



# Howard County Council

George Howard Building  
3430 Court House Drive  
Ellicott City, Maryland 21043-4392

## COUNCILMEMBERS

Jennifer Terrasa, Chairperson  
District 3  
Mary Kay Sigaty, Vice Chairperson  
District 4  
Courtney Watson  
District 1  
Calvin Ball  
District 2  
Greg Fox  
District 5

## Operating Budget Hearing Minutes (unapproved) April 29, 2013

**Members present:** Jennifer Terrasa, Council Chairperson; Mary Kay Sigaty, Vice Chairperson; Calvin Ball, Council Member; Greg Fox, Council Member; and Courtney Watson, Council Member.  
**Staff Present:** Sheila Tolliver, Administrator; Jeff Meyers, Legislative Assistant; Rozonna Hightower, Administrative Aide; Craig Glendenning, County Auditor.

Meeting called to Order at 7:35 p.m.

- I. Public Hearing - FY 2014 Budgets - April 29, 2013 in the Banneker Room of the George Howard Building, 3430 Court House Drive, Ellicott Cite, MD 21043 at 7:30 pm
  - A. Approve Minutes - Budget Worksession April 18, 2013 and April 23, 2013  
*Jen Terrasa, Chairperson moved to approve Meeting Minutes, seconded by Mary Kay Sigaty, Vice Chairperson.*  
***The motion carried as follows***  
AYES: Jen Terrasa, Council Chairperson, Mary Kay Sigaty, Council Vice Chairperson; Calvin Ball, Council Member; Greg Fox, Council Member; and Courtney Watson, Council Member
  - B. Approve Minutes - Closed Meeting, March 28, 2013  
*Jen Terrasa, Chairperson moved to approve Meeting Minutes, seconded by Mary Kay Sigaty, Vice Chairperson.*  
***The motion carried as follows***  
AYES: Jen Terrasa, Council Chairperson, Mary Kay Sigaty, Council Vice Chairperson; Calvin Ball, Council Member; Greg Fox, Council Member; and Courtney Watson, Council Member
  - C. Capital and Operating Budgets for Howard Community College

1. Dr. Kate Hetherington - President Howard Community College
2. Chris Gunther - 9545 Long Look Lane, Columbia Md.
3. Kevin Doyle - Chair, Board of Trustees Howard Community College

D. Capital and Operating Budgets for Howard Library

1. Valerie Gross - President & CEO Howard County Library
2. Richard Alexander - Chair/HC Library, Board of Trustees
3. Rose Pesce-Rodriguez - 6327 Loudon Avenue, Elkridge, 21075
4. Mitsuki Ota - 7th Grade Student/Columbia Academy

C. Capital and Operating Budgets for the Board of Education

1. Frank Aquino - Chairman/Board of Education
2. Dr. Renee Foose - Superintendent/HCPSS
3. Howard Johnson - Greater Elkridge Community Association, 6241 Latchlift Court, Elkridge 21075

D. Operating Budgets all other departments; and other topics:

1. Brad Closs - Director/NeighborRide, 5570 Sterrett Place, Columbia 21045
2. Coleen West - Executive Director/HC Arts Council, 8510 High Ridge Road, Ellicott City 21043
3. Debbie Ellinghaus - Commisison for Downtown Arts in Culture, Fulton
4. Ian Kennedy - Downtown Arts in Culture Commission - 6174 Clearsmoke Court, Columbia
5. Michael McCall - 11619 Lakewater Lane, Columbia
6. Jim McMillian - 13583 Jillian Manor Lane, West Friendship
7. Jill Bussey - President Board of Directors/FIRN
8. Alexis Downs on behalf of Pedro Reyes- Immigration Counselor/FIRN
9. Shin E. Lew - 7035 Ivoryhand Place, Columbia
10. Rachelina Bonnaci - CEO/Howard County Tourism
11. Risa Garon - National Family Resiliency Center - 102632 Little Patuxent Pkwy, Columbia
12. Max Wiggins - Peer Counselor/Family Resiliency Center
13. Dorothy Plantz -representing ARC of Howard County
14. Blake Fetrow - Chief Attorney/MD Legal Aid Bureau - Community Services Partnership
15. Bill Moss - Executive Director/The Linwood Center
16. John Slater - President/PataspcO Heritage Greenway
17. Andrea Ingram - representing Grassroots
18. Alexis Flanningan - Assistor Director/Domestic Violence Center

E. Adjourned at 9:38p.m.

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