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City of Seat Pleasant Newsletter

WOMEN'S HISTORY MONTH HIGHLIGHT



We celebrate Women's History Month in the month of March to remind ourselves of the accomplishments of women throughout the years to our culture and society. From science to politics, it's a chance to reflect on the trailblazing women who lead the way for change.

Myra L. Lucas was highlighted for Women's History Month for her life of public service. In 1984 she joined the United States Army serving for 4 years active duty and 5 and a half years with the DC National Guard. In May of 1992, she decided to change careers and applied for the position of a police officer with the Seat Pleasant Police Department. On June 3, 1992, she received an acceptance letter for the position of police officer and this selection made her one of the first female African American police officers to work for their Department. She proudly served the Seat Pleasant community for 2 years. As she served the community, she did more than enforce the law, she forged relationships with the residents and the business owners of Seat Pleasant; and became affectionately known as "Ms. Lucas". Exactly two years later in June 1994, she was hired by the Prince Georges County Police Department. Her first duty assignment was the beat that brought her back to Seat Pleasant.

Myra served in many capacities, but one of her most impactful assignments with the department was the position of the County Coordinator for the Police Explorers Program. As the coordinator, she worked concurrently with other law enforcement agency coordinators to shape the youth of the county. Many of the youth were recruited from the Seat Pleasant community. They are now productive citizens, and many of them became police officers working for various agencies. The current Chief of Seat Pleasant along with other officers of the agency were former explorers under her guidance.

She was a police officer with the Prince George's County Police Department for 23 years where she received several awards of recognition and was featured in the Prince George's Post.

Myra Lucas wanted to continue her life of service and is now in Stratford University pursuing a degree in nursing. Myra says that her life, "serves as an example for others to lead a life of service, because you never know how you can positively impact someone else's life."

**City Council Monthly Meeting & Legislation Action
Office of the City Clerk**

March 2021

Monday, March 1, 2021, Regular Work Session

Resolution R-21-11 Approval of Community Legacy Grant Application and Receipt of Funding for Renovation of 420 69th Pl and 6224 Foote St., Seat Pleasant, MD. **Approved 7-0-0**

Monday, March 8, 2021, Public Session

Resolution R-21-10 Amending Resolution R-21-02 Adoption of Annexation Plan for the City of Seat Pleasant **Approved 7-0-0**

Charter Amendment Resolution CA 21-07 to Amend Charter Amendment Resolution CA-21-03 Annexation of Corporate Boundaries of Seat Pleasant **Approved 7-0-0**

The Meeting Minutes for the month of February were *Approved 7-0-0*

The City Council meetings for the month of April will be held via Zoom as follows:

Regular Work Session-Monday, April 5, 2021 at 6:00pm

https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_I3WQMV16RuecA5cig5r8tg

Budget Hearing- Monday April 12, 2021 at 6:00pm

https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_o2tBOL8WTpGopntgqY_TAW - Budget Hearing on 04/12/21

Constant Yield Hearing, April 12, 2021 at 7:00pm

https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_XBmDrz8TJSpTEDNu28Slg- Constant Yield Hearing 04/12/21

Public Session-Monday, April 12, 2021 at 8:00pm

https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_siHS-n5DRhyj507Hdf4UeQ

Budget Hearing- Saturday, April 17, 2021 at 10:00am-11:30am

https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_HcKKksQVQ3ePaQsbd68hSA- Budget Hearing on 04/17/21

Budget Review- Saturday, April 17, 2021 at 12:00pm-4:00pm

https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_nOmvrCRsSvOxDqCiWwD5lw-

All meetings are open to the public with comments being taken in the Public Session. During the COVID-19 the City Council meetings will be held via Zoom with citizens being provided access to join the meeting from the city's website. All citizens are required to register for the Zoom meetings.

Copies of legislation and approved meeting minutes can be found on the City's website www.seatpleasantmd.gov or by contacting the City Clerk Dashaun N. Lanham, CMC directly on 301-336-2600.

City of Seat Pleasant Ward V Virtual Meeting



Please come out and join Councilmember Sistrunk as she hosts her 2nd meeting of 2021.

WHEN: MONDAY, April 19, 2021
TIME: 10:30am-12:00pm

To join the zoom meeting, enter the Meeting ID and Passcode listed below:

Meeting ID: 816 1122 1051
Passcode: 576232

If you are dialing in, please call +13017158592 and enter the Meeting ID and Passcode above

If you have any questions, please contact Councilmember Sistrunk at 240-713-4839.

Please remember to tell a neighbor!



COMMUNITY CLEANUP

Please come out and volunteer with Newly Elected Ward III Representative, Councilmember Scott to beautify Seat Pleasant Elementary School

SAVE THE DATE

Saturday, April 24, 2021 @10:00am



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Save the Date



May 5, 2021
7:00pm-8:00pm

for the
Virtual Ward I Meeting with Councilmember Higgs




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COVID-19 VACCINE

COVID-19 Vaccine Registration Hotline



311# **DIAL 311 AND PRESS #**

Monday - Friday, 7:00 AM - 7:00 PM


Seniors and others that wish to receive the COVID-19 vaccine, but have issues accessing the Internet or utilizing technology, should call the County's COVID-19 Vaccine Registration Hotline.



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COVID-19 VACUNA

Línea directa de registro de vacunas COVID-19



MARQUE 311 Y PULSE #

Lunes - Viernes, 7:00 AM - 7:00 PM

Las personas mayores y otras personas que desean recibir la vacuna COVID-19, pero que tengan problemas para acceder a Internet o utilizar la tecnología, deben llamar a la línea directa de registro de vacunas COVID-19 del Condado.



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