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# **Diverse groups put 'community'** in Vienna's rec center

by Communications Specialist Adam Kincaid

• he Vienna Community Center caters to individuals and groups that represent a variety of ages, abilities, and interests. On any given day, the recently reopened, renovated and expanded center may serve a mature group of diehard board gamers as well as a gaggle of pool-playing preteens and a precious class of tumbling preschoolers as well as teams of testosterone-fueled basketball competitors.

"Each activity, class, or open gym consistently draws a group of people who make coming here part of their daily routine," says Community Center Assistant Manager Nick Jones. "From early in the morning until 10:30, sometimes 11 at night, we actually expect to see our regulars doing their thing."

A group of retirees with a passion for mahjongg, a tile-based board game that originated in China in the 17th century, converges on the center from all over Northern Virginia each Wednesday afternoon to play for up to four hours.

The center, says Elaine Varner, a mahjongg devotee of many years, is "kind of a diamond in the rough. Plenty of places host

mahjongg, but what's unique about our game at the Vienna Community Center is the kinds of people who come to play and how we want to play. Sometimes people have to come late or leave early, and we have to play shorthanded. A lot of places aren't cool with that. It's nice to have a niche place to play."

The community center functions as a haven of convenience and easy



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# Vienna welcomes new planning director

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indy Petkac, a planning professional with more than 20 years of community development and long-range planning experience, has joined the Town of Vienna as planning and zoning director. Petkac took over January 29 from Patrick Mulhern, who retired from the Town in January.

A certified planner with the American Planning Association (APA), Petkac most recently served, since March 2015, as planning division chief with the City of Fairfax. She also has worked as principal planner with the Union Station Redevelopment Corporation, planning manager for the City of Duluth (Minnesota), neighborhood planning coordinator for the District of Columbia, and transportation planner with the Chatham County-Savannah Metropolitan Planning Commission.

Currently a Herndon resident, Petkac grew up in a Cleveland suburb. "I walked to school, the corner store. I biked to the pool," Petkac recalls. "Everyone should have an opportunity to grow up and live in a place that is walkable, feels safe, and has great places to go and shop.

"Vienna is a great town," she adds. "It has a small-town atmosphere and yet all the benefits of being in a larger region with access to good jobs, shopping, schools. It's the best of both worlds. Vienna has a lot of great places, and I'm excited to work with Town Council and residents to make it be just a little bit...



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friendships for other groups as well. After school most days, the Club Phoenix Teen Center hosts 11 sixth- and seventh-graders.

"They have Cup of Noodles and a microwave," says Zoe Bennik, a sixthgrader at Cunningham Park Elementary in explanation of her affinity for the center.

Anna Heller, a sixth-grader at Vienna Elementary, came to the teen center on her brother's coat tails. "My brother came here when he was my age, and my mom encouraged me to come," she says. "It's kind of expected living here, and it's so convenient that it's right across from my school. You also get to meet kids from other schools and make friends in a place for people your age."

When asked what the most popular activity at the teen center is, almost all 11 youth resoundingly replied: "Pool!"

"It's such a great game that everyone can play," says Vienna Elementary sixthgrader Tatem Kline. "It fits in with having a nice place designed for us."

Other activities include just hanging out, doing homework, and sometimes enjoying the casual Hot Pocket.

On Wednesday nights, grown men from all over the area come to the community center to quench their thirst for competitive basketball battles in the new auditorium. The games aren't always necessarily family-friendly.

"When we opened our doors in September and had our first basketball open gym night in the new auditorium, we told the guys that they could play two games at once and share the court," says Jones. "But they take it so seriously that they want full-court play and are willing to wait through one game at a time to get their fix."

Vienna resident Darius Smith has to convince his girlfriend every week why Wednesday ball night is such a big deal. "I always have to tell my lady why I need to get here. She doesn't understand what Wednesday night is all about!" Smith



points to another young man anxiously watching the current game and adds: "My friend here, he has a rare day off from his job and look where he is."

Many of the players already are familiar with one another through different rec centers, parks, leagues, and high schools so it's easy for a game to feature both quality play and also a little intensity and drama.

