



March Assignment

Due: April 22, 2009

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1. Be sure to complete your internship request.
2. Please address the following issues:
 - a. What issues are the most pressing issues in education today? What plans does Superintendent Jack Dale have?
 - b. What was your impression of Dr. Dale before today? Now?
 - c. What are some of the human services that Fairfax County Government provides?
 - d. What were your perceptions of the role of the health department in Fairfax County prior to this meeting? What "surprises" did you hear from the restaurant inspectors?
3. The budget proposal meetings are March 20 (7pm), March 31 (3pm), April 1 (3pm), and April 2 (TBD). Either attend or view one on television (Channel 16). Meetings are held in the Board Auditorium in the Fairfax County Government Center. You could potentially also talk to your teacher sponsor about having your school's media center record it for you. There are also town meetings (*on different dates than the proposal meetings above*) that you could attend (see information on the back of this sheet) if you cannot view one of the budget proposal meetings.
4. After attending/viewing a budget meeting, write your impressions of constituents' budgetary concerns.
 - a. Assess the validity of their concerns.
 - b. How would you rank the areas of need as expressed by the presenters?

Remember - your responses will probably only be 1-2 pages in length (approximately 1 page per question).

NEXT MEETING – April 22, 2009 – Human Services Part II

Government Center - Room 9 & 10

Have a great spring break!

Town Meetings Scheduled on Fairfax County FY 2010 Advertised Budget

Wednesday, March 4, 7:30 p.m.

Mount Vernon Council of Citizens Association
Jack Knowles Lecture Hall, [Walt Whitman Middle School](#)

Tuesday, March 10, 7:15 p.m.

Providence District
[Falls Church High School Little Theatre](#)

Tuesday, March 10, 7:30 p.m.

Braddock District Council
[Kings Park Library Meeting Room](#)

Wednesday, March 11, 7 p.m.

Providence District
[Oakton High School Library](#)

Tuesday, March 17, 7 p.m.

Hunter Mill District
[Reston Community Center](#)

Tuesday, March 17, 7 p.m.

Western Fairfax County Citizens Association
[Sully Government Center](#)

Tuesday, March 17, 7:15 p.m.

Providence District Council
[Dunn Loring Administrative Building](#)

Wednesday, March 18, 7 p.m.

Mason District Spring Town Meeting
[Bailey's Community Center](#)

Thursday, March 19, 7:30 p.m.

Dranesville District
[Great Falls Grange](#)

Thursday, March 19, 7:30 p.m.

Springfield Town Hall Meeting
[Springfield Government Center](#)

Tuesday, March 24, 7:30 p.m.

Dranesville District
[McLean Community Center](#)

Wednesday, March 25, 7 p.m.

Sully District Council
[Sully Government Center](#)

Wednesday, March 25, 7:30 p.m.

Lee District Association
[Lee District Community Room](#)

Wednesday, March 25, 7:30 p.m.

Dranesville District
[Herndon Town Council Chamber](#)

Thursday, March 26, 7:30 p.m.

Springfield Town Hall Meeting
[Fairfax Government Center - Rooms 9 and 10](#)