

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Commissioners of St. Mary's County will hold a Public Hearing on **April 20, 2021 at 9:15 a.m.** in the Chesapeake Building located at 41770 Baldrige Street in Leonardtown, Maryland, to consider an Ordinance to amend Chapter 267 of the Code of St. Mary's County, Maryland, to grant a Tax Credit for Improvements to Commercial Real Property which can be viewed at: <http://www.stmarysmd.com/publichearings.asp>

Public meetings are now open to the public as long as social distancing guidelines can be maintained and the Commissioners' Meeting Room capacity limits do not exceed 32. Everyone in attendance must adhere to the social distancing guidelines and wear a mask at all times except when speaking, consuming food/drink or have a disability. If social distancing guidelines or occupancy room capacity limits cannot be followed, the meeting will have to be rescheduled. While the public is allowed to be physically present, the public may still participate by viewing, submitting a video clip, email, mail or calling as listed below. The public is strongly encouraged to view the meeting remotely on Channel 95 and YouTube. For additional information please contact Sharon.Ferris@stmarysmd.com.

In lieu of appearance, comments may be submitted via:

- a. Written comments via Email: csmc@stmarysmd.com
- b. Mail: PO Box 653 Leonardtown, MD, 20650
- c. Call 301-475-4200 x 1234 to speak at the Joint Public Meeting.
- d. Submit a 3-minute video clip to publicmtgs@stmarysmd.com by April 27, 2021 at 5:00 pm.

Citizens may listen to the Public Hearing by calling 301-579-7236; Access code: 963443#.

All submissions will be considered by the Commissioners at the Public Hearing and/or seven (7) days following the Public Hearing.

Public Hearing Guidelines are subject to change.

Appropriate accommodations for individuals with special needs will be provided upon request. In order to meet these requirements, we respectfully ask for one week's prior notice. Please contact the County Commissioners Office at 301-475-4200, Ext. 1340. Proceedings are televised live and/or recorded for later broadcast on television. All content of these proceedings is subject to disclosure under the Maryland Public Information Act. Photographic and electronic audio and visual broadcasting and recording devices are used during the Commissioners' meetings. These are public meetings and attendance at these meetings automatically grants St. Mary's County Government permission to broadcast your audio and visual image.

COMMISSIONERS OF ST. MARY'S COUNTY

By: David A. Weiskopf, County Attorney