

eBlast from the Hunter Mill District

Highlights of the Board of Supervisors Meeting

March 24, 2015



The following are highlights from the Board of Supervisors meeting held on **March 24 2015**. Items below cover Hunter Mill District programs, actions, and residents, plus items impacting all of Fairfax County. For additional details, please go to the County's [Board Agenda and Meeting Schedule](#) section on the County's webpage. You may listen to [highlights from the Board meeting](#) on your computer or listen directly on iTunes. You can subscribe to the podcast, or choose a program and listen in.

PRESENTATIONS

Recently retired **Lt. Kenneth Baine**, formerly of the Reston District Station, was recognized for his 26 years of service with the Fairfax County Police Department.

APPOINTMENTS

Harold Leff – reappointed to the Athletic Council – Hunter Mill District representative

James Elder – reappointed to the Athletic Council – Hunter Mill District alternate

Sylvie Ludunge – reappointed to the Southgate Community Center Advisory Board.



ADMINISTRATIVE ITEMS

Admin 3: The Board authorized advertising public hearings for amendments to the Zoning Ordinance to make the **History Commission member of the Architectural Review Board a voting member**.

Admin 5: The Board authorized the **Juvenile and Domestic Relations District Court Services Unit** to apply and accept federal funding to develop a risk assessment tool for the prediction of intimate partner violence.

ACTION ITEMS

Action 1: The Board approved an amendment with the Northern Virginia Transportation Commission to provide technical assistance on Fairfax Connector's implementation of the **Next Electronic Payment Program**.

Action 2: The Board approved extending the existing licensing agreement to allow **Fairfax Connector buses** to provide shuttle services to **Wolf Trap Center for the Performing Arts** events.

Action 3: The Board approved proposed **service changes to Fairfax Connector routes**. The changes are:

Route 551 - South Lakes Drive

- Trips will be added to the schedule to maintain an approximate 15 minute frequency of service during weekday rush hours.

- A new schedule will reflect bus travel times adjusted for current traffic conditions.

Route 556 - Bennington Woods

- NEW service between the Wiehle Metro station and portions of Bennington Woods Road, Lake Newport Road, and Walnut Branch Road during weekday rush hours, approximately 6 to 8:30 a.m. and 4 to 7:30 p.m.
- Will serve bus stops along Old Reston Avenue between Temporary Road and Sunset Hills Road.

Route 928 - Herndon Parkway-Elden Street

- Replace Route 928 with restructured RIBS 5, with daily service between Reston Town Center and Herndon Harbor House to bus stops along portions of Sunset Hills Road, Herndon Parkway, Dranesville Road, Park Avenue, and at the Kmart shopping center.
- Provides all day service throughout the week to areas of Herndon currently served during weekday rush hours only.
- Service will be shifted to Reston Town Center Transit Station instead of Herndon-Monroe Park & Ride to mitigate coming Silver Line, Phase 2 Herndon Station construction.

Route 937 - Coppermine Road-Elden Street

- Improve connections for riders and simplify service to one route pattern within Herndon.
- Serve bus stops at Harbor House and along Parcher Avenue and Springer Drive on all trips, including weekends.
- Provide two-way service along River Birch Road and Thomas Jefferson Drive.

RIBS 1 – Lake Anne-Hunters Woods

- A new schedule will reflect travel times adjusted for current traffic conditions.
- The service frequency will change from every 30 minutes to approximately every 24 minutes weekdays and from every 30 minutes to approximately every 35 minutes on weekends.

RIBS 2 – South Lakes

- NEW two-way service between Reston Town Center Transit Station and South Lakes Village Center via the Wiehle Metro station.
- The service frequency will be approximately every 40 minutes weekdays and weekends.
- RIBS 2 buses will continue in service as RIBS 4 buses at Reston Town Center Transit Station, providing a one-seat ride between the South Lakes Village Center, Wiehle Metro station, North Shore Drive, Reston Town Center, Spectrum Center, and North Point areas of Reston.
- Alternate service to bus stops along South Lakes Drive west of the South Lakes Village Center, Herndon-Monroe Park & Ride, and Reston Town Center is available on routes 551, 981, and 983.

RIBS 3 – Hunters Woods-Lake Anne

- A new schedule will reflect travel times adjusted for current traffic conditions.
- The service frequency will change from every 30 minutes to approximately every 24 minutes weekdays and from every 30 minutes to approximately every 35 minutes on weekends.

RIBS 4 – North Point

- NEW two-way service between Reston Town Center Transit Station and North Point Village Center via Fountain Drive, Spectrum Center, and the Trader Joe's/Home Depot shopping area.
- The service frequency will be approximately every 40 minutes weekdays and weekends.
- RIBS 4 buses will continue in service as RIBS 2 buses at Reston Town Center Transit Station, providing a one-seat ride between the South Lakes, Wiehle-Reston East, North Shore Drive, Reston Town Center, Spectrum Center, and North Point areas of Reston.
- Service to Lake Newport and Walnut Branch roads and additional service to Bennington Woods Road available on proposed Route 556.

RIBS 5 – Herndon

- Combine RIBS 5 and Route 928 service. New RIBS 5 service will operate daily between Reston Town Center and Herndon Harbor House to bus stops along portions of Sunset Hills Road, Herndon Parkway, Dranesville Road, Park Avenue, and at the Kmart shopping center.

- Provides all day service throughout the week to areas of Herndon currently served during weekday rush hours only.
- Alternate service to bus stops on Elden Street west of the Kmart shopping center is available on Route 950.

INFORMATION ITEMS

2014 Virginia Pollutant Discharge Elimination System Annual Report for Fairfax County was presented, to comply with Virginia Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) requirements allowing the County to operate a municipal separate storm sewer system.

PUBLIC HEARINGS

The Board approved **JBG/Reston Executive Center** proposal for redevelopment at 12000-12120 Sunset Hill Road in Reston.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Countdown to the 2015 World Police and Fire Games: The Games begin on June 26th with closing ceremonies on July 5th. Your help is needed to make the 2015 Fairfax experience memorable for the nearly 12,000 public safety athletes from 70 countries coming here to compete. Information on volunteer opportunities is on the Fairfax 2015 WPFG website at <http://fairfax2015.com/>.

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