

Sull-E Newsletter



A message from Kathy Smith

This week, the Board of Supervisors wrapped up our three-day budget hearings session. The testimony was very important to our process, but this is not the last issue on which we need your input. We have important public comment sessions coming up this week. Engaging you and your concerns is an important responsibility of government and it's important that you make your voice heard. We look forward to hearing from you on both the library issues and the transportation issues outlined below.

Kathy

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Help Needed For Seniors

Korean Meals on Wheels urgently needs drivers to deliver meals midday on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. Frail older adults are not receiving much-needed nutrition due to a shortage of drivers. Email VolunteerSolutions@FairfaxCounty.gov or call 703-324-5406, TTY 711. (Speaking Korean not required.)



Library Board Nomination

I'm proud to announce that I am re-appointing Karrie Delaney to the Fairfax County Library Board of Trustees. Karrie is a dedicated public servant – having been elected to the City Council in Florida before moving to Fairfax County in 2008. She has also represented Sully District on the Fairfax County Citizen Corps Council. Her professional background in communications is crucially important to the Library Board as it searches for a new Director. Our public libraries are essential assets for Sully District families- and the Chantilly and Centreville branches are two of the most active in the County. With Karrie in leadership on the Library Board, I trust they will remain top-notch institutions for our community.

Fairfax County Library Public Engagement Initiative

The Fairfax County Public Library Board of Trustees has initiated a countywide public engagement initiative. The initiative is designed to obtain comprehensive feedback from residents to determine community needs for library services and a path for the future of Fairfax

County Public Library. The feedback will be the foundation of a new strategic plan for the library.

More information about the public engagement initiative is available on the [library website](#). Two forums are planned this month, and a survey will be available online in the next few weeks.

Forum Details

Tuesday, April 12

7:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.

Chantilly Regional Library

4000 Stringfellow Road, Chantilly

Thursday, April 14

7:30 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.

Kings Park Library

9000 Burke Lake Road, Burke

For more information or to take the survey when it becomes available, please visit <http://www.fairfaxcounty.gov/library/aboutthelibrary/bot-public-engagement-initiative.htm>



Virginia Transportation Projects

Transform 66

The Transform 66 Inside the Beltway Categorical Exclusion (CE) is now available for public review and comment until **April 15, 2016**. The CE may be viewed on the project website at Transform66.org.

The project involves converting I-66 inside the Beltway between I-495 and Rosslyn to variably-priced toll lanes on weekdays between 5:30 a.m. and 9:30 a.m. in the eastbound direction and 3:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m. in the westbound direction to better manage the travel demand in the corridor.

Beginning in 2017, Single Occupancy Vehicles (SOVs) will be allowed to use the lanes during the restricted hours by paying a toll, and vehicles with two or more occupants (HOV-2+) will be able to use the lanes for free. Beginning in 2021, which is consistent with the opening of the express lanes project along I-66 outside the Beltway, both SOVs and vehicles with two occupants (HOV-2) will be required to pay a toll to use the lanes, and HOV-3+ will not be tolled.

Six-Year Improvement Program

The public is invited to share comments on transportation projects that have been scored and recommended for funding through Virginia's new data-driven, prioritization process. This process was used to score nearly 300 transportation projects proposed by localities and regional planning bodies across the state. The scoring is a key part of a new law, referred to as House Bill 2, to invest limited tax dollars in the right transportation projects.


The Commonwealth Transportation Board will consider public comments as it develops the Six-Year Improvement Program (FY 2017-2022). The program allocates public funds to highway, road, bridge, rail, bicycle, pedestrian and public transportation projects. The CTB will select the final list of scored projects to be included in the six-year program following public meetings listed below.

A formal comment period will be held:

Monday, May 2, 2016


Northern Virginia – Northern Virginia District Office, Potomac Room,
4975 Alliance Drive
Fairfax, VA 22030

***Meeting starts at 6 p.m.**





Fun For All Ages

THE FAIRFAX COUNTY POLICE DEPARTMENT






POLICE VEHICLE AND EQUIPMENT DISPLAY
OPEN TO THE PUBLIC

When: Sunday April 10th, 2016
Time: 1pm—4pm
Where: Sully District Police Station (Front Lot)
4900 Stonecroft Boulevard, Chantilly, VA 20151



Parking: The lot will be filled with equipment for all to see. Please park in the post office lot across the street. Shuttle service provided.



To request this information in an alternate format, call the Public Affairs Bureau at 703.246.2233. TTY 703-877-3713

Living Well, Aging Well Summit 2016

Make plans now to attend the Living Well, Aging Well Summit 2016 on Saturday April 16 to learn about the latest in transportation, technology, health and wellness resources in our community.

The free event is from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the Fairfax County Government Center, 12000 Government Center Parkway, Fairfax, Va.

The Summit will feature:

- A **Technology Expo** demonstrating exciting new technologies to make your life easier
- A **Transportation and Mobility Expo** showcasing options for getting where you want to go
- A “**Venture into Volunteering**” Fair offering many community volunteer opportunities
- **Workshops, exhibitors, health and wellness screenings**, and more!

“At this first-of-its-kind summit for Fairfax County, visitors will be able to access timely information about county services and resources aimed at older adults and adults with disabilities,” says Event Chair Dr. Melanie Rochon Bush. “Our mission is to make the Summit a forum for individual and families, community members and industry professionals to explore various aspects of living and aging well.”

Dr. Richard Lindsay, an accomplished leader in the field of geriatric medicine, will deliver the keynote address on the importance of physical activity as it relates to living and aging well. Lindsay is Professor Emeritus of Internal Medicine and Family Medicine at the University of Virginia (UVA) Health Sciences Center and is founder and former Head of the Division of Geriatric Medicine at UVA.

Other workshops will cover topics such as healthy habits, keeping medical records secure, navigating the Medicaid maze, the new age of telehealth and telemedicine, social media and more.

The event is being sponsored by the public-private partnership of the Fairfax Area Long Term Care Coordinating Council, in support of the Fairfax 50-Plus initiative. Government partners include the county departments of Health, Neighborhood and Community Services, and Family Services (Area Agency on Aging). Community partners include AARP, along with various hospitals, business, advocacy and community groups.

To register for this event and to get more information including opportunities to volunteer or be a sponsor, go to <http://www.livingwellfairfax.org/> or call 703-324-7647 TTY 711. Registration will also be available the morning of the event.

For additional questions, email livingwellsummit@gmail.com.



Super Early Bird Tickets are available for Celebrate Fairfax through April 10.

Reserve yours now: <http://celebratefairfax.com/tickets/>

Operation Medicine Cabinet CLEANOUT

Saturday, April 30, 2016

8:00am – 2:00pm

Drop off unused or expired medications at a Fairfax County Police district station
(pills or liquids only, no pressurized canisters or needles).

Disposal is FREE, convenient, confidential and safe.

Safe handling of unused or expired medications:

- Prevents accidental poisoning
 - Prevents drug abuse
 - Protects the environment
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703-938-8723, TTY 711

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