



## A message from Kathy Smith



Thank you to everyone that donated items to the 2018 Blanket & Coat Drive and to the Sully Holiday Food Drive! These items will go to those in need this holiday season. We collected over 1,964 pounds of food, which was donated to Western Fairfax Christian Ministries' Food Pantry. I am proud to live in such a generous and caring community.

Sincerely,

*Kathy*

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## Reminders!

### County Seeks Community Input on Funding Pool Priorities:

Fairfax County is seeking public input in an effort to validate community priorities for committing county funds to address human service needs. The county's Consolidated Community Funding Pool (CCFP) is an allocation of funds earmarked by the Board of Supervisors to be administered to local nonprofits and community based organizations as an investment in programs and services that fill identified needs within communities across the county.

Please take a moment to share your thoughts and opinions by taking the [Community Feedback Survey online](#). The survey will be available until **Saturday, December 15, 2018**. All responses will be anonymous.

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**Event: Coffee With A Cop**



# Join us for Coffee With A Cop

Tuesday, December 18  
5:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.

Chantilly Place Starbucks  
4412 Chantilly Shopping Center Road  
Chantilly, VA 20151



**Here's your chance to get to know your local police  
officers and enjoy a cup coffee!**

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## CSB Youth & Families: Coats for Kids Drive



[CSB's Youth & Family](#) staff are holding a children's coat drive at their Chantilly office (**14150 Parkeast Circle, Suite 200, Chantilly, VA 20151**), the Merrifield Center, South County office, and Northwest Center. Bring new or gently used children's coats, hats, scarves, and gloves to one of these CSB offices **now through February 5**.

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# zMOD Public Meeting



## FAIRFAX COUNTY ZONING ORDINANCE MODERNIZATION PROJECT

### BACKGROUND

Since early 2018, Clarion Associates has been assisting Fairfax County in modernizing its Zoning Ordinance through the zMOD project. Outreach meetings were conducted in January, May, and October, 2018, on a new structure for these regulations, on the process for updating and categorizing the land uses listed in the Zoning Ordinance, and on the first group of the newly categorized uses (Industrial Uses).

### MODERNIZATION OF LAND USES

The modernization of use names, definitions and regulations is taking place in four installments, with the draft of the Industrial Uses in October, the release of Public, Institutional, and Community Land Uses in November, and the anticipated release of Agricultural and Commercial Uses in early 2019 and Residential, Accessory, and Temporary Uses in Spring 2019.

### ATTEND A PUBLIC MEETING ON JANUARY 8, 2019

Please come to the public meeting on the draft of the Public, Institutional, and Community Land Uses taking place on:

TUESDAY, JANUARY 8, 2019  
7:00 PM

[FAIRFAX COUNTY GOVERNMENT CENTER](#)  
ROOMS 4 & 5

12000 Government Center Parkway, Fairfax, Virginia 22035

Watch the Facebook Live event on the [Fairfax County Zoning Facebook Page](#).

### LEARN MORE

To find out more about the project, please visit our project website at:

[www.fairfaxcounty.gov/planning-zoning/zmod](http://www.fairfaxcounty.gov/planning-zoning/zmod). Follow us at

<https://www.facebook.com/fairfaxcountyzoning/>.

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## Events at Chantilly Regional Library



### [StoryWalk](#)

**Date:** Sunday, December 16, 2018

**Time:** All Day Event

Take a Walk, Read a Book, Have an Adventure! Read the children's book posted along the outside walking path, and enjoy a reading experience in nature! All ages.

### [ESL Conversation Group](#)

**Date:** Thursday, December 20, 2018

**Time:** 7:00 to 8:00 p.m.

Practice your English with other students. Ages: Adults.

### [Snowman Club](#)

**Date:** Friday, December 21, 2018

**Time:** All Day Event

The Snowman Club is a winter reading program for all children ages birth through high school. Ask at the information desk for more details.

### [Kaleidoscope Storytime: An Adaptive Storytime](#)



**Date:** Saturday, December 22, 2018

**Time:** 10:30 to 11:30 a.m.

Family sensory storytime welcomes children on the autism spectrum and with other developmental challenges, adapting to their needs and strengths. All ages.

[Chantilly Regional Library](#) is located at 4000 Stringfellow Road, Chantilly, VA 20151. For more information about these events, call 703-502-3883, TTY 711 or email [libCH@fairfaxcounty.gov](mailto:libCH@fairfaxcounty.gov).

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## Udvar-Hazy Center 15th Anniversary Celebration



**Date:** Saturday, December 15, 2018

**Time:** 10:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

**Location:** Udvar-Hazy Center (14390 Air and Space Museum Parkway, Chantilly, VA 20151)

The Steven F. Udvar-Hazy Center opened to the public on December 15, 2003, and since then they have welcomed nearly 20 million people through their doors. Join them as they celebrate the 15th anniversary of the Udvar-Hazy Center with a day packed full of everything you know and love about the museum. From talks with curators about your favorite artifacts to concerts.

**Parking at the Udvar-Hazy Center for this event will be free!**

For more information about this event, click [here](#).

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## Volunteer Opportunity



### Volunteer with PRS CrisisLink

[PRs CrisisLink](#) is looking for caring and empathetic volunteers to serve as a hotline, textline, or CareRing crisis workers. [Hotline/textline crisis workers](#) provide crisis intervention and suicide prevention support to community members in need. One 3-hour shift per week in Oakton. Ages 21 and older. Training starts in January 2019. [CareRing volunteers](#) provide friendly telephone support to older adults living alone and facing social isolation in Fairfax County. One 3-hour shift per week in Oakton. Ages 21 and older. Online training required.

