



CHAIR PHYLLIS J. RANDALL NEWSLETTER



Hello, Loudoun

You are cordially invited to my first State of the County address on Wednesday, May 25 from 6:30 to 8:00 pm (please see invitation below). This event is open to the public. I plan to reflect on my first months in office and discuss our goals for the future. Your voice is important to me and I hope you can make it to this important event.

On Thursday, April 21st the Board of Supervisors unanimously approved a [Comprehensive Plan Charter](#), which outlines the process for developing a new comprehensive plan. A Comprehensive Plan is a community-based vision for the county's future and serves as a land use policy document and a guide for decision-making. One citizen representative will be appointed by each Board member to the Stakeholders Steering Committee. Anyone wishing to be considered for the nine Board-appointed positions on the committee is encouraged to fill out the [standard application form for advisory boards, commissions and committees](#) as soon as possible. My office will keep you informed about the public outreach and engagement process that includes up to 12 public feedback sessions, online public meetings, and a range of other on-demand electronic participation methods.



On Thursday, April 27th and Friday, April 28th, Supervisor Letourneau, Loudoun County Finance Team and I attended a meeting with three major bond rating agencies -Moody's, Standard and Poor's and Fitch Ratings - to reaffirm our AAA status. A triple-A rating is important to taxpayers because it helps the county continue to get the best possible interest rates to finance capital projects, saving millions of dollars. I believe in and endorse the goals of the Economic Development Department and the successful fiscal management policies of the Finance, Government Operations and Economic Development Committee.



Chair Phyllis J. Randall and the Loudoun County Board of Supervisors request the pleasure of your company at Chair Randall's first State of the County Address.

2016 State of the County Address



Wednesday, May 25, 2016

6:30 to 8:00 pm

Board Room, Loudoun County Government Center
1 Harrison Street, S.E., Leesburg

The public is invited and encouraged to attend. We welcome you to celebrate the success of Loudoun County and present our goals for the future.

Best Regards,

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Hamilton Town Hall

Chair Randall hosted a Town Hall with Supervisor Higgins on Wednesday, April 27th at Hamilton Elementary School. Thank you to Mayor Simpson, Catocin School Board Eric DeKenipp, Principal Meisenzahl, staff and residents who attended. Chair Randall will be hosting Town Halls throughout the county. Please let us know if you would like to have a Town Hall in your community. Thank you.

Airbus' Loudoun Facility to be Largest in the World



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The Loudoun Department of Economic Development is pleased to announce that Airbus Americas has selected the Airbus facility in Ashburn as the site for their newly consolidated operations. Airbus has committed to invest an additional \$1 million in their Ashburn facility, and will add new employees to the current workforce at the site. "Loudoun County is a wonderful place to do business, particularly for those who utilize the great access provided by Washington Dulles International Airport," said Chair Randall. "We continue to invest in the infrastructure necessary to support these businesses and their employees."



Youth in Government Day

On Thursday, April 21st students from Loudoun high schools spent a day in the county government building. Students had an opportunity to sit on the dais and participate in a board business meeting. Chair Randall is pictured with Sailey Hatfield from Douglass High School in Leesburg.

Voice for a Cause Give Choose

Give Choose is a 24 hour online fundraising event on May 3rd organized by the Community Foundation of Loudoun County to raise money for local nonprofits. The goal is to inspire our community to come together for 24 hours to give as much as possible to more than 50 local nonprofit organizations. 24 hours of giving begins at midnight on May 3rd and ends at midnight on May 4th. Please consider giving a minimum \$10 donation. Prizes and drawings will occur throughout the day to make your donation go further. Visit www.givechoose.org to donate. Thank you.

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AND NORTHERN FAUQUIER COUNTIES**



Loudoun Youthfest

Loudoun Youthfest will be hosted by One Loudoun at the Barn, 20450 Savin Hill Drive in Ashburn on Saturday, May 21 at 3:00 pm to 8:00 pm. Youthfest is an event organized by Loudoun teens featuring live local teen bands, interactive exhibits, dancers and other stage acts. Exhibits focus on healthy living, after school programs, community organizations, belonging and diversity. There will be fun for all ages, including games, food, prizes, and much more! Buy your tickets at <http://www.loudounyouth.org/youth-fest/>.

First Annual Spring Job Fair

Are you a teen, college student, recent grad or resident looking for employment? If so, join us at the First Annual Spring Job Fair on Saturday, May 14th from 10:00 am to 2:00 pm at the Claude Moore Recreation Center, 46105 Loudoun Park Lane in Sterling. 45 diverse employers will be recruiting on-site and providing information on internships, jobs and volunteer opportunities within the county. Employers are still signing up! Come & get hired! RSVP: <http://springjobfair.rsvpify.com>.

Other Community Events

Loudoun County Community Services Board Town Hall, Tuesday, May 10 from 5 to 7 pm at the Franklin Park Visual and Performing Arts Center, 36441 Blueridge View Lane, Purcellville. Purpose is to gather input about services involving mental health, substance abuse and developmental disability needs of residents. For more information go to <https://www.loudoun.gov/csb>

MADD 5K Walk on May 21 at 10:00 am at Park View High School, 400 W Laurel Avenue in Sterling. MADD (Mothers Against Drunk Driving) invites you to walk to save lives and honor those who have been killed or injured by drunk driving in Loudoun County. Register online at www.walklikemadd.org/sterling

Sipping for Sprout at Stone Tower Winery on Sunday, May 22nd, 2016 12:00 pm to 4:00 pm. Sprout Therapeutic Riding and Education Center positively impacts individuals through Equine Assisted Activities and Therapies. Purchase tickets at <http://www.sproutcenter.org/>.

Heritage Bus Tour on Saturday, June 25 from 9:00 am to 4:30 pm. Theme is "An American Story: Historical African-American Communities and Contributions." Cost is \$75 per guest and includes lunch. Contact Alicia Cohen to register aaheritagelocova@gmail.com by May 20th.

Northern Virginia Transportation Authority (NVTA) Public Input

The Northern Virginia Transportation Authority (NVTA) is updating TransAction, the long-range transportation plan for Northern Virginia. As part of the public engagement process, the NVTA is conducting workshops and pop-up events throughout the region. Your involvement is essential in developing the plan. Please attend one of these events to share your ideas about how to shape the future of Northern Virginia. If you're unable to attend one of these events, please visit <http://nvtatransaction.org/contact/> to share your input at any time.

Workshop

Tuesday, May 24, 10:00 am to 12:00 pm at the Loudoun County Senior Center at Cascades, 21060 Whitfield Pl, Sterling. At this workshop, you will see a brief presentation from the Northern Virginia Transportation Authority (NVTA) about TransAction and then engage in a series of group activities where you can provide input about the current state of transportation in Northern Virginia. Go to <http://nvtatransaction.org/calendar/> to pre-register.

Pop-Up Event

May, 21, 2:00 to 4:00 pm at Purcellville Music and Arts Festival, Fireman's Field, 250 South Nursery Avenue, Purcellville. No pre-registration required.

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