

# FREDERICK COUNTY COUNCIL NEWSLETTER



## Recently Passed Legislation

Bill 24-10 - New Design Criteria for Commercial Solar Facilities in the Agricultural Zoning District, passed by 7-0 vote.

Bill 24-08 - Establishing a Community Reinvestment and Repair Fund, passed by 7-0 vote.

Bill 24-07 - Updates the Definitions of Bodywork and Adds New Approval Criteria, passed by 7-0 vote.

*Bill 24-09 has been withdrawn from consideration.*

Pictured left to right:

Steve McKay (District 2),

Council President Brad Young (At Large),

Renee Knapp (At Large),

MC Keegan-Ayer (District 3),

Council Vice President Kavonté Duckett (District 4),

Mason Carter (District 5),

Jerry Donald (District 1).

## On the Council's Calendar:

The Council is currently on summer recess. There will be **no Council meetings** on August 6 or August 13. We will resume our regular meetings on August 20.

**August 20, 5:30pm:** Workshop on the Extension of Ordinance 22-06-006 (Pandemic Ordinance)

**August 27, 7pm:** Public hearing for Bill 24-11 - Establishing a Historic Preservation Tax Credit

**August 27, 7pm:** Public hearing for Bill 24-12 - Growth Moratorium

**August 29, 6pm:** Frederick County Board of Health Meeting at Winchester Hall

## National Night Out 2024

The City of Frederick, the Frederick Police Department, and the Frederick County Sheriff's Department are excited to announce their participation in the Annual National Night Out event on Tuesday, August 6, 2024. This nationwide initiative brings communities together to strengthen police-community partnerships, raise awareness about crime prevention, and foster neighborhood camaraderie.

### Event Details

**Date:** Tuesday, August 6, 2024

**Time:** 5:00 PM - 7:30 PM

**Please join the Frederick Police Department at these Locations:**

Hill Street Park (100 Hill Street)

Carrollton Park (455 Center Street)

Mullinix Park (16 South Bentz Street)

**The Frederick County Sheriff's Department invites you to celebrate at:**

Ballenger Creek Park (5420 Ballenger Creek Pike)

Residents are invited to join for an evening of family-friendly activities, including free food and refreshments, exciting giveaways, police demonstrations, fire truck displays, live music, and interactive community booths.

## **Important information from the Council:**

The County Council has received several inquiries from concerned residents regarding the Maryland Piedmont Reliability Project and the impact it may have on the community. Recently the Council became aware of a proposed large-scale power line project and has been reviewing the details alongside with the public.

As this project moves through the process the Council will closely follow and monitor this state project. We also strongly encourage the public to diligently review and participate in the process.

### **The following links offer additional information about the project:**

Click this link to submit public comment about the proposed alignment:

<https://experience.arcgis.com/experience/1f1de68988cb440a823127713bd33286>

Click this link for website: [Maryland Piedmont Reliability Project \(pseg.com\)](http://MarylandPiedmontReliabilityProject.pseg.com)

Project Hotline for news and updates: [833-451-MPRP \(6777\)](tel:833-451-MPRP).

Outreach team for questions and comments: [pseg-mprp@pseg.com](mailto:pseg-mprp@pseg.com)

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