VILLAGE OF FRIENDSHIP HEIGHTS

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AGENDA

Village Council Meeting Monday, March 10, 2025

I. **CONVENE (7:00 p.m.)**

- Chair's announcements
- Village Manager's Report
- Comments from the public to the Council
 - Each member of the public will be given a 3-minute time limit and is instructed to please sign in at the front table, where speakers will be called in order of sign-in
- Comments from the Council
- Mayor's announcements

II. APPROVAL OF MINUTES (7:45 p.m.)

• Public session minutes of the February 10 Council meeting

III. TREASURER'S REPORT (7:50 p.m.)

IV. OLD BUSINESS (8:10 p.m.)

 Discussion/vote on recommendation from Parks and Grounds Committee for signage in Village parks

V. NEW BUSINESS (8:25 p.m.)

- Discussion/vote on Village property tax rate for FY 2026
- Discussion/vote on revision to Village investment policy
- Approval of Red House lease
- Appointment of election judges for Village Council election
- Discussion/vote on proposals for New Initiatives budget and recommendations from Community Advisory Committee
- Discussion/vote on purchasing speed radar sign to be donated to the Montgomery County Police Department for use on Willard Avenue
- Discussion/vote on EV charging stations
- Discussion/vote on Personnel Committee recommendations for staff salary general increase and change to benefit eligibility requirements

The Village Council may entertain a motion during the open meeting to close a portion of the meeting, in accordance with Section 3-305(b) of the Open Meetings Act (Maryland Code, General Provisions Article).

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