"You want to win," says Smith, "and since the winning team stays on the court to play the next team, you want to get on that run. It gets a little rowdy, grown men bumping up against each other, all that testosterone. But there's never been any fights, everyone appreciates this place so much that they don't want to start something and [mess] it up here."

Mozone "Mo" Kelly, who is on the parks and recreation staff and runs Wednesday nights, has played and coached in the area for many years.

"I've been around the game for a long time," he says, "and it's so interesting to see all these different ages here. The older guys want to stick their tongues out while going up for a dunk, just like Michael Jordan did. The slightly younger guys want to do the flashy crossover dribble like Allen Iverson used to do, and these new kids want to shoot the ball practically



from half court like Steph Curry."

Whether it's basketball or pool, tumbling or mahjongg, there's activity and community happening at the center practically around the clock. On this particular day, Jones was high-fiving a toddler early in the afternoon and speaking with his mother about arranging for his birthday party at the center. Eight hours later, he was fetching an icepack for an ankle after there was a hard collision on a layup.



# Town considering parking opportunity in commercial/industrial zone

Providing additional parking opportunities to promote park-once, walk-more accessibility to Vienna's commercial area has been a long-term Town goal, at least since adoption of the Church Street Vision in 1997. A 2008 study, prepared by the Planning Commission, indicated a shortfall of approximately 250 parking spaces in the Town's Church Street commercial area.

Recently, the Town has been in discussions with a Mill Street developer to purchase a floor of a proposed four-story building (with one additional floor below ground) that would provide about 127 public parking spaces. Tenacity Group has proposed constructing a 45-foot tall, by-right building at 223-241 Mill Street. The developer plans commercial uses on the first floor with self-storage units on the third and fourth floors; the second floor has been offered to the Town for public parking. The developer also has proposed a sidewalk and streetscape that are compatible with the Church Street Vision.

Town Council will consider this potential purchase early this spring. A Council work session was held last month to discuss funding for the proposed property acquisition, and a public hearing is scheduled for the Town Council meeting that will begin at 8 p.m. Monday, February 26. The general public may voice feedback (either concerns and opposition or support or questions) at the public hearing.

In addition, a series of informal informational meetings about the project were held last month. One more informational meeting is scheduled for 5:30 p.m. Wednesday, February 7, in Council Chambers at Town Hall. Additional meetings may be scheduled if deemed necessary.

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more. What could we do to make Vienna a little more walkable, to improve on the community slightly?"

From Cleveland, Petkac headed to Bowling Green State University, which she attended with the intention of being a social studies teacher. When job market realities were pointed out, though, she opted instead to major in geography. "I like geography, maps, and places," she says. "That's how I ended up in planning. Planning is all about placemaking and what makes a community great."

Petkac followed up her bachelor's degree with a master's degree in urban planning, design, and development from Cleveland State University.

Accomplishments across her 20-year planning career include:

• implementing a community engagement process for the City of Fairfax's current comprehensive plan update that included

> a survey, events, scavenger hunt, and presentation by an expert panel on community development and economic vitality

- completely rewriting the City of Duluth's zoning regulations and streamlining its permitting processes and reviews
- penning a newsletter article for the American Institute of Certified Planners entitled "10 Things to Remember When Preparing a Plan," based on an unsuccessful planning initiative in the District of Columbia.

"My planning philosophy," she says, "is that communities are about people. If people don't live in a city, then it's just a bunch of empty buildings. One of the challenges in doing good planning is involving the community and getting them excited about planning for the future."

In one of her previous jobs, Petkac was the neighborhood planner for the area surrounding what is now Nationals Ballpark. Today, she's a Nationals season ticketholder, though she also still roots for her Cleveland teams, the Indians and Browns. In addition, Petkac writes women's fiction in her spare time. Though she has not yet been published, she's currently working on her third novel, which will be set in the Northern Virginia suburbs. **V** 

## Say 'thank you' to community volunteers

# Two ways to cheer your peers

on't miss the 2018 opportunity to spread some community love by nominating a hardworking, community-building, likely underappreciated individual or local business to be recognized at the annual Mayor's Volunteer Reception. The reception will take place at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, April 17, at the Vienna Volunteer Fire Department. Nominations are due March 3. This is your annual opportunity to show your appreciation for a neighbor, colleague, community activist, friend, or businessperson who deserves a pat on the back. Go to **viennava.gov/volunteers**, complete the form, and submit it to Town Hall.

