

A message from Kathy Smith

The Fairfax County Government's FY 2019 Budget Process kicked off with the County Executive's presentation of the FY 2019 Advertised Budget Plan on February 20, 2018. The presentation is available online. The process will end with the Board adopting the FY 2019 Budget at the May 1 Board meeting. The full FY 2019 Budget Process Timeline is available online. The Sully District Town Hall to discuss the Fairfax County FY 2019 Budget is this coming Wednesday, March 7, 2018 from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. at Rocky Run Middle School.

National Consumer Protection Week runs from Sunday, March 4 to Saturday, March 10. The Fairfax County Consumer Affairs Branch will be hosting several events throughout the county including two events in the Sully District. More information is below.

Save the date! Staff from the Fairfax County Department of Tax Administration (DTA) will be at the Sully Governmental Center on Friday, March 23, 2018 from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. for a free Tax Relief Workshop. Real estate and vehicle tax

relief is available for adults 65 years of age and older, and people with disabilities who meet certain qualifications. DTA staff will assist with filling out the application form, as well as answer any questions you have about the process.

Sincerely,

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Reminders!

Free Workshop on Goose Management:

A free workshop for parks, private citizens, homeowner associations, schools, golf courses, corporate parks, etc. Learn about Canada goose behavior, effective goose management techniques, community case studies, and regulations.

Location: Fairfax County Animal Shelter (4500 West Ox Road, Fairfax, VA 22030)

Date: Thursday, March 8, 2018

Time: 10:00 to 11:30 a.m.

2018 Sully District Budget Town Hall



SULLY DISTRICT TOWN HALL to discuss the Fairfax County FY 2019 Budget







From left to right: Supervisor Kathy Smith, County Executive Bryan Hill, and School Board Member Tom Wilson

Wednesday, March 7, 2018; 7:00 to 9:00 p.m.

Please join Supervisor Kathy Smith, County Executive Bryan Hill, School Board Member Tom Wilson, The Sully District Council, and Budget Staff from Fairfax County and FCPS to discuss the FY 2019 budgets for FCPS and Fairfax County.

Location:
Rocky Run Middle School
Little Theatre
4400 Stringfellow Road
Chantilly, VA 20151

For more information, please contact: <u>Sully@fairfaxcounty.gov</u> or 703-814-7100

This event is co-sponsored by Supervisor Kathy Smith, School Board Representative Tom Wilson, and the Sully District Council.

National Consumer Protection Week

Fairfax County's Consumer Affairs Branch is participating in National Consumer Protection Week, March 4-10, 2018.

Events in the Sully District:

Consumer Information Booth -

Date: Thursday, March 8, 2018

Time: 3:30 to 7:00 p.m.

Location: Centreville Regional Library (14200 St. Germain Drive, Centreville,

VA)

Date: Friday, March 9, 2018

Time: 10:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.

Location: Chantilly Regional Library (4000 Stringfellow Road, Chantilly, VA)

See below for the full schedule of events.

Hosts

NATIONAL CONSUMER PROTECTION WEEK March 4-10, 2018

VIRGINIA DEPARTMENT OF TREASURY

Returning money, stocks, bonds, dividends, utility deposits, insurance proceeds, tangible property, and more to the rightful owners. In past years, over \$400,000 has been returned to consumers during National Consumer Protection Week! Throughout the week, the Virginia Department of Treasury representatives along with the Fairfax County Consumer Affairs Branch, will be available to meet with consumers and search for Unclaimed Property.

March 5, 2018: Fairfax County Herrity Building, 12055 Government Center Pkwy. Fairfax 10:00 a.m. to 3:30

March 6, 2018: Reston Community Center, 2310 Colts Neck Rd, Reston 9:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. March 7, 2018: Fairfax County Jennings Judicial Center, Cafeteria, 4110 Chain Bridge Rd, Fairfax 9:00 a.m. to 3:30

CONSUMER INFORMATION BOOTHS

Consumer Specialists will be available to share consumer resources and answer your questions.

March 5, 2018

George Mason Regional Libruary, 7001 Little River Turnpike, Annandale 1:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Reston Regional Library, 11925 Bowman Towne Drive, Reston 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

Pohick Regional Library, 6450 Sydenstrick Road, Burke 2:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Woodrow Wilson Library, 6101 Knollswood Drive, Falls Church 4:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.

March 7, 2018

Martha Washington Library, 6614 Fort Hunt Road, Alexandria 2:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.

March 8, 2018

Sherwood Regional Library, 2501 Sherwood Lane, Alexandria 10:00 a m to 2:00 p m

Centreville Regional Library, 14200 St. Germain Drive, Centreville 3:30 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.

