

Montgomery County, MD  
COUNTYWIDE RECREATION AND PARKS ADVISORY BOARD MEETING

Monday, September 14, 2020 at 6:30 p.m.  
Virtual Meeting via Zoom

6:30 Welcome and Announcements – Chair

Review of Agenda  
Review and approval of June minutes  
Board vacancies/term expirations

6:40 Reports

Officers and Committee Reports

Ex Officio Reports

Community Use of Public Facilities – Rod Vital  
Commission on Aging – Stephanie Edelstein  
Community Action Board – \_\_\_\_\_  
Montgomery County Public Schools – Jeffrey Sullivan  
Commission on People with Disabilities – Benjamin DuGoff

6:50 Recreation Report - Robin Riley

7:00 Parks Report - John Nissell

7:10 Board Discussion

1. With the current COVID opening schedule/restrictions how do you think the Recreation and Parks Departments can better serve our constituents from a programmatic standpoint?
2. What is your vision for the Board and how can it's members better serve the community as a whole? What do you see as your role and purpose in serving on this board?
3. How do you think the COVID Pandemic will affect our Parks, programs and facilities long term and how can this Board assist in messaging out our vision for the future? Do you have ties to specific organizations, media or community groups with which you could share information?
4. Given the economic crisis created by the pandemic, we are experiencing operating and CIP budget cuts --funding gaps which could be for an extended period of time. How can you as a Board member help us in reaching out to both our elected officials and constituents to support our budget needs? Do you have a relationship with certain elected officials? Are there community groups that you could reach out to for support of our budget needs?
5. Please list some way you as a Board member could better advocate for Our Recreation and Parks programs, services, facilities and Park amenities.

6. How do you utilize the services of both the Recreation and Parks Departments? Do you take part in programs, classes, or events, or access certain facilities on a regular basis? On a scale of 1 through 10 what value do you place on our Parks, facilities, programs and services?

7:50 Plans for 2020-2021 Board Year Meetings

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