As part of the volunteer reception, the Town Business Liaison

Committee presents the Carole Wolfand Award to a business that has generously donated time, staff, money, and/or efforts to enhancing community life in Vienna. Submit Carole Wolfand nominations by March 7 to Communications Specialist Adam Kincaid at **adam**. **kincaid@viennava.gov**. (Be sure to put "Carole Wolfand nomination" as the subject.) Nominations, which also will be accepted at Town Hall, should include:

- name, address, and phone number of the nominated business
- in 200 words or less, a description of the business's contributions/ actions and why you think it deserves to be recognized
- nominator's name, address, and phone number.



# **Got mulch?**

our yard is hungry. Feed it some mulch.

Ground leaf mulch is available for delivery to Town residents free of charge. Mulch is delivered to the end of the driveway nearest the house.

To request mulch delivery, call the Mulch Order Line at 703-255-6388 and follow the instructions when leaving a message. Mulch may be ordered online through the last business day in February by completing the form available at **viennava.gov/mulch**. Deliveries are already underway.

Residents may pick up mulch in any amount from 9 a.m.-3 p.m. weekdays through March 31. The mulch is stored at 442 Beulah Road NE – look for the sign that says: "Free Leaf Mulch."

Questions? Call the public works administration line at 703-255-6380; please call this number if you have a pervious driveway.



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Send community news and high-resolution photographs to **lynne.dewilde@viennava.gov.** All material provided is subject to editorial review and revision and will be used as space allows. **Deadline for the March issue is February 9.** 



# Town offers thermal cameras to assess home energy efficiency

by David Steiner, Community Enhancement Commission

hat was some cold spell we endured just after the new year, eh? Now that temperatures have (hopefully) normalized a bit, you may be curious about just how well your home is protecting you from outdoor elements.

The Community Enhancement Commission is pleased to announce that Town of Vienna residents may now borrow thermal cameras to evaluate how well your home is insulated from the heat and cold. These cameras attach to smartphones and take thermal photos of walls and around doors and windows.

When you use a thermal camera, you can identify hot and cold spots in your house that cannot be detected by the naked eye.

Air leaks are among some of the easiest fixes in a home that can have a direct financial benefit related to energy costs. According to the U.S. Department of Energy, addressing these leaks can save homeowners \$200-400 a year on energy bills.

Most repairs of air leaks involve materials that are available at the local hardware store and can be done either by yourself or a handyman. When done correctly, these repairs may save more than energy costs because they also may reduce outside noise and improve indoor air quality. How do the cameras work? You attach the camera to your iPhone or Android device. It acts as a regular camera, but the resulting photos assign colors based on objects' temperatures, typically with hot objects appearing as white, yellow, red, and orange and cool areas as blue or violet. These images can

help homeowners determine where (heated or cooled) air is escaping from their homes.

Two Androidand two iPhonecompatible cameras are available for checkout through the Town's Parks and Recreation Department. To sign out a camera, call 703-255-6360.



## **Town Council Actions**

The following items represent recent Town Council actions, but do not constitute official meeting minutes. The most recent approved Town Council minutes, agendas, and meeting videos are available online at **viennava.gov**.

#### **January 8**

- Approved an application process for bicycle racks as recommended by the Transportation Safety Commission.
- Adopted the Pedestrian Master Plan as presented by the Transportation Safety Commission.
- Approved a funding resolution authorizing application for a VDOT Transportation Alternative grant for a sidewalk extension project along Church Street NE.
- Approved funding resolutions for FY2019-20 VDOT Revenue Sharing projects, including sidewalks along Church Street NE, Echols Street SE reconstruction, and pavement maintenance.
- Set a public hearing for January 29 related to a proposed bond ordinance that would authorize issuance of general obligation bonds by the Town of Vienna in an amount up to \$15 million, in one or more series, which may be tax exempt or taxable, for the purpose of financing, among other things, acquisition, renovation, or improvement costs related to the Vienna police station as well as Town sidewalks, roads, parks, recreational facilities, stormwater facilities, parking facilities and real property, and the Town's water and sewer system.

