

COUNTY COUNCIL OF DORCHESTER COUNTY

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OPEN AGENDA

February 4, 2025

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| Call to Order | |
| Open Session | 5:00 p.m. |
| Closed Session | 5:01 p.m. |
| Reconvene into Open Session | 6:00 p.m. |
| I. Invocation & Pledge of Allegiance | |
| II. Calls for Additions/Deletions to Agenda | |
| III. Financial Report: General Fund Cash on Hand: \$ | |
| IV. Closed Session Summary §3-305(b): (1), (13) & (7) | |
| V. Consent Agenda | 6:01 p.m. |
| • County Council Open Session Minutes – January 21, 2025 | |
| • Accounts Payable Disbursement Report – Week Ending January 31, 2025 | |
| • Administrative Office of the Courts – AY2025 Courthouse Security Funding – Circuit Court | |
| • Request to Advertise for Proposals – Towing Services – Public Works | |
| • Letter of Support – FY25 Educational Facilities Master Plan – Dorchester County Public Schools | |
| • Cooperative Agreement – Noxious Weeds – Maryland Department of Agriculture | |
| • Waterway Improvement Funds Grant Awards – Public Works | |
| VI. Commendation(s) | 6:02 p.m. |
| • Ryan Clark – 2024 Maryland 4H State Archery Competition | |
| VII. Proclamation(s) | 6:07 p.m. |
| • National Outdoor Show Month – February | |
| VIII. Presentation(s) | 6:12 p.m. |
| • Cambridge Resiliency Initiative Update – City of Cambridge | |
| • Blackwater National Wildlife Refuge | |
| IX. Legislative Session –Agenda Attached | 6:40 p.m. |
| X. Action Items | 6:45 p.m. |
| A. Event Request – Wild Goose Chase – Friends of Blackwater | |
| B. Earmark Requests Discussion | |
| C. Poll Confirmation | |
| XI. Council’s Comments | 6:50 p.m. |
| XII. Public Comments | 6:55 p.m. |
| XIII. Adjournment | 7:00 p.m. |

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LEGISLATIVE AGENDA

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“Legislative Day”

2025 Legislative Session

Legislative Day No. 2 (in calendar year)

I. Introduction – 911 Fee Increase

6:40 p.m.

AN ACT OF THE COUNTY COUNCIL OF DORCHESTER COUNTY, MARYLAND PURSUANT TO MD. CODE ANN., PUBLIC SAFETY § 1-311 TO AMEND CHAPTER 85 – EMERGENCY TELEPHONE CHARGE, § 85-1 OF THE DORCHESTER COUNTY CODE BY INCREASING THE 911 FEE FOR DORCHESTER COUNTY, MARYLAND TO \$2.00 PER MONTH.