

Message from the County Administrator

May, 2024

This message is a monthly update in 2024 to better inform our citizens and visitors to King William County. The information serves as a status report for ongoing projects, and also serves as a preview of different happenings that are in the planning stages.

County Government offices will be closed Monday, May 27 in observance of the Memorial Day holiday. Offices will reopen at 8:30 a.m. Tuesday, May 28.

Early voting this month for the June 18 Dual Party Primary Election will begin Friday, May 3 during normal business hours in the Office of the General Registrar.

The King William Farmers Market will be held Friday, May 3 and Friday, May 24 from 5-8 p.m. in the parking lot at King William High School.

The Board of Supervisors will hold its regular meetings this month. The tentative agendas are:

May 6 Meeting:

- (1) Public hearing on ordinance amendment on “doing business without required license and payment of license tax prohibited.”;
- (2) Public hearing on Utility Rate Increase;
- (3) Discussion of repealing County ordinance relative to the use of rifles and deferring to language in state code;
- (4) Recognition of 4-H National Shotgun Competition participants;
- (5) Resolution requesting VDOT to conduct a reduced speed study on certain parts of Route 360; and
- (6) Administration Report.

May 20:

- (1) Public hearing on Lodging/Transient Tax;
- (2) Public hearing on Cigarette Tax;
- (3) Adoption of FY '25 Budget; and
- (4) Administration Report.

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

The Planning Commission will meet at 6:30 p.m. May 7 in the Board Room.

The Recreation Advisory Commission will meet at 6:30 p.m. Thursday, May 2 at the Parks & Recreation Center.

The Economic Development Authority will meet at 6:30 p.m. Wednesday, May 8 in the Board Room.

The Electoral Board will meet at 12:00 Noon Wednesday, May 8 in the Board Room.

The West Point Chamber of Commerce will host Jammin' on the Point from 6-9 p.m. Friday, May 3 at Town Park.

West Point Town Council will meet at 6:30 p.m., May 28 in the Town Hall Council Chambers.

The King William School Board will meet at 6 p.m. Tuesday, May 21 at Hamilton-Holmes Middle School.

The West Point School Board will meet at 6 p.m. Tuesday, May 21 at the School Board Office.

The Middle Peninsula Planning Commission will meet at 7 p.m. Wednesday, May 22 in Saluda.

The VA 250 Planning Committee will meet at 4:30 p.m. Thursday, May 23 in the Board Room.

The Historical Preservation & Architectural Review Board (HPARB) will meet at 4 p.m. Wednesday, May 22 in the Board Room.

Here is a capsule glance of other activities that will be happening within County government during the month of May:

- The Water Line Extension Project will continue to move forward this month. It is now 40 percent complete.
- Construction of the new water storage tank will get underway this month.

- Site plan approval is almost complete for the new WaWa's convenience store at the corner of Route 360 and Route 30.
- Follow County Government activities on our website at www.kingwilliamcounty.us and also by clicking on Facebook page and subscribing to the County newsletter.