



**CITY OF TAKOMA PARK, MARYLAND  
CITY COUNCIL REGULAR MEETING**

**VOTING SESSION AND WORK SESSION**

**Wednesday, May 8, 2024 – 7:30 PM  
Takoma Park Community Center Auditorium**

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(RCN – 13, HD 1060; Comcast/xfinity – 13, HD 997; Verizon Fios – 28),  
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**AGENDA**

**7:30 PM  
CALL TO ORDER/ROLL CALL**

Mayor Searcy  
Councilmember Fulcher, Councilmember Dyballa, Councilmember Gibson,  
Councilmember Seamens, Councilmember Honzak, Councilmember Small

**CHANGES TO THE AGENDA / AGENDA SCHEDULING UPDATE**

**FOR THE RECORD**

- Recognition of Dr. Zadia T. Gadsden, Principle of Takoma Park Elementary School and Washington Post Principal of the Year
- Proclamation of May as Mental Health Awareness Month

**PUBLIC COMMENTS ON VOTING ITEMS**

**GENERAL PUBLIC COMMENTS**

*(Sign up for the public hearing and public comments over Zoom will be open until 5:00 PM on  
the day of the meeting. Registration is not required to comment in person.)*

**COUNCIL COMMENTS**

**CITY MANAGER COMMENTS**

## **VOTING SESSION**

1. **First Reading Ordinance Adopting the FY 2025 Tax Rates**

### **Council Vote to Convene as the Stormwater Management Board**

2. **First Reading Ordinance Adopting the FY 2025 Stormwater Management Budget**
3. **First Reading Ordinance Adopting the FY 2025 Budget**
4. **Resolution Supporting the Maple Community Association Juneteenth Event**
5. **Single Reading Ordinance Authorizing a Contract with NZI Construction Corp. for the Houston Avenue Stormwater Treatment Project**

## **WORK SESSION**

6. **Memorandum of Agreement Between the Maryland Office of Administrative Hearings and the City of Takoma Park to Provide an Administrative Law Judge or Retired Judge to Serve on Disciplinary Panels Convened Under the Maryland Police Accountability Act**

## **ADJOURNMENT**

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