

TOWN OF CHEVY CHASE
COUNCIL MEETING
September 9, 2021

This is a summary of the Council's actions at the September 9, 2021 Council meeting. Detailed meeting minutes are posted once they are approved by the Town Council at the next regular Council meeting.

4-H PROPERTY REDEVELOPMENT PRESENTATION

- The contract purchasers of the 4-H property discussed plans for redevelopment of the property and answered residents' questions about the same.

I. GENERAL BUSINESS

- Approved meeting minutes.
- Discussed and accepted financial report.
- Heard Town Manager's report.
- Heard public comments.

II. COUNCIL DISCUSSIONS

- Discussed and voted unanimously to introduce an ordinance to amend the Town's Urban Forest Ordinance.
- Discussed and voted unanimously to introduce an ordinance to adopt the County's Healthy Lawns Act.
- Discussed the status of the Farm Women's Market redevelopment project, including a request from the County for the Town to contribute financially to this project, and announced the September 20 community presentation by the developers.
- Discussed the distribution and use of American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) relief funds. Agreed to retain the funds and discussed the process for determining how to allocate the funds. Councilmembers Ericson and White agreed to propose a process for short-term and long-term decisions on recipients of the funds. Discussed a request for ARPA funds from Wonders Early Learning at Leland and agreed to schedule a discussion about this request at the October Council meeting.
- Discussed public safety and crime statistics. Asked the Town Manager to identify any crime hot spots and to increase police presence at these locations. Asked the Town Manager to work with the Public Services Committee to promote messages encouraging residents to lock their cars.
- Discussed organizational assessment and executive recruitment needs. Authorized the Town Manager to hire an Assistant Town Manager and agreed to perform an organizational assessment after the placement.

III. ADJOURNMENT

- The meeting was adjourned at 8:50 p.m.