March 9, 2018

Chantilly Regional Library, 4000 Stringfellow Road, Chantilly 10:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.

CONSUMER PRESENTATIONS

Monday, March 5, 2018. 12:00 p.m. to 1:00 p.m. Combatting Consumer Fraud: Mail and Lottery Scams Learn about fraudulent schemes, the scammers and what you can do to prevent yourself from becoming a victim.

Tuesday, March 6, 2018, 12:00 p.m. to 1:00 p.m. Digital Literacy: TV and Beyond Learn how to evaluate the options and put together the best package of services for you.

Wednesday, March 7, 2018. 12:00 p.m. to 1:00 p.m. Energy Saving Tips to Put Some Green in Your Pocket Learn about low/no cost tips for saving energy and available assistance resources for homeowners and renters.

> **Location for Above Events** Fairfax County Government Center 12000 Government Center Parkway Conference Rooms 4/5 Fairfax, VA

Wednesday, March 7, 2018 7:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. **Build a Better Credit Report**

Discuss the contents of a credit report, review the process to dispute errors, and find out what factors impact your

Location: South County Government Center—Financial Empowerment Center 8350 Richmond Highway, Alexandria, VA

Thursday, March 8, 2018 10:45 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. How to Prepare for a Data Breach

Get information, tools, and resources to help you be proactive in reducing your risk when the next data or security breach occurs

Location: Mason District Government Center—Community Room 6507 Columbia Pike, Annandale, VA All events are FREE, but registration is requested. Please call email consumer@fairfaxcounty.gov or call 703-222-8435.

National Consumer Protection Week highlights consumer protection and education efforts across the country.
https://www.fairfaxcounty.gov/cableconsumer/csd/consumer

For more information or to request a reasonable ADA accommodation, please contact 703-222-8435 TTY 711 or email consumer@fairfaxcounty.gov.

Free 2018 Tax Relief Workshop



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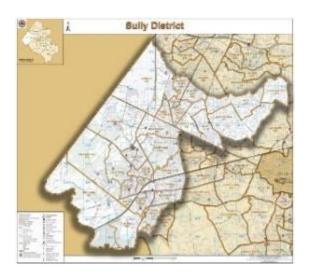
Sully District:

Date - Friday, March 23, 2018

Time - 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

Location - Sully District Governmental Center (4900 Stonecroft Boulevard, Chantilly, VA 20151) Frank Room

Sully Land Use Spotlight



Upcoming Meetings:

Board of Supervisor's Meeting -

The Board of Supervisors will meet on Tuesday, March 6, 2018 at 9:30 a.m. at the Fairfax County Government Center (12000 Government Center Parkway, Fairfax, VA 22035) in the Board Auditorium. There are two Sully cases on the agenda. More information about each case is below. To view the full agenda, click here.

RZ 2017-SU-025/SE 2017-SU-022 (JSF Management, LLC) -



This combined application consists of a rezoning and special exception applications. The rezoning application would rezone the subject site (Parcels 54-4((1)) 72A & 72B) from a C-7 to C-8 Commercial Zoning. The special exception application(s) would permit a mini-warehousing establishment and increase the allowable FAR (Floor Area Ratio) from .50 to .70. The 104,427 square foot facility would be sited south-west of the interchange of Centreville Road and Lee Highway. The application has the recommendation of staff and a favorable recommendation from the Planning Commission. For more information, click on the case link or the PC Verbatim record provided below.

Case Link
PC Verbatim

Minor Variation Request for PCA 2006-SU-025-02/CDPA 2006-SU-025/FDPA 2006-SU-025-02 (Commonwealth Regency, LLC) -

This minor variation request would modify the allowable secondary use components of Proffer #4 for the above application. The pre-existing Proffer #4

was added prior to a zoning ordinance amendment modifying the allowable uses for the Planned Development Community (PDC) District. This request would add a craft beverage production facility as an allowable, secondary use item as now permitted under the modified PDC zoning district classification. Please note, minor variations were introduced as a part of the minor modifications zoning ordinance amendment in November 2017. For more information, click on the links provided below.

Action Item 5 Link

Minor Modifications/Minor Variations

Planning Commission Meeting -

The Planning Commission will meet on Wednesday, March 7, 2018 at 7:00 p.m. at the Fairfax County Government Center (12000 Government Center Parkway, Fairfax, VA 22035) in Conference Room 11. There will be a workshop on the Capital Improvement Program (CIP) followed by a public hearing. For more information, please click on the links provided below.

