

A P C NEWSLETTER

THE MISSION OF THE ARNOLD PRESERVATION COUNCIL IS TO UNITE THE PEOPLE OF ARNOLD, PRESERVE ITS RURAL HERITAGE, AND ENHANCE ITS ENVIRONMENT BY ADVOCATING RESPONSIBLE GROWTH, LINKED NEIGHBORHOODS, LOCAL BUSINESSES AND EXCELLENT SCHOOLS.

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APC thanks all who commented on the first draft of Plan2040. A full draft will be posted online September 25th and you will have 30 days to make comments. It will then go before the Planning Advisory Board in mid-November and the County Council in mid-December. Public hearings will begin in January 2021.

STORMWATER SEMINAR FOR HOA'S

APC strongly supports good stormwater management in our local watersheds, and highly encourages you to join us in learning how to better maintain it. A free seminar is planned to help Homeowners Associations (HOAs) learn how to maintain their private stormwater management systems more effectively. The seminar is named **Stormwater Success 201**. It is specifically designed for leaders of residential communities built after 2009 who have a diverse array of private stormwater facilities that might include stormwater ponds, bioretention areas, bioswales, raingardens, dry wells and/or pervious pavement.

The seminar will be presented virtually in three, one-hour sessions. It will help participants better understand the design and proper function of stormwater devices, how to maintain them, how to effectively budget for near- and long-term maintenance expenses, and how to successfully pass County triennial inspections. The ultimate goal is to impart confidence in the Board that they have the knowledge necessary to successfully manage their program and to offer encouragement for the contribution they are making to achieve better stormwater runoff quality. They will also benefit from hearing the lessons learned from other seminar participants. The schedule of webinars is:

- **Wednesday, September 23rd, 2020 from 7:30-8:30 PM**
- **Thursday, September 24th, 2020 from 7:30-8:30 PM**
- **Saturday, September 26th, 2020 from 9:00-10:00 AM**

More information about **Stormwater Success 201**, and how to register for it, can be found at this Watershed Stewards Academy website: <http://aawsa.org/stormwater-success-event> .

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Recycle Coach

Department of Public Works announces our newest program addition **Recycle Coach**, a new *FREE* app that makes managing household waste even easier! From curbside collections to holiday changes to upcoming Household Hazardous Waste events to questions about how to dispose of certain items, **Recycle Coach** brings instantaneous answers to your fingertips:

- Collection Reminders sent straight to your phone
- Notification of changes for both collection and facilities due to Holidays and Weather Emergencies

- "What Goes Where" searchable database with information on how to properly recycle or dispose of household items
- Tips, Recycling Education, and Event Announcements

Personal Protection Equipment

Safe disposal of these items can mean preventing the spread of germs. Put these items in a plastic trash bag, tie the bag securely and place in your trash receptacle. DO NOT put these items loose in ANY receptacle.

What Goes Where

On Household Hazardous Waste Days, a lot of folks think that motor oil can only be brought in on specific dates - however, motor oil is accepted at our County Recycling Centers year-round! Information like this is a breeze to find when using What Goes Where, the most popular feature of the app. This database contains thousands of items that explain how to properly manage each.

For more information, visit <https://recyclecoach.com/anne-arundel/>.

Register To Vote

You may still register to vote in the Presidential General Election on November 3, 2020, but you must register to vote on or before October 13, 2020.

- There are three ways you can register to vote.
- 1) The Maryland Online Voter Registration System (OLVR)
<https://voterservices.elections.maryland.gov/OnlineVoterRegistration/InstructionsStep1>
 You can request a mail-in ballot through the OLVR system as part of registering or reaffirming your registration.
 - 2) You may submit a printed voter registration application
https://elections.maryland.gov/voter_registration/application.html
 - 3) Go to the Maryland State Board of Elections location.
<https://elections.maryland.gov/about/contact.html>

You may also register to vote on any of the early voting days or on Election Day at your voting location.

Save the Date

Adopt A Highway Clean Up – Sunday October 4th 1 to 3 p.m. – More Details to follow

Membership **Sue Ricciardi**
September 15, 2020

APC has the following members in good standing

Individual/Household	31
Community/Homeowner Association	16
Institution	1
Voting Organization	1
Total Voting Memberships	49
Friend (Non-Voting)	8
Total Voting and Friends	57

Treasurer’s Report **Kathleen McCoun**

July 28, 2020 – August 31, 2020

Closing balances as of July 27, 2020

CD 2020:	\$5,261.48
CD 2020(2)	\$5,198.39
Checking:	\$5,345.37

Checking Account Activity:

Income:	
Total:	\$ 0
Expense:	
Total:	\$ 0

CD Activity:

Interest Income 2020 CD:	\$ 5.82
Interest Income 2020(2) CD:	\$ 1.28

Closing balances as of August 31, 2020

CD 2020	\$ 5,267.49
CD 2020(2)	\$ 5,199.71
Checking:	\$ 5,345.37
TD Bank Totals:	\$15,812.57