

A message from Kathy Smith

I hope you are enjoying the beautiful weather we have been having today and expect to see this weekend. We have several exciting events coming up which I am excited to invite you to attend. The first will be tomorrow morning at 9:00 a.m. at the Sully Government Center. This will be our Dulles Suburban Center Study Workshop. While this is specifically a meeting for study members to discuss among themselves, the public is invited to attend as observers as the members discuss important land use plans for our region.

Second, I invite you to attend the McAtee's Tavern Historical Marker unveiling next Saturday, June 10 at 10:00 a.m. at the Burger Shack on Rt. 50. This historic site is also known as the Mitchell-Weeks House. Chairman Sharon Bulova and I will both be there as we celebrate this important piece of Fairfax County history.

Finally, please save the date for our annual Centreville Day celebration to be held this October 21 at Historic Centreville Park. Sincerely,

Katty

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Fairfax County Fire and Rescue Academy Blood Drive



Be a Hero! Donate Blood.

Tuesday, June 13, 2017
10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.
4600 West Ox Road, Fairfax, VA 22030
The Inova Blood Donor Services Bloodmobile will be located in the bays.

For Appointments and Directions:

Visit inova.org/donateblood, Click on Schedule a Donation, then click on Donate Blood, and use Sponsor Code 8184, or contact Lt. Vernon (Ty) Corbin Jr. @ (571) 585-2203,or <u>Vernon.Corbin2@fairfaxcounty.gov</u> or call 1-866-BLOODSAVES (1-866-256-6372).

Please remember:

- Photo ID required. Allow one hour for your blood donation.
- Donation type appointments availability may vary.
- Double your Donation. Donate your RED CELLS on Alyx!

RECEIVE A FREE SUPERHERO T-SHIRT!

The Case for Native Plants



A Talk by Laura Beaty and Donna Murphy

Thursday, June 15, 2017 6:00 to 8:00 p.m.

Sully Governmental Center

4900 Stonecroft Boulevard Chantilly, VA 20151

Because of the early start time, guests are welcome to come in during the presentation, which will be repeated if necessary.

Join Laura Beaty and Donna Murphy, members of the Potowmack Chapter of the Virginia Native Plant Society (VNPS), for a program that will benefit gardeners and homeowners who are interested in using a portion of their property to support biodiversity. The program covers the inter-dependent relationships between plants and animals that ensure their survival into the future – on which we depend.

Laura serves as the VNPS, Potowmack Chapter propagation chair at the native plant beds at Green Spring Gardens. She is a popular speaker about native plants to Master Gardener candidates at Green Spring Gardens and native plant/pollinator programs for area garden clubs and other organizations. She is currently in the process of converting her grassy front yard into a "modified meadow" that includes perennials, grasses, shrubs and trees—all native; then will move to the backyard.

Donna serves as VNPS, Potowmack Chapter programs chair. She is also is a Master Naturalist, Fairfax Chapter. Donna began to create a woodlot in her treeless backyard over 30 years ago and now has a small, mature-looking woods flanked by meadow habitat and continually receding lawn turf.

Save the Date for Centreville Day 2017!



Join us on **Saturday, October 21**, for the 25th anniversary of Centreville Day! We will celebrate from **10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. in Historic Centreville Park on Mt. Gilead Road** with illustrious speakers and well-known VIPs, American Legion Parade, high energy performers, creative vendors and crafters, Rotary Pet Pageant, and a not-to-be-missed food court. Family friendly and no admission fee. Sponsored by the Friends of Historic Centreville, visit their website to see updates and get applications: www.historiccentrevilleva.org.

Daily E-Cycling Program



County residents can E-cycle old or unwanted electronics any day of the week at both the I-66 Transfer Station and the I-95 Landfill Complex. Acceptable materials include: computers and related equipment, televisions, stereos, and other household electronic devices and cables.

There are no fees with this service, but customers may have to show proof of residency.

I-66 Transfer Station:

4618 West Ox Road, Fairfax, VA Monday-Saturday: 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Sunday: 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

I-95 Landfill Complex:

9850 Furnace Road, Lorton, VA Monday-Saturday: 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Sunday: 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

For more information, contact the Solid Waste Management Program at 703-324-5230.

Two Steps to Take if You've Been Scammed



Scammers are at it 24/7. They impersonate charities over the phone, send

threatening letters claiming to be the IRS and they knock on your door pedaling yard and home repair services that they have no intention of providing.

If you have been stung by a scammer take these steps:

1. Report ALL scams that occur in Fairfax County to the Fairfax County Police Department through their non-emergency number at 703-691-2131. Financial scams including check and credit card theft and fraud can also be reported through the Fairfax County Police Department's financial crimes information and reporting system at www.fairfaxcounty.gov/police/financialcrimes.

