



Takoma Park City Council Meeting – November 18, 2020 Agenda Item 5

Work Session

Legislative Update

Recommended Council Action

Hear update

Context with Key Issues

Ann Ciekot of Public Policy Partners will provide an update on legislative activities already underway for the Maryland General Assembly Legislative Session that formally begins in January. This year, due to the COVID-19 pandemic, the proposed bills will be discussed earlier in the Session. As Ms. Ciekot will share, the Session has very different operating procedures for this year, which will affect how we pursue legislation in the City's interest.

On December 9, the District 20 Delegation will come before the Takoma Park City Council for the D20 Joint Priorities Hearing. This will be an opportunity for the public and the Council to speak with the District 20 representatives before the Session begins.

Council Priority

Engaged, Responsive, Service-oriented Government

Environmental Considerations

The Council will consider legislation in light of its positions regarding an environmentally sustainable community.

Fiscal Considerations

The Council will keep fiscal impacts in mind when considering legislation.

Racial Equity Considerations

The Council will consider legislation in lights of its commitment to address race equity.

Attachments and Links