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Montgomery County Board Vacancies

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County Executive Marc Elrich is committed to representation on all of the County's boards, committees, and commissions that is reflective of, and responsive to, our County's residents. Public participation contributes to the work of County government and provides an important service to the community when a variety of issues, concerns, and viewpoints are presented.

You may access information regarding boards, committees, and commissions, including [application instructions here](#). Please carefully read application instructions on that page. Then select **View and Apply for Vacancies** for all currently posted notices. Currently, there is a valuable opportunity to serve on the following:

- [Agricultural Advisory Committee](#)
- [Bethesda Urban Partnership, Inc. Board of Directors](#)

The application deadline is April 26, 2023.

Please share this notice with anyone who may be interested.

Applicants of diverse backgrounds, professions, genders, geography, disabilities, ethnicities, and ages are encouraged to apply. Members of County boards, committees, and commissions may not serve on more than one such group at a time. The County Executive's appointments are generally subject to confirmation by the County Council. Members must complete training on the Maryland Open Meetings Act, Montgomery County Ethics Law, and basic parliamentary procedure. Members are eligible for reimbursement for travel and dependent care for in-person meetings attended. County boards, committees, and commissions may meet virtually by video and/or teleconference.

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Elrich Seeks Applicants for Agricultural Advisory Committee

County Executive Marc Elrich is seeking applicants to fill 15 vacancies on the Agricultural Advisory Committee for 12 bona fide farmers selected to represent the total farm community, and reflect a variety of farm sizes, geographical locations, and agricultural projects. Six farmer incumbents and three non-farmer incumbents are eligible to apply for reappointment.

The 15-member committee advises the County Executive and County Council on all matters affecting agriculture in the County. Membership includes farmers, non-farmers, and at least one farm economist and one conservationist.

Farmer representatives serve three-year terms and non-farmer members serve one-year terms. Members serve without compensation, but are eligible for reimbursement for travel and dependent care for in-person meetings attended. Meetings are currently held virtually by video- and teleconference on the third Tuesday evening of each month. When in-person meetings resume in the future, the Committee will meet in Germantown.

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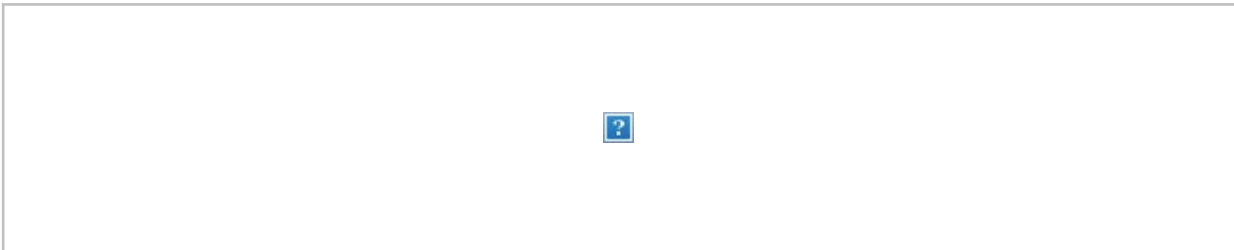
Elrich Seeks Applicants for Bethesda Urban Partnership, Inc. Board of Directors

County Executive Marc Elrich is seeking applicants to fill one vacancy on the Bethesda Urban Partnership, Inc. Board of Directors, for an owner, partner, proprietor, or corporate officer of a small business. Applications recently submitted will be considered and it is not necessary to apply again.

The Bethesda Urban Partnership is responsible for the maintenance of streetscape and streetscape amenities, the promotion and organization of promotional activities, the Bethesda Arts and Entertainment District, management of the transportation management district, and other similar activities. The 11-member Board of Directors oversees all aspects of the urban district program and links the community in the provision of urban district services. Membership includes the following: two members nominated by the Bethesda-Chevy Chase Chamber of Commerce; three members who are, or represent, owners of an optional method development; one member who is an owner, partner, proprietor, or corporate officer of a small business; one member who resides in a residential community within the Bethesda-Chevy Chase planning area and is nominated by the Western Montgomery County Citizens Advisory Board; and one member who is a resident member of the Western Montgomery County Citizens Advisory Board and is recommended by the board; one residential representative from an adjacent neighborhood; one residential representative who lives within the Urban District; and one ex-officio, non-voting County Executive representative.

Members serve three-year terms without compensation, but are eligible for reimbursement for travel and dependent care for in-person meetings attended. The Board currently meets in person in Bethesda (with a virtual option) the third Tuesday of every month at 8:00 am, except for August and December.

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