

Message from the County Administrator

November, 2023

This update is provided each month to better inform King William County citizens and visitors about County Government. The information serves as a status report for ongoing projects and a preview of different happenings that are in the planning stages.

County Government Offices will be closed Tuesday, November 7 in observance of General Election Day. Offices will reopen at 8:30 a.m. Wednesday, October 8.

County Government Offices will be closed Friday, November 10 in observance of Veteran's Day. Offices will reopen at 8:30 a.m. Monday, November 13.

County Government Offices will be closed Wednesday, November 22 at 12:30 p.m.; and Thursday and Friday, November 23-24 in observance of the Thanksgiving holiday. Offices will reopen at 8:30 a.m. Monday, November 27.

Early voting for the [November 7th General Election](#) will continue daily in the office of the General Registrar from 8:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m. through Saturday, November 4.

Polls will be open from 6 a.m. – 7 p.m. on November 7 for General Election Day.

King William High School football will conclude its regular season this month by visiting King & Queen on Thursday, November 2. Kickoff is 7 p.m.

West Point High School football will conclude its regular season this month by visiting Charles City on Friday, November 3. Kickoff is 7 p.m.

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS MEETINGS

The Board of Supervisors has canceled the November 6 Work Session to allow the General Registrar more time to set up for the November 7 General Election.

The Board of Supervisors will hold its [Regular Meeting](#) this month at 7 p.m. Monday, November 27 in the Board Room and is tentatively scheduled to take up the following matters: (1) Public hearing on Real Estate Tax Relief for Certain Elderly and Disabled Persons; (2) Discussion of Compensation Board and DSS salaries per adoption of state budget; (3) Regional Animal Shelter Agreement; (4) School Radio Project Update; (5) Consideration of funding for Regional Grant Writing Personnel; (6) Consideration of Adoption of Emergency Operations Plan; (7) Broadband Update; and (8) County Administrator's Report.

(All items scheduled for the Board of Supervisors to consider are tentative and subject to change.)

Most public meetings are live streamed using Zoom, a free service. You must have a Zoom account to register for and view County meetings. [Detailed instructions for registering, viewing, and registering to speak during Public Comment and/or Public Hearings can be downloaded on the County website.](#) Registration links for each individual meeting are also located on the County website in the [Calendar](#) section. Agenda packets can be downloaded from the [Agendas & Minutes page](#) on the County website.

OTHER MEETINGS & EVENTS

- DMV Connect – November 2, 9:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.; Parks & Recreation Center.
- Recreation Commission Meeting – November 2, 7 p.m.; Parks & Recreation Center.
- King William High School Football at King & Queen – November 2, 7 p.m.
- West Point High School Football at Charles City – November 3, 7 p.m.
- Saturday Early Voting – November 4, 8 a.m. – 4 p.m.; General Registrar’s Office.
- Rabies Clinic – November 4, 8:30 – 11:30 a.m.; King William Courthouse Parking Lot.
- General Election Day (County Offices Closed) – November 7, 6 a.m. – 7 p.m.
- Economic Development Authority Meeting – November 8, 7 p.m.; Board Room.
- Archeological Dig Day at Historic Courthouse Tavern Site – November 9, 10 a.m. – 4 p.m.; Historic Courthouse Complex.
- Veteran’s Day (County Offices Closed) – November 10.
- Walk for a New Day – November 11, 10 a.m. – 12:00 Noon; Gloucester County
- Planning Commission Meeting – November 14, 7 p.m.; Board Room
- Board of Zoning Appeals Meeting – November 15, 6:30 p.m.; Board Room
- King William School Board Meeting – November 21, 6 p.m.; Hamilton-Holmes MS Atrium.
- West Point School Board Meeting – November 21, 6 p.m.; School Board Office.
- Thanksgiving Holiday (County Offices Closed) – November 23, 12:30 p.m.
- Thanksgiving Holiday (County Offices Closed) – November 24-25
- West Point Town Council Meeting – November 27, 6:30 p.m.; Town Chambers.
- Board of Supervisors Meeting – November 27, 7 p.m.; Board Room.
- The Middle Peninsula Planning Commission will meet at 7 p.m. Wednesday, November 29 in Saluda.

Capsule glance of other activities happening within County government this month:

- Requests for proposals will be received this month for the water line extension and water storage take.
- Engineers will be gathering information this month for Phase 2 of the parking project at King William Recreation Park.
- Beautification efforts will move forward this month at the median of Route 360/30 and in front of the County Administration Building.
- County Staff will continue to meet this month with the Treasurer to continue progress on moving the reconciliation process back to the Treasurer’s Office.
- A consultant will continue to analyze the current utility rate structure and make recommendations for the FY ’25 Budget.
- Applications continue to be received for an Economic Development Specialist and Finance Director.
- Breezeline will continue to bring fiber to new locations in their service territory.
- Renovations continue at Station One to expand storage space.
- A feasibility study is underway for 197 acres in Aylett for economic development, education, and recreation.

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