035).
 - An educational event, featuring environmental educational displays and information, the ever-popular "touch-a-truck" event, and the latest star of SWMP's recycling outreach program, the Glass Monster.
- Food Scraps Composting Program Ribbon-cutting Event:
 - Wednesday, November 18, 2020 from 10:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. at the I-95 Landfill Complex (9850 Furnace Road, Lorton, VA 22079).
 - A second ribbon-cutting event to celebrate the grand opening of a new drop off site for food scrap composting. SWMP staff will hand out a limited number of reusable buckets, with secure lids and a handle, that can be used to transport food scraps to drop off locations.

These events are open to the public and free of charge. The county and its staff are committed to hosting these events as safely as possible. **We ask all**

Animal Shelter Corner



Meet Joshie!

Ok so we have no history on this little fellow, since he arrived as a stray! He's about a year old, and is a nice little guy. He would love an adopter who can provide him with some basic training, plenty of exercise and adventures, and of course a lifetime of love.

If you'd like to adopt Joshie, send in a completed adoption questionnaire. The Fairfax County Animal Shelter will facilitate an in-person meeting prior to adoption, and as mentioned they will schedule a dog-to-dog intro if you already have a pup at home. All adoption info, steps, and forms can be found online.

Reminders!

2020-2021 Flu Season:

With the COVID-19 pandemic still in full force and influenza season now starting, it's more important than ever that everyone do their part to help prevent the spread of respiratory illnesses. We encourage everyone 6 months of age and older to get a flu shot this year and every year. Roll Up Your Sleeve Now to Keep Respiratory Illnesses Down. While flu and COVID-19 share many characteristics, one key difference is that there are vaccines to prevent flu. Learn more about flu vs. COVID-19. For more information about the flu, including the flu vaccine clinic schedule, click here.

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