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February 11 Commissioner Meeting Rollup

LEONARDTOWN, MD – The Commissioners of St. Mary's County (CSMC) began their business meeting with an invocation and the pledge, followed by approval of the consent agenda.

The CSMC then presented a proclamation in recognition of National Engineers Week.

The Commissioners then held a <u>recognition ceremony</u> for volunteer members of our local Boards, Committees, and Commissions. Learn more about local Boards, Committees, and Commissions, and how you can get involved at: <u>www.stmaryscountymd.gov/boards</u>.

The Commissioners then <u>accepted a check</u> from the Tri-County Council for the modernization of the St. Mary's County Regional Airport.

For their main agenda item, the Commissioners approved the request to hold a public hearing regarding the proposed increase to the Rescue Tax for the <u>Leonardtown Volunteer Rescue Squad</u>.

During County Administrator Time, the Commissioners took the following action:

- Reviewed future CSMC meeting agendas.
- <u>Approved</u> the Sheriff's Office request to convert the vacant Agency Health Nurse position to an Information Systems and Analytics Manager position.
- <u>Approved</u> the FY25 Local Management Board Capacity Building Grant as outlined in the ENOUGH Initiative.
- <u>Approved</u> the Department of Public Works & Transportation (DPW&T) reorganization in collaboration with the County Administrator, Human Resources, and Finance.

The Commissioners then received a legislative update from the Office of the County Attorney.

The Commissioners wrapped their business meeting with Commissioner Time.

Please note that the Budget Work Session (BWS) scheduled for today has been <u>canceled</u> due to inclement weather and agenda items moved to the next **Budget Work Session scheduled for February 25, 2025. Residents are encouraged to visit https://bit.ly/SMCG-FY26-Budget to view the budget timeline and meeting schedule, watch meeting videos, and even leave feedback on local priorities.**

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There will be no CSMC business meeting on Tuesday, February 17, 2025. The next Commissioner's business meeting will be on February 25, 2025, at 9 a.m. in the CSMC Meeting Room, on the 1st floor of the Chesapeake Building, located at 41770 Baldridge Street in Leonardtown. There will also be a Budget Work Session that afternoon at 1:30 p.m. CSMC decisions and related documents are available on the SMCG website in BoardDocs. Meetings are open to the public and can be viewed live on TV Channel 95 or on-demand via www.youtube.com/@StMarysCoGov.

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