



UPCOUNTY CITIZENS ADVISORY BOARD

Meeting Summary
December 20, 2021

The meeting was called to order by Chairperson Paul Klee. Roll call was done by Wayne Jacas.

November meeting minutes were approved by the Board.

Regional Director's Report – Clarksburg townhall on car burglaries, workforce development moving into the regional office.

County Council Report – No report (no attendance from Council office)

Police Report – No Report from District 1 or District 5. District 6, Lt. Dan Helton; violent crime is up; a lot of guns are on the streets now and are mostly ghost guns; 32 confirmed homicide in the county; lack of cooperation from witnesses.

Discussion – “I-270 Corridor”

Guests: Jeff Folden, Director, MDOT, I-495, I-270 P3 Office, provided presentation of P3. Peak traffic up 10% above pre-pandemic (for a copy of the presentation, contact the regional office upcounty.citizen@montgomerycountymd.gov)

Chairperson's Report – No report

Committee/Liaison Reports –

Land Use Committee– Amanda Hunt-Franklin status on White's Ferry which is still not settled; VA had a public hearing;

Quality of Life Committee– Andrew Saundry Recapped meeting on county's diversity, equity, and inclusion approved letter on existing staff workload and increase efficiencies.

Dickerson Facilities Implementation Group – Kraig gave update on Dickerson facilities.

Permitting Services Advisory Committee – No report from Wayne Jacas

Shady Grove Sector Plan Advisory Group – No report from Steven Augustino

Community Concerns – Carmen raised concerns about a senior development in the area. This issue will be sent to Amanda Hunt-Franklin for the Land Use committee to possibly incorporate into a future discussion.

The meeting was adjourned.

Attendance: Matilda Adu, Steve Augustino, Susan Baldeh, Christel Bivens, Hassan Dixon, Yamil Hernandez, Amanda Hunt Franklin, Mary Hoel, Wayne Jacas, Revonne Johnson, Paul Klee, Linda Moore, Tangela Nichols, Christopher O'Brien, Andrew Saundry, Carmen Vega, Kraig Walsleben.

Staff: Greg Wims, Linda Cooper