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January 2022

A message from the Association Staff:

It's a new year and we hope everyone had a great holiday season!

January marks the birth of Martin Luther King, Jr., a Nobel Prize winner and an icon of the civil rights movement. Martin Luther King, Jr. Day has been a Federal Holiday since it was signed into law on November 2, 1983 and is observed the third Monday in January. It also serves as the King Day of Service, one of only two National Days of Service. The Day of Service is coordinated by The Corporation for National and Community Service, a Federal agency. For more information,



https://www.americorps.gov/

Winter is here! Do you want to build a snowman? We would love to see your pictures of the snow, if you built a snowman, or any other winter fun! Send them to

the office.

As COVID-19 variants continue to spread, we encourage everyone to maintain safety measures, including wearing face masks, hand washing and social distancing. Face masks are required when visiting the Association office.

As we face the challenges of an ongoing pandemic, and begin a new year, we should reflect on the past and look to the future. We wish everyone to stay safe and well in 2022!

Kristin, Shelia & Dean

SIGN UP FOR THE NEWSLETTER & FOLLOW US ON TWITTER!

Remind friends & family to sign up for community updates. To sign-up, go to www.waterslanding.org & scroll to the bottom of the homepage and fill out the "Subscribe Here" portion.

Follow us on Twitter! @WLA_HOA

MARK YOUR CALENDARS



The next meeting will be held on Wednesday, February 16, 2022, 7 p.m.

For virtual meeting details, please visit the Association website for zoom details.

2022 Board Meeting Schedule

- February 16
- March/April Open House
 Date & Forum to be determined.
- May 18
- June 15 (pool focus)
- August 17 (if necessary, for pool items)
- September 21
- November 9 *
 - * 1st Call Annual Meeting, which is adjourned due to lack of quorum, is held immediately prior to the Board Meeting
- December 14 **
 - **Annual Meeting, no Board Meeting

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

John Pesce Nic D'Ascoli Erik Herron Mark Sagarin Vacancy to be appointed by Board*



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* Interested residents should contact the Association office to complete a candidate qualification statement by Friday, January 14, 2022.

AERC MEETING

The Architectural & Environmental Review Committee (AERC) meets the first Monday of each month at 7 p.m. to review applications for changes/additions to the outside of your property. Exterior changes or additions to your home or property – with very few exceptions – require the prior and written approval of the Association's AERC.

Deadline to submit applications is the 25th of each month. Applications must be submitted to the Association office. Applications must be complete, with all required documentation and signatures or will be returned to Homeowners. All deadlines apply. Please read the application instructions carefully.

Please click here for the AERC Application

Meeting schedule subject to change. Changes will be announced via the News Ashore & on the Association website.

The next meeting will be held on Monday, January 10, 2022, 7 p.m.

For virtual meeting details, please visit the Association website for zoom details.

2022 AERC Meeting Schedule

- January 10
- February 7
- March 7
- April 4
- May 2
- June 6
- July 11
- August 1
- September 12

- October 3
- November 7
- December 5

ASSESSMENTS/MONTHLY HOMEOWNERS PAYMENT

Waters Landing contracts with a financial management company, First Service Residential, Inc.

Assessments are due the first (1st) of each month and are considered delinquent if not received by the fifteenth (15th) of the month. Delinquent accounts will be assessed a late fee of \$15.00 each month.

Individual assessment account questions should be directed to the financial management services contractor.

First Service Residential, Inc. 8701 Georgia Avenue Silver Spring, MD 20910 Financial Manager: William Hudak

Assessment Contact: Ron Dean

Email: Ronald.dean@fsresidential.com

Phone: 301-495-6645

For Statement of Account Call Center: 1-800-870-0010

CLICK PAY LOCKBOX PAYMENT ADDRESS UPDATE

<u>Click Pay Lockbox Address Change Full</u> Information

The new remittance address is: FirstService Residential P.O. Box 31077 Tampa, FL 33631-3077



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CONNECT/FINANCIAL REPORTS



Connect is First Service Residential's secure portal for financials and access to your account. You must

register in order to have access. Please call First Service Residential's customer service number, 1-800-870-0010, if you have trouble registering your account.

https://waterslanding.connectresident.com/

For all other questions and inquiries, please continue to check out our Association website, www.waterslanding.org, or contact the Association office at 301-972-3681 or wla@waterslanding.org (email).

A PDF regarding general financial questions can be found on the Association website.

Waters Landing Financial Questions

TRASH REMINDERS

Waters Landing's trash contractor is J&J Inc. 1-800-465-2350

Trash is picked-up Mondays & Thursdays.

Trash should be placed out for collection after dusk the night before pick up days or alternatively the morning of pickup before 7:00 a.m.

Residents of Montgomery County are required to place bags of trash inside trash cans with tight fitting lids for storage and collection.

