

A message from Kathy Smith

Below you will find information from the Board of Supervisors' meeting that took place on Tuesday, April 9, 2019. The full <u>meeting agenda and board package</u> are available online. You can also watch a <u>video</u> of the meeting online on the county's website.

The Board held the first day of three days of budget public hearings on the <u>FY</u> 2020 Advertised Budget Plan, FY 2020-2024 Advertised Capital Improvement Program, and the <u>FY 2019 Third Quarter Review</u>. The record will remain open until the Board adopts the FY 2020 Budget, tax rate, and budget transfer amount to Fairfax County Public Schools on May 7, 2019. If you are not able to attend a public hearing you can submit your comments/questions to my office at sully@fairfaxcounty.gov.

Sincerely,

Katty

Presentations



The Board **designated** April 2019 as Child Abuse Awareness Month in Fairfax County. Requested by Supervisor Cook.



The Board designated **April 2019 as Sexual Assault Awareness Month** in Fairfax County. Requested by Chairman Bulova.



The Board designated **May 2019 as Asian/Pacific American Heritage Month**in Fairfax County. Requested by Chairman Bulova.

Public Hearings

Public Hearing on Proposed Plan Amendment 2019-CW-1CP, Mobile and Land-Based Telecommunications Policy Plan

Supervisor Kathy Smith made a motion to adopt the proposed Mobile and Land-Based Telecommunications Services Comprehensive Plan text as shown in the proposed amendment dated April 8, 2019. Supervisor Foust seconded the motion. The motion carried by unanimous vote.

On February 19, 2019, the Board of Supervisors authorized Plan Amendment (PA) 2019-CW-1CP to update the Mobile and Land-Based Telecommunications Policy Plan Guidelines and Objectives to address the 2018 Virginia General Assembly House Bill 1258 and Senate Bill 405 and the September 26, 2018 Federal Communications Commission (FCC) Declaratory Ruling and Order, along with other associated changes. The proposed Plan amendment will bring the objectives

of the Public Facilities portion of the Comprehensive Plan's Policy Plan into compliance with state legislation and federal rulemaking, and it will harmonize with a parallel "Zoning for Wireless Telecommunications Infrastructure" zoning ordinance amendment also addressing the new legislation.

The proposed Policy Plan Mobile and Land-Based Telecommunication Services changes include: removing language that is outdated or pre-empted by new Federal rules and State legislation; adding or updating existing language regarding design and/or location of wireless facilities; and expanding types of wireless facilities to be considered for administrative review as a "feature shown" of the Comprehensive Plan. Planning staff does recommend this item for Plan Amendment. To view the staff report, <u>click here</u>.

Public Hearing on a Proposed Zoning Ordinance Amendment Re: Zoning for Wireless Telecommunications Infrastructure

Supervisor Kathy Smith made a motion to adopt the proposed Zoning for Wireless Telecommunications Infrastructure Zoning Ordinance Amendment as dated April 8, 2019, with an effective date of April 10, 2019, at 12:01 a.m. Supervisor Foust seconded the motion. The motion carried by unanimous vote.

The proposed Zoning Ordinance amendment is in response to 2018 legislation on wireless telecommunications infrastructure and the September 26, 2018, Declaratory Ruling and Order adopted by the Federal Communications Commission (FCC Ruling). To view the staff report, <u>click here</u>.