

Council Meeting Actions

The following actions were taken by the Somerset Town Council at its monthly meeting, held March 7, 2022:

- Approved a Declaration establishing Friday, April 29 as Arbor Day in the Town of Somerset
- Approved a letter of support for the Farm Women's Market Revitalization Project inclusion in the County's 2023 Budget, as tentatively agreed between the Town of Chevy Chase and Montgomery County Executive's office
- Approved joining as a signatory on the River Road Coalition letter, which opposed River Road being labeled a Growth Corridor in the Thrive Montgomery 2050 plan
- Approved an extension of Zoom as a virtual Town Meeting space through June 2022
- Denied building permit application submitted by Chris Conlan of C.M. Conlan Contractors & Builders Inc., for the demolition and construction of a new single-family home at the property located at 5506 Trent Street
- Approved an expenditure not to exceed \$8,000 for the early opening of the Town Pool, with an opening date of Friday, May 13
- Approved the expenditure of \$8,539.60 to Electec to provide election counting and management services, as recommended by the Town's Board of Supervisors of Elections
- Approved the 2022 Election Procedures, as recommended by the Town's Board of Supervisors of Elections
- Adopted Ordinance 12-21-2, an Ordinance to amend Chapter 182 of the Somerset Code of Ordinances, to amend tree removal application requirements, amend the criteria for permit decisions, and add permit conditions
- Approved a Resolution to edit the established Procurement Policy
- The following actions were taken by the Somerset Town Council at its monthly Work Session, held March 14, 2022
- Approved the expenditure of \$44,000 for the installation of two (2) new pumps for the Somerset Town Pool
- Approved a letter of support for funding for a dog park in the existing Willard Avenue Park, to be funded in the Montgomery County Capital Improvements Program budget
- Approved a letter of support for Senate Bill 376, proposed by **Senator Al Carr**, which would allow municipalities to purchase streetlights from public utility companies