Trash cans and containers must be removed and stored out of public view by the evening of pickup days and not left in public view on drive-ways, in streets or on green spaces, such as peninsulas or islands. Bulk items are collected on Thursdays, please call J&J prior.

J&J Inc. does not pick up metal items.

Construction debris must be called into J&J Inc. prior to collection.

Trash is collected most holidays, please see schedule below.

2022 Trash Holidays

Martin Luther King, Jr. Day, Monday, January 17

NO CHANGE

President's Day, Monday, February 21 NO CHANGE

Memorial Day, Monday, May 30 NO CHANGE

Juneteenth, Sunday, June 19 NO CHANGE

Independence Day, Monday, July 4 NO CHANGE

Labor Day, Monday, September 5 NO CHANGE

Indigenous Peoples Day, Monday, October 10 NO CHANGE

Veteran's Day, Friday, November 11 NO CHANGE

Thanksgiving, Thursday, November 24 No Collection. Trash will be picked up the next regular day, Monday, November 28

Christmas, Sunday, December 25 NO CHANGE

New Year's Day, Sunday, January 1 NO CHANGE

RECYCLING REMINDERS Montgomery County

Recycling is collected by Montgomery County. Please contact the county for any





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concerns or issues at 240-777-0311 or www.mc311.com.

Recycling is picked-up on Mondays.

Recycling should be placed out for collection after dusk the night before pick up days or alternatively the morning of pickup before 7:00 a.m.

Yard and trim items should be bundled with twine for collection.

For large household appliances and other metal items, please call 240-777-0311 or visit www.mc311.com to schedule a scrap metal pick up. This service is provided to residents' year-long; however, you need to schedule pick-up.

Recyclables and recycling containers must be removed and stored out of public view by the evening of pickup days and not left in public view on drive-ways, in streets or on green spaces, such as peninsulas or islands.

Recycling pick-up is on Mondays. If a Federal holiday falls on a Monday, recycling pick up will slide to the next day, please see schedule below.

2022 Montgomery County Recycling Holidays

Martin Luther King, Jr. Day, Monday, January 17

Collection moves to Tuesday, January 18

President's Day, Monday, February 21 Collection moves to Tuesday, February 22

Memorial Day, Monday, May 30 Collection moves to Tuesday, May 31

Juneteenth, Sunday, June 19 NO CHANGE

Independence Day, Monday, July 4 Collection moves to Tuesday, July 5 Labor Day, Monday, September 5
Collection moves to Tuesday, September 6

Indigenous Peoples Day, Monday, October 10 NO CHANGE

Veteran's Day, Friday, November 11 NO CHANGE

Thanksgiving, Thursday, November 24 NO CHANGE

Christmas, Sunday, December 25 NO CHANGE

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CHRISTMAS TREE RECYCLING

Christmas trees are recycled Montgomery County. For more information, go to Montgomery County's site on Christmas tree recycling.



https://www2.montgomerycountymd.gov/DepHowDoI/material.aspx?tag=christmastrees&material kev=47

Condominiums have their own arrangements, please contact your condominium management company.

https://waterslanding.org/condominiums

Condominium Neighborhoods and Streets **Esprit:** Beaconfield Terrace and Pickering

Court

Lakeview: Shipley Terrace

Landing Glen: Ambassador Drive and

Ambassador Terrace

South Shore Harbour: Shore Harbour Drive **Waters House**: Shadyside Lane and

Shadyside Way

Waverly: Deerwater Drive



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SNOW



Snow removal in the townhome neighborhoods is completed by Waters Landing. Lead walks, or walks leading up to your home, are your

responsibility. All residents are responsible for cleaning out their own car. Saving cleaned out parking spaces is prohibited; please be courteous if your neighbor has worked hard cleaning out a parking space.

Snow removal in the single-family neighborhoods is completed by Montgomery County. For updates or additional information please call 311 or visit https://www.montgomerycountymd.gov/sn ow/snow-status.html. Sidewalks in the single-family neighborhoods are the responsibility of homeowners.

For all residents, please do not throw snow back into the parking lot, street or sidewalks after they have been cleared.

https://waterslanding.org/neighborhoods

Condominiums have their own arrangements. Please contact your condominium management company.

https://waterslanding.org/condominiums

OUTSIDE HOME MAINTENANCE -WINTERIZATION

Cold weather is here, and it is important to properly winterize your outside faucets. Without proper preparation, you could face frozen pipes and water damage requiring expensive, but avoidable repairs.



MAPS

Your resource for maps. This section of the Association webpage has the Waters Landing map, a map of the path system and neighborhood maps with street lights and dog stations marked. You will also find maps for Montgomery County & Maryland State Parks for Black Hill Regional Park, Little Bennett Regional Park, Seneca Creek State Park and the South Germantown Rec Park.

https://waterslanding.org/maps

SELLING YOUR HOME? YOU NEED A RESALE PACKAGE!

