



Tuesday, May 4, 2021
Commissioners of St. Mary's County Meeting Agenda

THIS AGENDA IS TENTATIVE AND SUBJECT TO CHANGE WITHOUT NOTICE - TIMES ARE APPROXIMATE

A part or all of the meeting may be conducted in closed session

Meeting of: Commissioners of St. Mary's County

Location: Chesapeake Building, 41770 Baldrige St., Leonardtown, MD

Public meetings are now open to the public as long as social distancing guidelines can be maintained and the Commissioners' Meeting Room capacity limits do not exceed 32. Everyone in attendance must adhere to the social distancing guidelines and wear a mask at all times except when speaking, consuming food/drink or have a disability. If social distancing guidelines or occupancy room capacity limits cannot be followed, the meeting may be rescheduled. Citizens may listen to the meeting by calling 301-579-7236; access code: 963443#. The public is strongly encouraged to view the meeting remotely on Channel 95 and YouTube. For additional information please contact Sharon.Ferris@stmarysmd.com.

9:15 a.m. - Public Hearing - Proposed Ethics Ordinance

In accordance with the Public Health Advisory on public gathering sizes, the public hearing participation is subject to capacity limits for in-person participation. Those wishing to address the Commissioners may also participate via teleconferencing, email, written correspondence, or prerecorded video submissions. The public hearing may be viewed on SMCG Channel 95 or the SMCG YouTube Channel.

In lieu of appearance, comments may be submitted by:

- a.) Phone: 301-475-4200 x 1234 to speak via telephone during the public hearing**
- b.) Email: csmc@stmarysmd.com**
- c.) US Mail: PO Box 653 Leonardtown, Maryland 20650**
- d.) Submit a 3-minute video clip to publicmtgs@stmarysmd.com no later than 5 PM Tuesday, May 11, 2021.**

9:30 a.m. - Public Hearing – FY21 Finance Budget Authority

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1. 9:00 a.m. - WELCOME

- A. Invocation and Pledge - Commissioner O'Connor
- B. Approval of Consent Agenda

2. 9:05 a.m. - PROCLAMATIONS

- A. National Drug Court Month
- B. Small Business Month
- C. Older Americans Month 2021
- D. National Transportation Week

3. PUBLIC HEARINGS

- A. 9:15 a.m. - OFFICE OF THE COUNTY ATTORNEY - PUBLIC HEARING - St. Mary's County Public Ethics Ordinance Updates
- B. 9:30 a.m. - DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE - PUBLIC HEARING - Supplemental Appropriation Ordinance

4. 9:45 a.m. - MAIN AGENDA ITEMS

- A. ST. MARY'S COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT - Equity Task Force
- B. DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT - DECISION - Property Tax Incentive for Investing in Commercial Properties

5. 10:25 a.m. - COUNTY ADMINISTRATOR

- A. DRAFT AGENDAS FOR MAY 11 AND 18, 2021.
- B. SHERIFF'S OFFICE - FY2022 Heroin Coordinator Grant Application from the Governor's Office of Crime Prevention, Youth, and Victim Services
- C. ST. MARY'S COUNTY HEALTH DEPT. - FY2022 Opioid Competitive Grant Application
- D. COUNTY ADMINISTRATOR - YMCA - Fund-raising study
- E. DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS AND TRANSPORTATION - Installation of GPS Base Station on the Courthouse Building
- F. COUNTY ATTORNEY - Bethune Property

6. 11:25 a.m. - COMMISSIONERS' TIME

7. 11:35 a.m. - CLOSED SESSION

- A. Personnel

8. ADJOURN

Appropriate accommodations for individuals with special needs will be provided upon request. In order to meet these requirements, we respectfully ask for one week's prior notice. Please contact the Commissioners of St. Mary's County at 301-475-4200, Ext. 1350. Proceedings are televised live and/or recorded for later broadcast on television. All content of these proceedings is subject to disclosure under the Maryland Public Information Act. Photographic and electronic audio and visual broadcasting and recording devices are used during the Commissioners' meetings. These are public meetings and attendance at these meetings automatically grants St. Mary's County Government permission to broadcast your audio and visual image.