



Howard County Council

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Minutes (Approved)
Operating Budget Public Hearing
May 2, 2017, 7:00 p.m.
Banneker Room

Members Present: Jon Weinstein, Council Chairperson; Calvin Ball, Vice Chairperson; Mary Kay Sigaty, Council Member; and Jennifer Terrasa, Council Member. Member Absent: Greg Fox.

Staff Present: Jessica Feldmark, Administrator; Theo Wimberly, Legislative Analyst; and Kel Habicht, Administrative Support.

- I. Call to order at 7:04 p.m.
- II. Pledge of Allegiance led by Boy Scout Troop 601 Columbia Academy and Boy Scout Troop 307 Catonsville.
- III. Testimony on the Proposed FY2018 Operating Budget for all departments except education.
 - A. Hector Garcia, Executive Director, FIRN - 5999 Harpers Farm Road, Columbia, MD
 - B. Anthony Colon, Chairman, Board of Directors, FIRN - 5999 Harpers Farm Road, Columbia, MD
 - C. Sarah Choi, Immigration Attorney, FIRN - 5999 Harpers Farm Road, Columbia, MD
 - D. Asomaning Appiah
 - E. Coleen West, Executive Director, Howard County Arts Council - 8510 High Ridge Road, Ellicott City, MD
 - F. Robin Holliday

- G. Lisa Schuster
 - H. Katherine Keefe - 5413 Jerseybelle Court, Ellicott City, MD
 - I. Richard Cole, Director of Client Services, Laurel Advocacy and Referral Services
 - J. Ayesha Holmes, Executive Director, Grassroots Crisis Intervention Center - 6700 Freetown Road, Columbia, MD
 - K. Mary Lasky, President, Board of Directors, Grassroots Crisis Intervention Center - 6700 Freetown Road, Columbia, MD
 - L. Lori Lilly, Executive Director, Howard EcoWorks - 10520 Old Frederick Road, Woodstock, MD
 - M. Sabrina Fu - 9817 Madelaine Court, Ellicott City, MD
 - N. Catherine Rice - 4209 Pulitzer Circle, Ellicott City, MD
 - O. Bita Dayhoff, President, Community Action Council Of Howard County
 - P. TJ Dillard, President, Lakeside Dockside HOA
 - Q. Radhika Wijetunge - 12800 Linden Church Road, Clarksville, MD
 - R. Jennifer Pollitt Hill, Executive Director, Hopeworks
 - S. Anthony Cordo, Executive Director, Howard County Tourism Council
 - T. Blake Fetrow, Managing Attorney, Maryland Legal Aid - 3451 Court House Drive, Ellicott City, MD
 - U. Ann Heavner, Executive Director, Rebuilding Together Howard County
 - V. Grace Kubofcik, President, Patapsco Heritage Greenway - 4801 Carman Drive, Ellicott City, MD
 - W. Sheila Robinson - 9430 Wandering Way, Columbia, MD
- IV. Adjourned: 8:48 p.m.