



Frederick County, Maryland County Council Meeting Workshop

Tuesday, January 14, 2025 – 5:30 p.m.

AGENDA

- I. **Call to Order**
- II. **Moment of Silence and Pledge of Allegiance**
- III. **Quorum Call**
- IV. **[2025 Maryland Department of Transportation Priority Letter](#)** – Mark Mishler, Supervisor,
Transportation Engineering, Division of Planning & Permitting
(Council Decision)

[PowerPoint Presentation](#) Presentation added 1/9/2025 at 5:30 p.m.
- V. **[Proposed Bill – Disabled Veterans Property Tax Credit](#)** - Victoria Venable, Director, Government
Relations, County Executive's Office, and Diane Fox, Director, Department of Treasury, Division of
Finance
(Council Information)
- VI. **[Maryland Piedmont Reliability Project \(MPRP\) Update](#)** – John Peterson, Chief Administrative
Officer, Office of the County Executive
(Council Information)
- VII. **[Council Resolution Opposition to the Maryland Piedmont Reliability Project \(MPRP\)](#)** – Council
Member Steve McKay Link added 1/8/2025 at 1:25 p.m.
(Council Information)

BREAK AND RECONVENE AT 7:00 P.M.

- VIII. **Second Reading Calendar:**

- a) **Public Hearing Continuation on the 2024 Middletown Comprehensive Plan Reconciliation** – Kim Gaines, Division of Planning and Permitting
(Council Information)

PowerPoint Presentation

Members of the public will be given three (3) minutes to provide comments.

- b) **Public Hearing Continuation on the 2024 Myersville Comprehensive Plan Reconciliation** – Kim Gaines, Division of Planning and Permitting
(Council Information)

PowerPoint Presentation

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- c) **Public Hearing Continuation on the 2024 Water Resources Element** – Kim Gaines, Division of Planning and Permitting

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- IX. **Public Comments** - ***Members of the public will be given three (3) minutes to provide comments.***
*Public comments will be accepted via email on the Council's public portal, FrederickCountyMD.gov/CouncilMeetings, or by calling toll-free 855- 925- 2801, entering meeting code 8365, pressing *2 to leave a voicemail message or pressing *3 to enter a muted queue for live public comment during the meeting. Written comments will be included in the Council record and minutes.*

X. **Upcoming Meetings**

- Tuesday, January 21, 2025 – Legislative Day
- Tuesday, January 28, 2025 - Workshop

XI. **Adjourn**

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