The Finksburg News Finksburg Planning And Citizens' Council Inc. Newsletter, January 2008

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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 Transit, Finksburg Library

Who: Finksburg residents are invited
What: Finksburg Planning and Citizens' Council, Inc.'s general membership meeting
When: Thursday January 24, 2007, 7 P.M.
Where: Sandymount United Methodist Church, 2101 Old Westminster Pike, Finksburg, MD 21048

Membership Drive 2008:

We ask you to please pay your membership dues for 2008. You can <u>pay your dues online</u> (<u>http://www.finksburg.org/Dues.htm</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. Business members are welcome to schedule a short presentation about their business at a general membership meeting. Thanks so much.

January Meeting: Doug Howard, Executive Director Carroll Transit, will join us. Lynn Wheeler, the Carroll County Library Director, will give us an update on the Finksburg library, now under construction.

FPACC By-Laws Changes Proposed: As per the existing FPACC By-Laws, the board has reviewed the existing document and recommends some minor changes. Please see the bylaws at: <u>http://www.finksburg.org/bylaws.htm</u>. Changes are underlined.

December Meeting – Holiday Party: The annual FPACC holiday party was held during our December meeting on December 13th.

November 15th Meeting – Finksburg History, See us on Cable Channel 23:

The November meeting was a community conversation about the history of Finksburg. We began with a short presentation on The Elms, a stately mansion situated on the old carriage road along the west bank of the Patapsco River just south of the present day Rt. 140 bridge over Liberty Reservoir. The house was built in approximately 1760 and at one time belonged to the son of Francis Scott Key. It was destroyed when the Liberty Reservoir was constructed, but some still remember this fine old Maryland home. The Carroll County Media Center recorded the meeting and will air the recording on cable channel 23.

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.

Board of Directors:

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