If you are selling your home, you are required by law to provide the prospective buyer with a set of Homeowner Association documents. Don't risk the legal problems that can come from a lack of full disclosure on your resale. The Waters Landing resale package is available for purchase by order through the Association office. We ask that you place your request a minimum of 5 days in advance, allowing sufficient time for preparation.

BABYSITTING & HANDYMAN DIRECTORY

We're still looking!

Waters Landing would like to provide a directory for babysitting & handyman services. If you are interested in being included, please contact the Association office by email at wla@waterslanding.org. Association will publish this Directory as a public service for residents and makes no recommendations or endorsements for the individuals listed and will not be held responsible for their actions.



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PEACE & ENJOYMENT — LOUD NOISE

You may be considering hosting or attending holiday parties this year. Homeowners, tenants and guests should be courteous to their neighbors and limit loud noises/gatherings during quiet hours.

Quiet Hours – Weekdays 9 p.m. to 7 a.m.

Quiet Hours – Weekends & Holidays 9 p.m. to 9 a.m.

Even loud noises that are causing disturbances during the day may also violate County's noise ordinance Department Montgomery County of Environmental Protection is tasked with overseeing loud noise ordinance violations. Please contact the police non-emergency line at (301) 279-8000.

https://www.montgomerycountymd.gov/DE P/contact/noise.html



STREETLIGHT OUTAGES

Streetlights are inspected about once a month for outages. If you notice there is a streetlight that is either out, dim, flickering, or on during the day, you may contact Potomac Edison (PE) directly as PE owns and maintains all streetlights. For your convenience, we have prepared a streetlight map listing all streetlights with streetlight numbers for easy notification to report outage when calling Potomac Edison at 1-800-686-0811.

Street Light Maps https://waterslanding.org/maps

HELPFUL NUMBERS

https://waterslanding.org/helpful-numbers

Trash

Single Family & Townhomes Only**
J&J Inc.1-800-465-2350
Trash Days – Monday & Thursday
Bulk Pick-Up – Thursday*

- * Please call J&J prior to putting bulk items out and for any questions regarding bulk trash collection.
- ** Condo residents should contact their condominium management company.

Recycling

Montgomery County

By Phone: 311

Alternate Phone Number: 240-777-0311 www.montgomerycountymd.gov/recycling

Recycling Day - Monday

- Mixed Paper
- Plastic
- Scrap Metal Hot Water Heaters, Dishwashers, Washers/Dryers
- Yard Trim Grass, Leaves, Brush

Request a new blue bin or request pickup of a broken bin

https://www2.montgomerycountymd.gov/depwebstore/items.aspx?subcatalogid=11

Request a scrap metal recycling collection https://www.montgomerycountymd.gov/scrapmetal

Utilities

Street Light Issues
Street lights are owned & maintained by
Potomac Edison.
1-800-686-0011

Report a streetlight malfunction – Montgomery County streets

 Single Family Neighborhoods; Waters Landing Drive, Crystal Rock Drive, Wynnfield Drive, Wisteria Drive

https://www.montgomerycountymd.gov/D0 T-Traffic/streetlight maint.html



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Potomac Edison Electric Power Outages 1-888-544-4877 Customer Service

1-800-686-0011

WSSC

(Washington Suburban Sanitation Commission)

Emergencies 301-206-4002

Customer Service 301-206-4001

Washington Gas 1-844-927-4427

MISS UTILITY

MISS UTILITY should be contacted prior to work to mark any underground utility lines. 1-800-257-7777

POST OFFICE

Germantown Post Office 310-428-0460

Mailbox & key issues should be reported to the Germantown Post Office.

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https://montgomerycountymd.gov/home.as px

Upcounty Regional Services Center

https://www.montgomerycountymd.gov/up county/index.html

Upcounty Services

https://www.montgomerycountymd.gov/up county/services.html

Montgomery County Parks

https://www.montgomeryparks.org/

Montgomery County Recreation

https://www.montgomerycountymd.gov/rec/activitiesandprograms/classes/

Montgomery County COVID-19

https://montgomerycountymd.gov/covid19/

Montgomery County Council

https://www.montgomerycountymd.gov/council/

Montgomery County Information Service

By Phone: 311

Alternate Phone Number: 240-777-0311 https://www.montgomerycountymd.gov/mc 311/

Animal Control

Code Enforcement

Department of Technology Landlord/Tenant Affairs

Noise Control

Permitting Services

Recreation

Recycling

Montgomery County Police

https://www.montgomerycountymd.gov/pol

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Non-Emergency 301-279-8000

Germantown Police Station

301-840-2650