March 2018 Planning Commission Calendar & Agenda
Planning Commission-CIP
Advertised FY 2019-2023 CIP

Planning Commission Meeting -

The Planning Commission will meet on Thursday, March 8, 2018 at 7:30 p.m. at the Fairfax County Government Center (12000 Government Center Parkway, Fairfax, VA 22035) in the Board Auditorium. For more information, please click on the link provided below. There are no Sully cases currently on the agenda.

Events at Chantilly Regional Library



Volunteer Income Tax Assistance (VITA):

Date/Time: January 20 - April 14; Thursdays from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m.; Saturdays from 10:00 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.

If you worked in 2017, and earned less than \$54,000, then you may qualify for this free service provided by community volunteers who are designated by the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) as certified tax preparers. They will ensure that you receive the maximum tax refund and help determine if you are eligible for tax credits.

Teen Tech Week: Resistor Jewelry:

Date: Monday, March 5 Time: 4:00 to 5:00 p.m.

Create jewelry out of recycled electronic parts and other found items. Ages: 13-17.

INOVA Blood Drive:

Date: Wednesday, March 7

Time: 2:00 to 7:00 p.m.

Stop by to donate blood, you'll help save a life. Ages: Adults.

The <u>Chantilly Regional Library</u> is located at 4000 Stringfellow Road, Chantilly, VA 20151. For more information, please call 703-502-3883; TTY: 711.

Volunteer Opportunity in Sully



2018 Springfest Earth Day Festival

Springfest is Fairfax County's premier Earth Day festival held on April 21 at Sully Historic property in Chantilly, VA. The theme of this year's event is "Healthy Planet-Healthy People". The event will offer workshops, vendors, and activities to help us improve our health and environment. The day-long

event attracts nearly 5000 from across Fairfax County. Volunteers are

needed to assist throughout the day in a variety of capacities.

Duties: Some types of volunteer opportunities include; helping with set-up,

parking, activities tent, information desk, floater, and clean-up. Volunteers

should check-in at the "Clean Fairfax" (green and white) tent. Please ensure

you sign in & out.

Volunteer Benefits: A great volunteer opportunity for community service

hours and helping the Park Authority achieve their mission.

Qualifications: Willingness to help your community and commitment to

report on time.

Minimum Age to Volunteer: 14

Additional Info: All volunteers should check-in at the "Clean Fairfax" tent

and receive their station assignments.

Location:

Sully Historic Site

1350 Historic Sully Way

Chantilly, VA 20151

Contact:

Wanda Lohr

703-324-8569

wanda.lohr@fairfaxcounty.gov

Community Partnership Forum: Better Together



New Practices in Cross-Sector: Collaboration

Are you

- A business looking to be involved in your community and boost your brand equity?
- A nonprofit looking to maximize your ROI or craft new partnerships that further your mission?
- A government agency looking for innovative strategies that leverage scarce public resources to meet community needs?

Then check out the Community Partnership Forum (formerly called the Nonprofit Forum) on Wednesday, March 21, 2018 at George Mason's Arlington campus. This one-day conference features speakers from Community Wealth Partners, Fourth Sector, SunTrust, United Way NCA,

Kiddar Capital, Junior Achievement, and cool workspaces like WeWork, Refraction, and Open Gov Hub who will share what's working and how nonprofits and business can benefit from proven strategies including:

- New trends in business-nonprofit models that build revenue while serving a social mission
- Workspace co-location can enhance creativity and efficiency
- Public-private partnerships that deliver community spaces that benefit all
- How Junior Achievement, SunTrust Bank, and United Way NCA are leveraging their assets to deliver financial empowerment

This event is sponsored by Fairfax County, George Mason, United Way & Greater McLean Chamber.

Learn more and <u>register!</u>

National Eating Disorders Awareness Week



Eating disorders are serious conditions related to persistent eating behaviors that negatively impact ones health, emotions and ability to function in important areas of life. They have the highest mortality rate of any mental illness. Eating disorders are not a choice; they are caused by a combination of biological, genetic environmental and psychological factors and may co-occur with other conditions including depression, anxiety, or substance use disorder.

The theme of this year's National Eating Disorders Awareness Week (February 26 - March 4, 2018) is "Let's Get Real" and the goal is to expand the conversation and highlight the issues that surround the estimated 30 million Americans that struggle with eating disorders.

Take or share the <u>Fairfax-Falls Church Community Services Board</u>'s <u>online</u> <u>mental health screening tool</u> that has a specific screening for concerns over <u>eating habits</u>. Brief screenings are the quickest way to determine if you or someone you care about should connect with a mental health professional. The screenings are free, confidential, and anonymous. Get involved and learn more before reaching a point of crisis.

Get screened, seek help, and start the journey to healing.

<u>Learn more about eating disorders and how they are treated</u>. More information regarding signs, symptoms and how to help a loved one is also available at www.nationaleatingdisorders.org.

