

AGENDA ITEM #3F  
May 5, 2009

**Appointment**

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April 30, 2009

TO: County Council  
FROM: Justina J. Ferber, Legislative Analyst  
SUBJECT: Appointment – Down County Recreation Advisory Board

The County Executive's appointment to the Down County Recreation Advisory Board is before the Council for confirmation.

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OFFICE OF THE COUNTY EXECUTIVE  
ROCKVILLE, MARYLAND 20850

Isiah Leggett  
*County Executive*

## APPOINTMENT

PURSUANT TO THE AUTHORITY VESTED TO ME UNDER SECTION 215 OF THE CHARTER OF MONTGOMERY COUNTY, MARYLAND, I HEREBY APPOINT

Michael P. Sandner  
6413 Rock Spring Drive, Apt. 103  
Bethesda 20817 7/2011  
(Replaces David Magill's expired term)

TO SERVE AS a member of the Down County Recreation Advisory Board

THIS APPOINTMENT SHALL BE EFFECTIVE UPON CONFIRMATION BY THE COUNCIL FOR MONTGOMERY COUNTY, MARYLAND

ISIAH LEGGTT  
COUNTY EXECUTIVE

April 22, 2009

DATE

Resolution No.: \_\_\_\_\_  
Introduced: \_\_\_\_\_  
Adopted: \_\_\_\_\_

COUNTY COUNCIL  
FOR MONTGOMERY COUNTY, MARYLAND

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By: County Council

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Subject: County Executive's Appointment to the Down County Recreation Advisory Board

The County Council for Montgomery County, Maryland approves the following resolution:

The County Executive's appointment to the Down County Recreation Advisory Board is confirmed.

Michael P. Sandner  
6413 Rock Spring Drive, Apt. 103  
Bethesda 20817 7/2011  
(Replaces David Magill's expired term)

This is a correct copy of Council action.

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Linda M. Lauer, Clerk of the Council

## RECREATION ADVISORY BOARDS

**Created:** Montgomery County Code – Section 41-21 thru 30. Exec. Order 239-01 expands the Recreation District to five areas to coincide with the Regional Service Centers. Bill No. 32-01 changes the composition and duties of the County-wide and regional recreation advisory boards.

**Purpose:** Advisory to the County Executive, the County Council, the Director of the Department of Recreation, and the Planning Board. The Boards shall encourage the development of desirable recreational and park opportunities in the designated recreation areas of the County.

### Membership

**Areas:** There are five area boards: East County, Mid-County, Silver Spring, Upcounty, and Western Area. Each of the five regional boards shall have 9 members who reside in the designated recreation area. Each area board shall have 2 alternates.

**County-Wide:** 20 voting members, including 1 representative of each of the 5 region advisory boards and 15 members appointed from the county at-large.  
7 non-voting ex-officio members—a representative of the Dept. of Parks of the M-NCPPC, an administrative representative of the Board of Education, and representatives from the Office of Community Use of Schools, Community Action Board, Commission on People with Disabilities, and the immediate past Board Chair (unless serving on the Board in another capacity). 27 total members.

**Financial Disclosure:** Not required.

**Terms:** Three year terms – no compensation.

**Meetings/ Staff**

**County-wide** – 1<sup>st</sup> Monday of each month at 7:00 p.m., (no mtgs in July and August;) 2<sup>nd</sup> Monday in Sept. due to Labor Day holiday, 4010 Randolph Road  
Kathleen Grapski, 240-777-6812

**Down County** – 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday of each month at 7:30 p.m., Potomac Comm. Center  
Joy Peters, 240-777-6905

**East County** – 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday of each month at 7:00 p.m., Fairland Community Ctr.,  
14906 Old Columbia Pike, Burtonsville  
Terry Blount-Williams 240-777-4985, Trudy Bastien, 240-777-4983

**Mid-County** – 1<sup>st</sup> Thursday of each month at 7:00 p.m., 4010 Randolph Rd  
Mark Lilley 240-777-4938, Joyce Lakatos, 240-777-4932