2. You may also want to report scams to the Federal Trade Commission at <u>www.ftccomplaintassistant.gov</u>. The FTC cannot resolve individual complaints, but can provide information about what steps to take. Consumer complaints help the agency detect patterns of fraud and abuse. If the complaint involves identify theft, the webpage will walk you through a recovery plan.

Shepherd's Center of Western Fairfax County

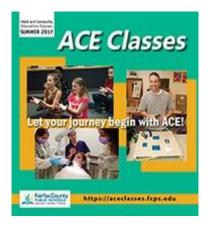


Volunteer-Assisted Transportation

- Are you an older adult (50+) who no longer drives?
- Do you need a ride to access the Western Fairfax Christian Ministries (WFCM) Food Pantry or necessary medical, dental, or therapy services?
- Do you live in western Fairfax County in or around the Clifton, Centreville, or Chantilly communities? <u>Click here to see their service map.</u>

Call the Shepherd's Center of Western Fairfax County at **703-246-5920** at least five days in advance and a volunteer will take you to your appointment. This service is free. Please note that you must pre-register with them before calling for service. Same day rides are not available.

Register Now for Summer 2017 Adult and Community Education Classes



Register is open for **summer 2017 Adult and Community Education (ACE) classes**. Upcoming new courses include: French Pies and Tarts, Permitting That Project, Introduction to Filmmaking for Teens, Marketing and Promotions for Small Business, and more. Summer course offerings may be viewed at <u>https://aceclasses.fcps.edu</u>, and registration may be completed online, by phone, by mail, or in person. The course catalog, *ACE Classes*, is currently being mailed to Fairfax County residents. You can also pick up a copy of the catalog at our office.

Code Compliance Corner

Accessory Storage Structures – Did you know that the Zoning Ordinance regulates the location of all storage structures and that a Building Permit may be required to assure that it is located within required setbacks and meets required height restrictions? If you feel that a storage structure has been constructed too close to your property line or it exceeds 8.5' in height, or if it has been constructed without the appropriate building permits, you may contact DCC to file a complaint.



Accessory Storage Structures

Do you know about Fairfax County's Zoning Regulations for Accessory Storage Structures?

Specific regulations will differ based on type of structure and lot, but these are rules to consider.

- Article 10-104 of the Zoning Ordinance regulates the types, sizes and location of accessory storage structures.
- An accessory storage structure must be located on a lot with a principal structure or use.
- In the R-2 through R-20 districts an accessory storage structure shall not exceed 200 square feet in gross floor area. (L x W)
- An accessory storage structure shall not be located in any minimum required front yard on any lot, and more specifically may not be anywhere in the front yard on a lot containing 36,000 square feet or less.
- Information on minimum yard requirements can be found in the Zoning Ordinance. To view these requirements, refer to the zoning district article and section in which the property is located.
- The use of cargo containers on residential property is not permitted as a permanent accessory storage structure.

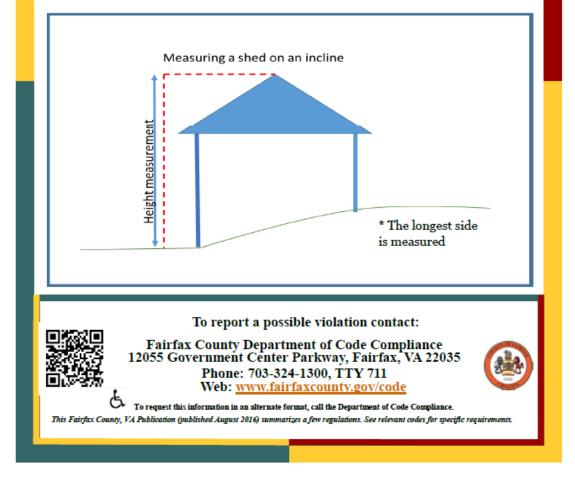


To report a possible violation contact:

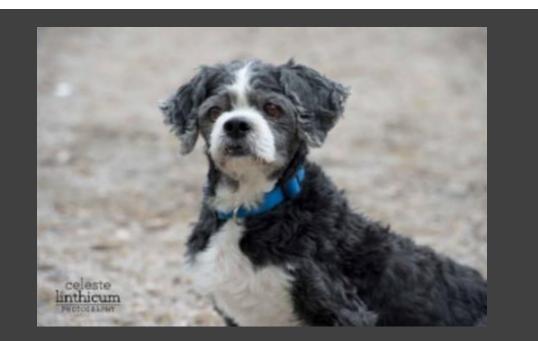


To request this information in an alternate format, call the Department of Code Compliance. This Fairfax County, VA Publication (published September 2016) summarizes a few regulations. See relevant codes for specific requirements.

