

Next HHVCA Meeting: TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 19 7:15 PM

Hollin Hall Senior Center 1500 Shenandoah Rd., 2nd Floor

Agenda:

- 1. Welcome
- 2. County presentation on Paul Springs
- 3. Committee Reports
- 4. Elections
- 5. New Business
- 6. Cookies, coffee and conversation

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ANNUAL MEETING ON NOVEMBER 19



Your attendance is vital

A quorum is needed to hold the election and address the budget

On the Agenda

Election for Board of Director positions

The Association's by-laws require Board elections every two years. Accordingly, we will hold the next election at the November meeting. The by-laws impose term limits, so all five positions are up for election. Nominees are currently under consideration and we could really benefit from additional neighbor participation.

HHVCA's purpose is to promote our neighborhood's wellbeing and protect HHV from initiatives that do not serve our interests. The Board's role is to provide a critical link between HHV neighbors and others individuals, groups and local government - in pursuit of matters affecting HHV. Job descriptions for the positions can be found on the HHVCA website, or you can contact one of the current directors for info.

Paul Spring Restoration Project

Fairfax County's Stormwater Planning Department has notified HHVCA of its plan for Paul Springs Stream restoration. They are in the earliest stages of the project, performing initial scoping of the project area to assess the potential benefits. In addition, they will be reaching out to property owners in the proposed project area to gauge their interest in granting the easements necessary for implementation of the project.

The Stormwater staff will be at our November meeting to present and discuss the proposed project.

HHVCA COMMITTEES

Our neighborhood is ably served by Committees focusing on specific areas. If you have a question or are interested in participating, please reach out to Committee Chairs:

Planning/Zoning: **Don Martin** Environment: **Dorothy Keough** Education: **Karen Hertel** Public Safety: **Leslie Atkinson** Transportation: **Gary Drane** Budget/Finance: Vacant Neighborhood Watch: **Jennifer Knapp**

ONE WARM COAT DRIVE

Margaret Keagle is continuing her giving holiday tradition of collecting warm winter coats for those in need. Since United Communities is not accepting the coats anymore, Margaret will donate the coats to **The Neighborhood Health Clinic** on Rt. 1 which will distribute the coats to their patients. They are especially looking for coats for children 6 and under and coats for women – teenage and older.

If you can help out, contact Margaret at 571-332-5264 or by email at Margaret@ TKSRealEstatePartners.com

NEIGHBORHOOD WATCH

As a reminder, every holiday season there seems to be an uptick in criminal activity in HHV and surrounding neighborhoods involving stolen packages, car break-ins and vehicles being rummaged through. And most crime is due to unlocked car doors and lack of house lights.

Please try to remember to lock your doors, keep your front AND back lights on all night and be on the lookout for suspicious activity. Fairfax County Police ask that we call their nonemergency number if you see anything suspicious or have been subject to one of these incidents.

> Non-Emergency Police Number: 703-691-2131

(save it to your phone)

You can also file a report here: https://www.fairfaxcounty.gov/police/ howdoi/ citizensreportingsystem

ENVIRONMENTAL EXPO

Supervisor **Dan Storck**'s office is holding its 2nd Annual Mount Vernon District Environment Expo on Saturday, November 16, from 8 am - noon at Walt Whitman Middle School.

This event will educate and inform residents on environmental challenges they face on a daily basis, including those unique to the Mount Vernon area, given our proximity to the Potomac River and the many industrial facilities nearby. Attendees will leave the Expo with simple actions you can take to make an impact on climate change!

Leaves and temperatures are falling, but home prices are NOT.

Our little village is a hot spot!



If you're considering a move, now is a great time to start a conversation. Call me for a free consultation, I'll buy the coffee. I've lived here for over twenty years and have sold 24 homes in our village in just the past 5 years. Let me do the same for you!

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