



THE FOREST HILL COMMUNITY ADVISORY BOARD
Minutes

June 22, 2021

Online Zoom Meeting

Members & Representatives in Attendance

Thom Ellenbecker – Acting Chair / Secretary, Board Member

Nancy Reynolds – Board Member

Elena Skittle-Watson – Board Member

Cathy Ohler – Board Member

Tom Miller – Board Member

Sherri Wiczorkowski – Board Member

Daniel Sekowski – Board Member

Larry Richardson – Policy Director for Office of the County Executive Barry Glassman

Carl Brooks – Captain, Northern Precinct, Harford County Sheriff's Office

Minutes

Meeting was called to order by Acting Chairperson Thom Ellenbecker at 7:06 pm.

May minutes accepted.

A crime report for Forest Hill was presented by Captain Brooks for the past month.

- Crime remains down. Traffic crashes are up (7 vs 2 last year), 1 Burglary, 1 Theft
- Discussed recent I-95 shutdowns & traffic diversions

Reviewed recent Planning and Zoning DAC / CIM activity:

- Most relevant: Forest Hill Industrial Airpark - Lot X6, Plan No. S141-2021 Construct 14,000 sf office/service bldg./1.17 acres/CI Received 04-07-21

Other updates from officials:

Larry Richardson –

- 15,000 acres of land preservation involving 15 properties around the county
- A group will be formed to look at how to rank properties for land preservation selection going forward – how to compare contiguous plots (wildlife) vs areas otherwise facing significant development pressure
- County council continues through August 10th then resumes in September.
- Zoning appeal meeting scheduled for the end of June.
- Traffic Safety Advisory Board reappointed, looking at school bus cameras, conducting pre-tours in September of unsafe areas advising the County Executive priorities – Grafton Shop is at top of the list. MDOT meeting in October to discuss safety priorities for the county.

Meeting adjourned by Acting Chairperson Nancy Reynolds at 7:48PM

Next Meeting: Tuesday, September 28, 2021 at 7pm – Location TBD assessing if we can do a meeting/social at a nearby winery and where we can begin to hold regular in-person meetings in October.

Respectfully Submitted, Thom Ellenbecker

The Forest Hill Community Advisory Board is a forum for the area residents to inform the Office of the County Executive on matters of interest and/or concern within the Forest Hill community. This Board will host regularly scheduled public meetings that educate attending residents on local government services, plans and initiatives, along with various state agencies and other organizations. All meetings are open to the public. Resident involvement is critical to the success of this community board!

Forest Hill Community Advisory Board Members:

Bernard Schweigman II - Chairperson

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