- Shed placement in the side or rear yard is dependent on its height:
 - An accessory storage structure, which does not exceed eight and one-half (8 1/2) feet in height can be located in any part of a side or rear yard.
 - On an interior lot, an accessory storage structure which exceeds eight and one-half (8 1/2) feet in height shall not be located closer than a distance equal to its height to the rear lot line and located closer than a distance equal to the minimum required side yard to the side lot line.
 - On a corner lot, an accessory storage structure which exceeds eight and one-half (8 1/2) feet in height shall not be located closer than a distance equal to its minimum required side yard to the rear lot line.
- No more than 30% of the minimum rear yard can be covered to include paving, patios, and building. accessory storage structures.
- The height of an accessory storage structure shall be measured from the highest point of the structure to the lowest point of finished ground level adjacent to the structure.



Animal Shelter Corner



Meet Juan Pablo!

Age: 10 years 3 months Gender: Male Color: Black / White Spayed/Neutered: Yes Size: Small

Can you believe this adorable little boy was found running the streets of Fairfax County all by himself? Well now he's at the shelter and he's looking for a brand new home he can call his own! Juan Pablo is a sweet, older guy who still has plenty of pep in his step! He is very curious and engaging, loves getting attention, and will even play a bit, despite his creaky limbs. He would love to find a nice quiet home where he can live out his golden years. Could that be yours? To learn more about Juan Pablo, email the animal shelter at animalshelter@fairfaxcounty.gov.



VDDT Virginia Department of Transportation

Transform 66 Outside the Beltway Fairfax County and Prince William County

Public Information Meetings

All meeting times are 6-8:30 p.m. A brief presentation at each meeting will begin at 7 p.m.

Monday, June 12, 2017 Oakton High School Cafeteria 2900 Sutton Road, Vienna, VA 22181

Wednesday, June 14, 2017

Stone Middle School Cafeteria 5500 Sully Park Drive, Centreville, VA 20120

Thursday, June 15, 2017

Piney Branch Elementary School Cafeteria/Gym 8301 Linton Hall Road, Bristow, VA 20136

Find out about plans to transform 22.5 miles of I-66 from I-495/Capital Beltway to University Boulevard in Gainesville to provide congestion relief and enhanced safety, as well as new travel choices and reliability.

Stop by between 6 p.m. and 8:30 p.m. to view the preliminary concept plans submitted by I-66 Express Mobility Partners, VDOT's selected partner for the project, and learn more about the proposed improvements. Attend the formal presentation at 7 p.m. VDOT and I-66 Express Mobility Partners staff will be available to answer your questions.

Review project information at www.Transform66.org, at the meetings, or at VDOT's Northern Virginia District Office at 4975 Alliance Drive, Fairfax, VA 22030. Please call 800-FOR-ROAD (800-367-7623) or TTY/TDD 711 to ensure the availability of appropriate personnel to answer your questions. Preliminary concept plans and project schedule will be available at the meetings for review and public comment. Staff will also be available to answer questions regarding environmental, right of way and civil rights information.

Give your oral or written comments at the meetings. You may also email comments to Transform66@VDOT.Virginia.gov. or mail them to Susan Shaw, P.E., Megaprojects Director, at the VDOT Northern Virginia District Office address above. Please reference "Transform 66 Outside the Beltway" in the subject line. A summary of comments submitted by **June 30, 2017** will be posted on the project website.

VDOT ensures nondiscrimination and equal employment in all programs and activities in accordance with Title VI and Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964. If you need more information or special assistance for persons with disabilities or limited English proficiency, contact VDOT's Civil Rights at 703-259-1775 or TTY/TDD 711.

State Project: 0066-96A-497 UPC: 110741



Volunteer Opportunity in Sully



Cub Run Stream Valley Park Habitat Restoration!

Did you know that invasive plants are a huge threat to local wildlife, including migrating birds? Help out these creatures by volunteering to remove invasive plants and restore habitat!

Purpose: To restore parkland through the removal of invasive plants and planting of native species.

Duties: Volunteers will manually remove invasive plants and plant native species.

Volunteer Benefits: Volunteers will immediately be able to see how their efforts have had a positive impact on parkland. Volunteers will make parks they volunteer at more aesthetically pleasing and improve the quality of habitat for local wildlife.

Qualifications: No prior experience necessary, a short training and introduction will be provided at the beginning of every opportunity.

Minimum Age to Volunteer: 11

Additional Info: Children 11-15 years old must be accompanied by adult.

Location: Cub Run Stream Valley Park Centreville, VA 20120

Contact: Leslie Gerhard

703-324-8681 Leslie.Gerhard@fairfaxcounty.gov