The Finksburg News

Finksburg Planning And Citizens' Council Inc. Newsletter, October 2007 www.Finksburg.org To Promote A Finksburg Community, Whose Objective Is To Preserve The Fundamental Quality Of Life Where Farms, Families And Businesses May Coexist In A Manner Beneficial To All

Next Meeting: Carroll County and MDE Representatives to Address Water Issues

Who: Finksburg residents are invited

What: Finksburg Planning and Citizens' Council, Inc.'s general membership meeting

When: Thursday October 25, 2007, 7 P.M. Where: Sandymount United Methodist Church

Tom Devilbiss from Carroll County and Janice Outen from MDE to address Water Issues:

Tom Devilbiss, from Carroll County, and Janice Outen, from the Maryland Department of the Environment, will be on hand to discuss water quantity issues in light of the current drought and the ongoing development strains we have both in Finksburg and in Carroll County. Also discussed will be concerns with water quality as well as waste water/septic output.

Finksburg Community Roadside Clean-up:

The next community trash pickup will be Saturday, October 27th, which is "*National Make a Difference Day*". We will meet at 8 a.m. in the Finksburg Plaza Shopping Center, parking lot. We will be picking up trash along Route 91 south of Route 140. Please make plans to come out and help cleanup Finksburg.

November 15th Meeting – Finksburg History:

The November meeting will be a community conversation about the history of Finksburg. Come prepared to share memories with your Finksburg neighbors. This is a continuation of the conversation we started last year which drew a huge crowd.

Library Update:

Groundbreaking for the new Finksburg Library took place August 2, 2007 at 9:00 AM on the property. FPACC representatives were on hand. Construction has started and progress can be tracked at: http://finksburglibrary.blogspot.com/.

Development Updates:

Deer Park / Nicodemus Road Bridge

Baltimore city is scheduled to replace the existing bridge in the spring of 2009. A community meeting is scheduled for this project on Wednesday October 24, 2007 at 7:00pm at the Franklin Elementary School, 33 Cockeys Mill Road, Reisterstown, MD 21136.

Mark Your Calendar:

General Council meetings are the 4th Thursday of the month at the Sandy Mount United Methodist Church. Meetings begin at 7 PM. Board meetings are usually held on the 1st Wednesday of each month.

Membership 2008:

We ask to please pay your membership dues for 2008. You can <u>pay your dues online</u>, at our meeting, or print a form on our website and mail it in. The annual cost is only \$10 for residents and \$25 for businesses. Thanks so much.

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