#### **Appointed to serve**

At its January 8 meeting, Town Council re-appointed **Walter Basnight** to a two-year term on the Planning Commission.

# Mayor @ Your Service The latest 411 on transforming I-66

ayor Laurie DiRocco will host her quarterly Mayor @ Your Service event at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, February 13, at Town Hall. The topic of this forum will be the I-66 expansion project.



VDOT Megaprojects Director

Susan Shaw will be the guest speaker and will present information about how VDOT plans to share ongoing project updates with residents. Noise walls, the environment, and the segmented work timeline also will be discussed.

# **Snow removal etiquette for businesses**

S hould Mother Nature bring additional fluffy winter weather over the next couple of months, the Town of Vienna requests the assistance of commercial property owners and agents in effectively removing snow.

In the past, private commercial property owners have sometimes removed snow from their parking lots, sidewalks, and other customer areas only to pile it on public sidewalks and streets. Piling snow in public rights of way is a misdemeanor under Town Code and constitutes creation of a

public nuisance. It also delays the Town's ability to effectively clear streets, sidewalks, and other public areas.

For the benefit of all residents, visitors, and customers, please do not block any sidewalk or right-of-way with snow removed from private property. Thank you for your cooperation!



## **Open for business**

Town of Vienna business licenses were issued in December to these companies:

**2T Restaurant** *restaurant* 262 Cedar Lane 703-698-8010

Sagebrush Treatment group residential facility 920 Circle Drive SE 703-937-7169 Sherri Studios microblading 352 Maple Avenue W 240-593-1264

**The Sports Center Corporation** sales 204 Mill Street NE 703-280-2248

## Vienna businesses with staying power

Congratulations to the following Vienna businesses celebrating milestone anniversaries this month.

45 YEARS Vienna Endodontics

25 YEARS Vienna Valet

20 YEARS Theodore W. Fetter, M.D.

15 YEARS Argent Heating and Cooling Codiak Consulting Panatechnica Shani Horne M.AC, L.AC 10 YEARS Northern Virginia Massage Center Silverkey

5 YEARS David A. Guilladeu Koru Family Pathways T. White Consulting Vienna Dermatology



## Parks & Rec Sampler

#### Ah, the joys of travel

Want a little escape from winter? Consider participating in a program offered by the Town of Vienna's Parks and Recreation Department; travel seems to be a dominant theme for this month's offerings.

Considering a trip to Cuba? Former Foreign Service Officer Peter Himmelberger, who has traveled and lived in more than 85 countries, will discuss many of the options for travel to Cuba during a free presentation at 10 a.m. Monday, February 5, at the Vienna Community Center.

Combine travel and education through the Road Scholar program, which offers more than 5,500 learning adventures typically for lifelong learners who are 50 and older. A Road Scholar ambassador will share information about educational travel and experiential learning opportunities at 10 a.m. Monday, February 12, at the community center.

If you just can't wait for spring to blossom in Virginia, consider a trip to the PHS Philadelphia Flower Show, the world's oldest and largest indoor flower show. This year's show celebrates the "Wonders of Water" and includes fabulous designs, live entertainment, gardening how-to workshops, and lectures by experts. The Parks and Recreation Department's trip is from 7:30 a.m.-8:30 p.m. March 7. The cost is \$70 for Town residents and \$87.50 for others.

#### Home is where the heart is

Some modifications can make it easier for older adults to stay in their homes as they age. Gain ideas and inspiration and learn about changes that can allow seniors to go about daily activities while staying comfortable, independent, and injury-free at home through a free AARP Home Fit workshop, presented at 12:30 p.m. Monday, February 12, at the community center.

Register for parks and recreation programs and trips via WebTrac at **viennava.gov/webtrac** or call 703-255-6360.

#### **Remembering Tammy**

The community is invited to attend a dedication ceremony in memory of Teen Center Program Coordinator Tammy Funk, who passed away last year. The ceremony will take place at 6 p.m. Friday, February 23, at the Club Phoenix Teen Center, where Funk worked on behalf of Vienna youth for more than 10 years.