**Upcounty** – 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday of each month at 7:00 p.m., Upcounty Reg. Center  
Sandra Kaiser, 240-777-6942

**DOWN COUNTY RECREATION ADVISORY BOARD**

**(was Western Area and Silver Spring until 10/08)**

**(9 members & 2 alternates)**

**(Staff: Joy Peters)**

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|--|------------------------|--|--------|
| Berg-Cross, Linda<br>13 Atwell Court<br>Potomac 20854<br>(first term)                            | 7/2010                 | Magill, David<br>12212 Hickory Wood Court<br>Potomac 20854<br>(second term)                | 7/2008 |
| Ganji, Bijan<br>10730 Normandy Farm Drive<br>Potomac 20854<br>(moved from Alternate #1 in 10/08) | 7/2009                 | Moore, Tchad J.<br>9910 Markham Street<br>Silver Spring 20901<br>(partial term since 3/09) | 7/2009 |
| Gans, Robert E.<br>8213 Lochinver Lane<br>Potomac 20854<br>(first term)                          | 7/2011                 | Rafey, Joy Shindler<br>8909 Mohawk Lane<br>Bethesda 20817<br>(first term)                  | 7/2011 |
| Goldberg, Patricia N.<br>8512 Atwell Road<br>Potomac 20854<br>(first term)                       | 7/2011                 | Thompson, Bette C.<br>7707 Scotland Drive<br>Potomac 20854<br>(second term)                | 7/2008 |
| Hirst, Fritz<br>7502 Wyndale Road<br>Chevy Chase 20815<br>(second term)                          | <b>CHAIR</b><br>7/2010 |  |        |

**Alternates**

**Alternate #1**

Pechilis, John D.  
7512 Holiday Terrace  
Bethesda 20817  
(first term) 7/2011

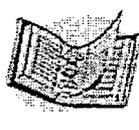
**Alternate #2**



Policy and Procedures



List of Boards, Committees and Commissions



Meeting Calendar



Vacancy Notices



Council Policy Regarding Appointments

Vacancy Announcements

**Release ID:** 08-147

**Media Contact:** Beth Gochrach, 240.777.2528

**For Immediate Release:** 11/21/2008

**Application Deadline:** 12/12/2008

**Leggett Seeks Applicants for Recreation Advisory Boards**

County Executive Isiah Leggett is seeking applicants to fill vacancies on the following Recreation Advisory Boards: County-wide, Down County, East County, Mid-County, and Upcounty. The county-wide and regional recreation boards advise the County Executive, County Council, the director of the Department of Recreation and the Planning Board on regional recreation needs, encourage the development of desirable parks and recreational opportunities, and advise and make recommendations to appropriate officials on matters concerning budgets, recreation programs, services, and facilities.

Membership on the regional boards includes nine regular members and two alternates. Members must reside in one of the five regions of Montgomery County. Residents who live within the city limits of Rockville, Gaithersburg or Washington Grove are not eligible for appointment. Members serve three-year terms without compensation. Meetings are usually held once a month in the evening in the respective geographic areas. To determine the region in which you reside or for specific information on regional board meetings, please call 240-777-2528.

Applicants of diverse backgrounds, professions, gender, geography, disability and ethnicity are encouraged to apply, and should write by December 12 to County Executive Isiah Leggett at the Executive Office Building, 101 Monroe Street, Rockville, MD 20850 or send an e-mail to [CountyExecutive.Boards@montgomerycountymd.gov](mailto:CountyExecutive.Boards@montgomerycountymd.gov). A brief resume, including home and work telephone numbers, should be included.

Members of County boards, committees and commissions may not serve on more than one such group at a time. Members of this Board are eligible for reimbursement for travel and dependent care for meetings attended. Leggett's appointments are subject to confirmation by the County Council. Applications of those selected for appointment are made public as part of the confirmation process.

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