

Takoma Park City Council Meeting – October 19, 2016 Agenda Item 1

Presentation

Executive Director of the Metropolitan Washington Council of Governments, Chuck Bean

Recommended Council Action

None.

Context with Key Issues

The City of Takoma Park is an active member in the Metropolitan Washington Council of Governments (COG). Founded in 1957, COG is an independent, nonprofit association, with a membership of 300 elected officials from 22 local governments, the Maryland and Virginia state legislatures, and U.S. Congress. COG is supported by financial contributions from its member governments, federal and state grants and contracts, and donations from foundations and the private sector. (From the COG website.)

Mr. Bean will attend the City Council meeting to brief the Council on COG activities and member benefits.

Council Priority

Engaged, Responsive, Service-oriented Government

Environmental Impact of Action N/A

Fiscal Impact of Action N/A

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