# **HAPPENINGS**round town

The Giving Circle of Hope, in partnership with the Reston-Herndon AAUW, will offer a panel presentation entitled "Unknown Americans: Giving Voice to the Immigrant Experience" at 10 am Saturday, February 3, at the North County Government Center, 1801 Cameron Glen Drive, Reston. The presentation will include immigrants' personal accounts as well as information about services, hope, and dignity offered by Just Neighbors, Mason DREAMers, and Lutheran Social Services. This event is free and open to the public. Registration and additional information are available at eventbrite.com.

Vienna (Host) Lions Club will hold a fundraiser from 11 am-9 pm February 6 at Foster's Grille. Simply put your receipt in the Lions box, and Foster's will donate 20% of your purchase to Lions' youth, sight, hearing, and community programs. For more information, call Tom Comi at 703-281-4575 or visit facebook.com/viennahostlionsclub.

Join your friends or make new ones at the Shepherd's Center of Oakton-Vienna's "Dining with Dorothy" socializing/dining event at 12:30 pm Wednesday, February 7, at Lotus Garden Restaurant, 224 Maple Avenue W. To reserve a space, contact Dorothy Flood at dflood1706@gmail.com.

Food and travel writer CiCi Williamson will present on "How the Culinary Scenes from Downton Abbey were Filmed," as part of the Shepherd's Center of Oakton-Vienna's Adventures in Learning series, at 11 am Thursday, February 8, at the Unitarian Universalist Congregation of Fairfax, 2709 Hunter Mill Road. Guests may sample this class for free.

The Shepherd's Center of Oakton-Vienna, along with the Town of Vienna's Parks and Recreation Department, will host a Mardi Gras celebration from 12-2 pm Friday, February 9, at the Vienna Community Center. This event includes lunch, trivia and prizes, and mask-making. Registration and a fee of \$10 is due February 1 (there may be some flexibility in the deadline); call 703-281-0538 to confirm space availability.

Sister Simone Campbell, a nationally recognized social justice activist and author of A Nun on the Bus, will provide a free presentation at 10 am Saturday, February 10, at the Vienna Community Center. The presentation, co-sponsored by the American Association of University Women and Patrick Henry Library, will focus on economic justice, immigration issues, healthcare reform, and voter turnout. For more information, visit vienna-va.aauw.net.

The deadline for applications to participate in the 55th Annual James A. Bland Contest is February 12. Sponsored by the Vienna (Host) Lions Club, the contest is for school-aged vocalists and

instrumentalists, who each present a song or piece of no more than eight minutes. The competition is at 1 pm Saturday, February 17, at Vienna Assembly of God Church, 100 Ayr Hill Avenue. Cash prizes will be awarded to first- and second-place winners in each category; first-place winners move on to the next level of competition. Information and applications are available from Susan Stiles at sandcs89@yahoo.com or 703-409-7083.

The Vienna Photographic Society offers two programs this month. Arthur Ransom will present on "Discover Yourself through Photography" at 7:30 pm Wednesday, February 14, in the cafeteria at Thoreau Middle School. Learn how to improve composition for photography and art during a critigue and competition session at 7:30 pm Wednesday, February 21, also in the cafeteria at Thoreau Middle School. These events are free and open to the public. The themes for February are black and white and winter. For more information, visit vpsva.org.

Author Tom Glenn will discuss his firsthand account of the last days of South Vietnam, where he served as a CIA agent, at the Vietnam Veterans of America, Chapter 227, meeting at 7:30 pm Thursday, February 15, at Amphora Restaurant, 377 Maple Avenue W. Glenn was one of the last Americans evacuated from Saigon before the South Vietnamese government surrendered. Admission is free. The Rotary Club of Vienna and For more information, call Len Vienna Business Association will host an Ignatowski at 703-255-0353 or Inova Blood Donor Services community blood visit vva227.org. drive from 10:30 am-3 pm Tuesday, February 20, at

The first session of a the Vienna Community Center, 120 Cherry Street SE. To monthly Great Decisions make an appointment, visit inova.org/DonateBlood; click **Discussion Group**, on "Schedule a Donation," then "Donate Blood," and use sponsored by the sponsor code 1058. For more information, contact George Shepherd's Center of Creed at 703-216-5535 or gcreed@earthlink.net. Oakton-Vienna, begins A government-issued photo ID will be required to February 16. Classes will be donate blood. Allow about an hour for from 10 am-noon on the third Friday of most months at Vienna Seventh-Day Adventist Church, 344 Courthouse Road SW. Great Decisions, America's largest discussion program on world affairs, is designed by the Foreign Policy Association to bring people together to discuss, debate, and learn about important global challenges. Registration is required; the \$27 fee includes a briefing book. More information and an application form are available at scov.org/files/2018 great decisions flyer.pdf.

