

CITY MANAGER'S OFFICE
CITY OF COLLEGE PARK
WEEKLY BULLETIN

August 16, 2016



It may be very hot outside today, but Lake Artemesia was looking as beautiful as ever!
If you go for a walk or a bicycle ride today, don't forget to stay hydrated!

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Save the Date: Pet Microchipping Clinic at August 20 & 21 Farmers Markets

Hollywood Farmers Market, Saturdays from 9:00am to 1:00pm

Downtown Farmers Market, Sundays from 10:00am to 2:00pm

The City's Animal Control Officer along with representatives from the College Park Animal Welfare Committee will attend the Hollywood and Downtown Farmers Markets during the weekend of August 20 and 21. They will be offering FREE microchipping of residents' pets (or only \$20 for non-residents) and will also be collecting donations for the animal shelter!

FROM OUR CITY DEPARTMENTS

Department of Planning, Community and Economic Development

- The M-NCPPC has accepted a Detailed Site Plan application for construction of a proposed EZ Storage building and surface parking to replace an existing business known as Hydra Lift Industrial Truck, Inc. at 5151 Branchville Road. Staff attended a Subdivision and Development Review Committee meeting with other referral agencies to discuss major issues including dedication of additional right-of-way and floodplain and drainage easements. A tentative Planning Board hearing date of November 3 has been established.

- The Mayor will be attending the Mayors' Institute on City Design (MICD), a program of the National Endowment for the Arts and Conference of Mayors which will be held in Miami Beach in September. During the visit, the Mayor will present a case study from the City and receive input from a panel of experts in Architecture, Urban Design, Planning, Development and Transportation. In preparation for this event, staff met with a representative of MICD to tour the City, discuss possible case study projects and review relevant materials that need to be prepared for a briefing book and powerpoint presentation. The proposed topic is how to address issues of City identity within our college town environment.
- The M-NCPPC will hold a joint public hearing on the draft Resource Conservation Functional Master Plan on September 27 at 7:00 pm at the County Administration Building. This plan addresses forest canopy, water quality and urban agriculture and combines plans for Green Infrastructure, Rural Character and Agricultural Conservation into one plan. It can be viewed at www.pgplanning.org.

Department of Public Works

- The Four-Cities street sweeper is in College Park this week and next week. Signs will be posted for the various neighborhoods.

UPCOMING CITY MEETINGS

Meetings at a Glance

City of College Park Mayor and Council Notice of Meetings

- Tuesday, September 6, 2016 7:30 p.m. - Mayor and Council Worksession, followed by a closed session to discuss a matter related to negotiating strategy, consider matters related to the acquisition or sale of real property for a public purpose, and consider matters relating to a proposal for a business to locate in the county