



COUNTY COUNCIL FOR MONTGOMERY COUNTY, MARYLAND

APPROVED

Monday, January 13, 2020

The County Council for Montgomery County, Maryland convened in the 4th floor Capital Crescent Trail Room, Stella B. Werner Council Office Building, Rockville, Maryland, at 9:20 A.M. on Monday, January 13, 2020.

PRESENT

Councilmember Sidney Katz, President	Councilmember Tom Hucker, Vice President
Councilmember Gabe Alborno	Councilmember Andrew Friedson
Councilmember Evan Glass	Councilmember Will Jawando
Councilmember Nancy Navarro, President	Councilmember Craig Rice
Councilmember Hans Riemer	

The President in the Chair.

SUBJECT: Council Retreat

Discussed various administrative issues, including the Council's calendar for 2020, Council and County Executive appointments, and Town Halls in 2020. Discussed and requested staff follow-up on updates to committee appointments for the Maryland Association of Counties and the Metropolitan Washington Council of Governments. Considered need for additional staff/resources in the Council offices. Reviewed processes for the operating budget, communications office rules of engagement, and the Office of Legislative Oversight workplan. Discussed outstanding appointments for the Workforce Development Board and the impacts of failing to recruit new Board members. Discussed roles and responsibilities of Central staff, and the Racial Equity and Social Justice policy. Considered potential Charter amendments, received a summary about the Kirwin Commission Report, and discussed Open Meetings law.

The meeting adjourned at 4:00 P.M.

Staff present: Marlene Michaelson, Glenn Orlin, Bob Drummer, Sonya Healy, Lisa Mandel-Trupp, Roland Ikheloa, Sharon Ledner, David Kunes, Joy Nurmi, Ken Silverman, Cindy Gibson, Valeria Carranza, Craig Howard, Gene Smith, Chris Cihlar, Selena Mendy Singleton.

This is a correct copy of Council action.

Approved/Signed by Clerk of the Council

Selena Mendy Singleton, Esq.
Clerk of the Council