

AGENDA

City of Cambridge
City Council Meeting
August 12, 2019
Council Chambers - 305 Gay Street
Cambridge, MD 21613

- 5:00 Closed Session – Vote to meet in closed session pursuant to Md. Code Ann., General Provisions § 3-305(b)(7) to consult with the City Attorney to obtain legal advice.
- 6:00 pm Mayor to Convene Council in Regular Session

Agenda

1. Council to approve or amend agenda as presented.

Public Comment

Requests from the Public

Alpha Genesis Community Development Corporation is requesting a street closure on September 7, 2019 at the 400 block of Race Street from 12:30pm-2:00pm.

Mike Starling and Sheriff Phillips will give an update on Dorchester Goes Purple.

Consent Calendar

2. Meeting Minutes from July 22, 2019 Council Meeting.
3. A request from Sheniqua Fletcher to have a walk for Lupus on September 21, 2019 from 9:00am-12:30pm at Gerry Boyle Park at Great Marsh.
4. Dorchester Chamber of Commerce is requesting to have a banner hung across Race Street from August 28th - Sept 12, 2019 for Dorchester Goes Purple.
5. Jymil Thompson of Dorchester County Public Schools is requesting to have a MLMS Block Party at Cosby Street/Greenwood Avenue on August 28, 2019 from 5pm-7pm.

Ordinances for Introduction and First Reading

Ordinances for Second Reading, Public Hearing, and Adoption

Old Business

6. **SUBJECT:** FY 2020 Annual Street Resurfacing Contract

Recommendation: That Council:

- A. Approve an extension of the contract with Russell Paving for FY2020 annual street resurfacing; and
 - B. Review the attached Proposed Paving List and approve or modify as you prefer.
7. **Resolution No. 19-010:** A Resolution of the Commissioners of Cambridge, Maryland to adopt standard forms of petition for a voter-initiated amendment to the Charter of the City of Cambridge and to refer a Charter Amendment Resolution adopted by the Commissioners of Cambridge to a referendum vote.

8. **Resolution No. 19-011:** A Resolution of the Commissioners of Cambridge, Maryland to declare certain real property owned by the Commissioners of Cambridge located at 809 Fairmount Avenue and 811 Fairmount Avenue, Cambridge, Maryland as surplus and no longer needed for any public purpose or use and authorize the advertisement of such property for offers to purchase. (See public notice attached.)

Recommendation: That Council:

- A. Hold a public hearing to receive comments from Staff and the public regarding whether 809 & 811 Fairmount Avenue are presently or foreseeably needed for any public purpose;
- B. Close the public hearing; and
- C. Declare that 809 & 811 Fairmount Avenue are neither presently nor foreseeably needed for any public purpose and, as such, are surplus property and authorize the City Attorney to solicit offers for the sale of such property.

New Business

9. **SUBJECT:** Proceeds from Auction

Recommendation: That Council allocate \$725 to the Drug Forfeiture Account

10. **SUBJECT:** DNR Community Parks & Playgrounds Program

Recommendation that Council:

- A. Hold a public hearing to discuss the City applying for a grant to make improvements to Cornish Park;
- B. Close the public hearing; and
- C. Direct Staff to apply for a grant from DNR up to \$450,000.00

Meetings

Notices

Mayor and Council

Public Comment

Adjourn

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