

## **PUBLIC MEETING MINUTES FOR TUESDAY, MAY 4, 2010**

A public meeting of the Board of County Commissioners of Frederick County, Maryland, ("Board") for Tuesday, May 4, 2010, was called to order at 6:00 p.m. in the auditorium at Middletown High School by Commissioner Jan Gardner, *President*. Present were Commissioners David Gray, *Vice President*; Kai Hagen, John L. Thompson, Jr. and Blaine Young. Also in attendance were Ron Hart, County Manager and Patti Morrow, Recording Secretary.

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The meeting began with the recitation of the Pledge of Allegiance.

### **PUBLIC HEARINGS**

- **Constant Yield Property Tax Rate**
- **Proposed Ordinance to Allow the Transfer of Certain Recordation Tax Revenues into Frederick Government's General Fund for Fiscal Year**
- **Recommended/Proposed FY 2011 Operating Budgets (Including the Frederick County Board of Education) – Commissioner Jan Gardner, President, Board of County Commissioners and Mike Gastley, Frederick County Finance Division**

A public hearing was held, as duly advertised, on the proposed constant yield property tax rate; parks recordation tax transfer and the FY 2011 operating budget including the Frederick County Board of Education (BOE).

Mr. Gastley delivered a PowerPoint presentation on the issues.

Mr. Gastley stated the adoption of the constant yield property tax rate ordinance and the parks recordation transfer would be scheduled for Tuesday, May 18, 2010. The adoption of the FY 2011 operating budget would be scheduled for Tuesday, June 1, 2010.

Public comment was heard from:

- Betsy Little
- Tom Viall
- Gary Brennan, Frederick County Teachers Association
- Missy Dirks
- Dr. Carol Eaton, President, Frederick Community College
- Bryan Grayson, Board of Trustees, Frederick Community College
- Heidi Campbell-Shoaf, Frederick County Historical Society

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- Karen Blackwood
- Matthew Gabb
- Patty Madert
- Elizabeth Paul
- Lorrell Angeley
- Rosemary Watson
- Georgeann Jackson
- Katie Byrum
- Norm Craig
- Daphne Gabb, President, PTA Council of Frederick County
- Stephanie Miller
- Dr. Linda Burgee, Superintendent, Frederick County Public Schools
- Matthew Carlstrom
- Ed Gabb
- Sean Byrne
- Ken Kerr
- Monica Jarc
- Michael Catoe
- Kevin Conley
- Agnesanne Danehey
- Isabel Geister
- Kat Hanberry
- Jim Lehmann
- John Ford
- Glenn Blanchard
- Robin Winkler-Pickett
- Kathleen Carmack
- Janice Spiegel
- Annette Royster
- Mark Kreslins
- Cathy Dewitt-Zahn
- Stephanie Reamy
- Robert Condon
- Deanna Howard
- Sharon Burtman
- Debra Raba
- MC Keegin-Ayer
- Rachel Braunstein
- Scott Guthner
- Hannah and Dani Ebb
- Gail Griffin
- Guyan Sampson
- Omari Patterson

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- Kristin Bunow
- Elizabeth Smith
- Kelly Delarmeter

**PUBLIC COMMENTS AND/OR REQUESTS**

None.

**ADJOURN**

The meeting adjourned at 9:05 p.m.

Patricia A. Morrow  
Recording Secretary