**Location:**

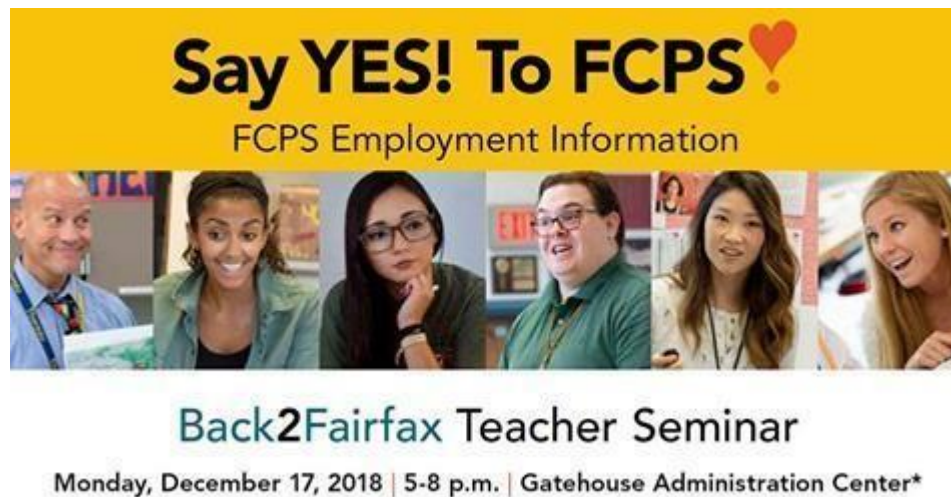
10455 White Granite Drive  
Suite 400

Oakton, VA 22124

For more information contact PRS at 703-536-9000 or email [info@prsinc.org](mailto:info@prsinc.org).

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## Back2Fairfax Teacher Seminar



**Date:** Monday, December 17, 2018

**Time:** 5:00 to 8:00 p.m.

**Location:** Gatehouse Administration Center (8115 Gatehouse Road, Falls Church, VA 22042)

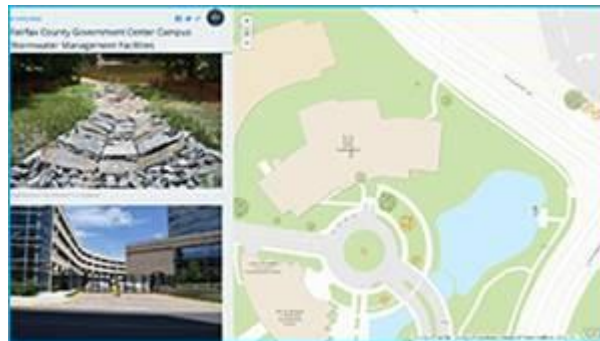
Do you know an FCPS graduate who is interested in being a teacher in FCPS? FCPS is hosting the Back2Fairfax Teacher Seminar, an event for FCPS graduates who want to learn more about how to navigate the hiring process, employee resources, and tips to being a successful educator.

We invite all FCPS graduates who want to Say Yes to FCPS! to join us for an evening filled with networking opportunities, breakout sessions, and FCPS employment information.

[Registration is available online.](#)

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## The Green Column



## Interactive Map of Stormwater Management Facilities

A new interactive map is available to guide you along a walking tour of stormwater management facilities located on the Fairfax County Government Center campus. On the walking tour you will see ponds, a native meadow, a restored stream, bioretention areas, swales, green roofs, and permeable pavers. Learn how these facilities collect runoff to control flooding, encourage detention and infiltration, and improve water quality. Click [here](#) to view the map.

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## Tree Care Spotlight



### Christmas Tree Care

Here are some tips on how to care for your Christmas tree:

- Make a fresh, straight cut across the bottom of the trunk, at least 1 inch (or more) above the old base to help the tree absorb water.
- Keep the tree well-watered to ensure that it does not become a fire hazard and lose a lot of needles.
- Do not place Christmas trees near heat sources such as candles, radiators, fireplaces, or space heaters.

Once the holiday tree is taken down, it may be disposed of at the curb or recycled for free (for trees less than 8 feet). Trees may also be repurposed for mulch, winter protection for tender vegetation, or burned for fuel. Some zoos may also take still green trees as enrichment for resident animals.

For more information, please contact the Fairfax County Urban Forest Management Division at [treemail@fairfaxcounty.gov](mailto:treemail@fairfaxcounty.gov) or 703-324-1770, TTY 711.

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## Animal Shelter Corner



### Meet Nussy!

**Age:** 3y

**Gender:** Female

**Color:** Tan / White

**Spayed/Neutered:** Yes

**Size:** Medium

Cute! Energetic! Fun! Did we say cute?? That is Nessy in a nutshell. This lowrider pup has the cutest little wigglebutt and an extra-wide smile that never stops! She loves to run, run, run. Then sniff, sniff, sniff. Then make her way into your lap for some love, love, love! She came to the shelter as a stray, so one of their volunteers took her out for the day to get to know her better.

Here's what she said about Nessy:

'Taking out Nessy today was the best! She loves the outdoors, loves to play, loves to hike, loves the water, loves toys, and absolutely loves people! Playtime with her has to be on the softer side as she still needs to have some playtime boundaries defined; i.e., she gets so excited that she gets mouthy but corrects easily. She loves to be petted and likes tummy rubs. She loves to give kisses! She is toy driven and will sit and stay until you throw the toy or give it to her. What a beautiful girl, she is a pleasure to hang out with! I love her!'

For more information about Nessy contact the Fairfax County Animal Shelter at 703-830-1100 or email [AnimalShelter@fairfaxcounty.gov](mailto:AnimalShelter@fairfaxcounty.gov).

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