Donate Your Old Car to the Police Department



Do you have a car you want to donate?

The Emergency Vehicle Operations Center (EVOC) is continuously in need of car donations to be used for training. Upon donation, owners are eligible

for an immediate tax deduction based on the current Blue Book value. Cars must be drivable, have operational seatbelts, and a headrest on the driver's seat.

For details and further information about car donations, please contact MPO Scott Neville at 703-633-7270 or by email Scott.Neville@fairfaxcounty.gov.

Recognize The Signs Of Stroke – And F-A-S-T!

Unfortunately, strokes do happen. It is important that you and your loved ones know and recognize the warning signs of a stroke as every second counts!

Please take a moment to review the below tips from our friends at the American
Heart Association.

If you think you or a loved one are experiencing a stroke, call 911 as soon as possible! Our paramedics and firefighters will be there to assist you promptly.

Sometimes other symptoms appear, separately, in combination or with F.A.S.T. signs. They are:

- Sudden confusion, trouble speaking or understanding speech.
- Sudden numbness or weakness of face, arm or leg. Especially on one side of the body.
- Sudden trouble seeing in one or both eyes.
- Sudden trouble walking, dizziness, loss of balance or coordination.
- Sudden severe headache with no known cause.

If someone shows any of these symptoms, call your Fairfax County Paramedics and Firefighter at 9-1-1 immediately!



FACE DROOPING

Does one side of the face droop or is it numb? Ask the person to smile. Is the person's smile uneven or lopsided?



ARM WEAKNESS

Is one arm weak or numb? Ask the person to raise both arms. Does one arm drift downward?



SPEECH DIFFICULTY

Is speech slurred? Is the person unable to speak or hard to understand? Ask the person to repeat a simple sentence, like "The sky is blue." Is the person able to correctly repeat the words?



TIME TO CALL 9-1-1

If someone shows any of these symptoms, even if the symptoms go away, call 9-1-1 and say, "I think this is a stroke" to help get the person to the hospital immediately. Time is important! Don't delay, and also note the time when the first symptoms appeared. Emergency responders will want to know.

County Agency Spotlight: Auditor of the Board

Auditor of the Board: Jim Shelton, MBA, CRP

What they do:

This agency plans, designs, and conducts studies, surveys, evaluations, and

investigations of County agencies as assigned by the **Board of Supervisors** or the

Audit Committee.

For each study conducted, the agency focuses primarily on the County's Corporate

Stewardship vision elements. The agency does this by developing, whenever

possible, information during the studies performed which are used to maximize

County revenues or reduce County expenditures.

Additionally, this agency conducts follow-up work on prior period studies. As part of

the post study work conducted, they review the agreed upon managements' action

plans. To facilitate the process, they collaborate with management prior to

completion of studies. Through this collaboration, timelines for the implementation

of corrective action and status updates are documented for presentation at the

upcoming Audit Committee Meetings.

For more information, please visit their website at

https://www.fairfaxcounty.gov/boardauditor/.

Animal Shelter Corner



Meet Carmen!

Age: 5y

Gender: Female
Color: Apricot

Spayed/Neutered: Yes

Size: Small

If you think Carmen looks a little like an adorable cartoon character, we agree! Carmen arrived to the Fairfax County Animal Shelter as a stray so they don't know much about her history, but they have been able to guess at a few

things. They think she's around five years old, and her fur was really matted when she arrived. She was really nervous and jumpy at first, and any quick movement would cause her to jump and yelp. Their Animal Care Manager took little Carmen under her wing, which meant Carmen got to spend lots of time in an office so they could try and figure her out. Here's what they learned:

- Carmen LOVES squeaky toys! The best way to gain her trust is to have a squeaky toy and play with her. She'll play fetch with you or is just happy to carry them around.
- She is sloooow to warm up to new people but once she does, she enjoys sitting on your lap and getting affection.
- She hasn't learned how to signal that she needs to go outside but a consistent routine will help her. Her person will need to be extremely patient and understanding, and never get mad at Carmen for having accidents.

 Carmen seems to react very fearfully when she feels someone is upset at her, and she needs someone who will help build her confidence and trust up.
- She's unsure about other dogs but could possibly like them once she gets to know them. Large dogs make her nervous and she seems more comfy with small dogs.
- A quiet, (small) child-free home would be ideal since quick movements and loud noises make her real nervous!
- Carmen loves walking on a leash, and really enjoys exploring!
- She LOOOOVES squeaky toys! (Wait, did we already say that...? Well, she REALLY loves them!)

If you are interested in meeting Carmen, please email the Animal Shelter at animalshelter@fairfaxcounty.gov so they can set up a time to introduce her to you!