



**FISCAL YEAR 2021
OPERATING BUDGET CALENDAR
FREDERICK COUNTY**

<u>DATE</u>	<u>ACTION</u>
October 7, 2019	Budget instructions released to departments
October 25, 2019	Budgets must be promoted to Budget Office in Qwestica
November 15, 2019	Base Budget Change Requests promoted to Budget Office in Qwestica
December 16, 2019	County Executive's Public Hearing – Winchester Hall 1st Fl Hearing Rm, Receive proposals for inclusion in the FY2021 Operating Budget
January 15, 2020	Appeal Budget Requests due to Budget Office
February 21, 2020	Operating Budgets Requested from BOE, FCC, FCPL
March 23, 2020	County Executive's Public Hearing on Draft Operating Budget
April 15, 2020	County Executive presents Proposed Budget to County Council
April/May 2020*	County Council's Public Hearing on the Proposed FY2021 Operating Budget and Constant Yield Property Tax Rate
April/May 2020*	County Council – Finalize the Operating Budget
May 2020*	County Council Adopts the FY2021 Operating Budget
May 2020*	County Council Adopts the FY2021 Property Tax Rate

* Please refer to the County Council Agenda/Calendar for more information on the times and dates