



Please join us at **6:30 pm** in the Hazel Auditorium's lobby to enjoy light refreshments.

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## !Important Notice!

The Civic Federation has changed the day on which it holds its monthly meetings. Effective October 2019, the Federation's General Membership Meetings are being held on the third Tuesday of the month until further notice. The meetings will continue to start at 7 PM and will continue to be held in the Hazel Auditorium at the Virginia Hospital Center.

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### President's Corner

It has been quite an adventure this month. I hope everyone has had their drinking water restored.

Our program for November will consist of the elected Senators and Delegates giving an update of what they hope to accomplish in the next Assembly. The constitutional officers will explain their jobs and challenges. Closing out the program part of the meeting will be Arlington Public Schools presenting upcoming changes that will be taking place for next year.

The Public Services committee headed by Jackie Snelling will be presenting a resolution on which you will be asked to vote. You might study the resolution prior to the meeting.

I attended the Youth Mental Health from A-Z program at the Shirlington Library. It was a very informative program that utilizes schools, Doorways, physicians, and Human Services. Many fun festivals and meetings have taken place since our last regular meeting with more to come, so look to the announcements for something that might interest you.

Some time sensitive events are listed below+:

- **November 13, Arlington 100**, Affordable Housing-Is Density our Destiny? with panelists Michelle Winters, Peter Rousselot, and Jeannette Chapman. 7 pm meet and greet, 7:30 for dinner, and program at 8 pm at Marymount-Phelan Hall.
  - **November 13, Learning from this Place, Bringing Arlington to Hall[s Hill, 6:30]**, Virginia Hospital Center Hazel Auditorium:
  - **November 13, Lyon Park, Community Conversation : The Legacy of Racial Covenants in Lyon Park.** 7 pm, 414 N. Fillmore St.
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## APS PRESENTATION AT THE NOVEMBER MEMBERSHIP MEETING

### Elementary School Planning for 2021

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#### THE CIVIC FEDERATION'S WEBSITE

Burt Bostwick and Adam Henderson continue to make improvements to CivFed's website <http://www.civfed.org/>. More are coming.

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#### 2019-2020 BOARD OF DIRECTORS

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Any Delegate, Alternate or member of a Member Organization may participate on any Public Interest or Support Committee (Please contact the Committee chair or point of contact or [President Sandy Newton](#) if you are interested participating on ACCF Committees.)

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## **MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE REPORTS and RESOLUTIONS**

### **Legislative Committee**

#### [Legislative Update](#)

Committee meetings on Detention Center  
Nov.14, 7-8:30 Falls Church, City Hall  
November 20, 7-8:30 Alexandria, Lee Center, 1108 Jefferson  
November 21, 7-8:30 Central Library, Arlington

### **Environmental Committee**

#### [FAA Flight Patterns](#)

### **Public Services Committee**

#### [Resolution on Flood Mitigation and Stormwater Management](#)

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## **MEMBER ASSOCIATION ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**November 14, The Bottom: An Arlington African-American Enclave Uncovered**, 7 pm Reinsch Library, 2807 North Glebe Road

**November 23**, 29th annual Lyon Park Craft Fair, 9 am - 3 pm

**December 7**, Washington Liberty High School **Holiday Bazaar** 10 am - 4 pm

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## **LINKS TO MEETING DOCUMENTS**

[October 2019 Treasurer's Report](#)

[October 2019 General Meeting Minutes](#)

[October 2019 Board of Directors Draft Meeting Minutes](#)

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## **CIVIC FEDERATION INCLEMENT WEATHER CANCELLATION POLICY**

ACCF follows the decisions of the Arlington Public School System when cancelling its meetings due to bad weather. Here is a link to the APS [HOMEPAGE](#) for information when inclement weather is imminent.

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**FREE PARKING AT THE VIRGINIA HOSPITAL CENTER**

Delegates, Alternates and others attending Arlington County Civic Federation meetings at Virginia Hospital Center can park for FREE in the B/GOLD garage under the 1635 Medical Office Building at Virginia Hospital Center. Although people may have to take a ticket to enter the B/GOLD garage, the exit gate will be raised when you leave. If the gate is down, press the speaker button and the security office will raise the gate remotely. The garage has abundant parking spaces. Please note, parking in any other lot on Virginia Hospital Center property is not free.