Enjoy omelets, scrambled eggs, blueberry pancakes, bacon, and more at the American Legion Post 180 breakfast buffet from 8 am-noon Sunday, February 18, at 330 Center Street N. The breakfast is \$9 for adults and \$3 for children 12 and under. For more information, call 703-938-6580.

Pam Powers, president of the Arlington Rose Foundation, will speak on "How to Choose and Prune Roses" at the February 26 meeting of the Ayr Hill Garden Club. The meeting will begin at 1 pm at Emmanuel Lutheran Church, 2589 Chain Bridge Road; complimentary refreshments will be served at 12:45 pm. Guests are encouraged to attend. For more information, email igennaro289@gmail.com.

The Shepherd's Center of Oakton-Vienna hosts a free Caregivers Support Group for caregivers of adult family members with dementia from 10-11:30 am the first and third Thursdays of each month in the Program Building at the Unitarian Universalist Congregation of Fairfax, 2709 Hunter Mill Road. For more information, contact facilitator Jack Tarr at 703-821-6838 or jtarr5@verizon.net.

**Epiphany Preschool**, an outreach program of Epiphany United Methodist Church, is now registering students for the 2018-19 school year. To schedule a tour or for more information, call 703-938-2391 or email epiphanypreschool@vacoxmail.com.

In tandem with Historic Vienna Inc.'s upcoming World War I exhibit, a Great War Victory Garden will be created on the Freeman Store grounds. Just as Vienna citizens cultivated gardens 100 years ago

during World War I in response to slogans such as "The Fruits of Victory" and "Will You Have a Part in Victory?," today's Vienna

residents are invited to help create and maintain

a small vegetable garden. Gardening will commence in the spring. Those interested in being a garden volunteer should call 703-938-5187 to leave their name and contact information.

The current "Jazz It Up" exhibit at the Vienna Art Center, 115 Pleasant

Street NW, continues through March 3. The art center is open 10 am-4 pm Tuesday-Saturday. The exhibit is free and open to the public. Another exhibit, "Up Close to Mother Nature," continues through February 26 at Green Spring Botanical Gardens, 4603 Green Spring Road in Alexandria.

blood donation.

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# VOICE February town calendar

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| 3  | Vienna Theatre Company (VCC) • 8 pm             |
| 4  | Vienna Theatre Company (VCC) • 2 pm             |
| 5  | Town Council Meeting • 8 pm                     |
| 6  | Windover Heights Board of Review • 7:30 pm      |
| 7  | Mill Street Parking Community Meeting • 5:30 pm |
| 8  | Town Business Liaison Committee • 7 pm          |
| 12 | Town Council Work Session • 7:30 pm             |
| 13 | Mayor @ Your Service • 7:30 pm                  |
| 14 | Historic Vienna, Inc. (Freeman Store) • 7:30 pm |
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| 14 | Planning Commission • 8 pm                          |
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| 15 | Board of Architectural Review • 8 pm                |
| 19 | Holiday: Town Hall Closed/Regular Refuse Collection |
| 20 | Public Art Commission • 7 pm                        |
| 21 | Board of Zoning Appeals/Public Hearing • 8 pm       |
| 22 | Community Enhancement Commission • 7:30 pm          |
| 26 | Town Council Meeting/Public Hearing • 8 pm          |
| 27 | Bicycle/Pedestrian Advisory Committee • 7 pm        |
| 27 | Transportation Safety Commission • 8 pm             |
| 28 | Planning Commission • 8 pm                          |

Unless otherwise noted, all meetings take place at Town Hall, 127 Center Street S. Meeting schedule subject to change; check viennava.gov for updates.



The February 2013 newsletter reported that renovations at Town Hall were underway. In addition to replacing Town Hall's then 40-year-old HVAC system, the project included new windows, lighting, flooring, and ceilings as well as upgrading the building's security system and improving its energy efficiency.