

City of Hyattsville Ethics Commission
Tuesday, September 15, 2020, 5:00 p.m.

VIRTUAL MEETING

4310 Gallatin Street, Hyattsville, MD
Open to the Public

AGENDA

Register in advance for this webinar:

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1. **Call to Order**
The meeting was called to order at 5:11 p.m. Laura Reams, T. Carter Ross, Sean Corcoran, and Chris Currie were present. Kayleigh Kulp arrived at 5:18 p.m.
2. **Ethics Board Membership Update**
The group discussed that there were two (2) potential new members for consideration and review and approval from the Mayor were pending.
3. **Review of Financial disclosure forms**
The Commission reviewed the financial disclosures of staff members Jim Chandler, Laura Reams, Lesley Riddle, Ron Brooks, Tracey Douglas, Vivian Snellman, Cheri Everhart, and Amal Awad as well as those submitted by the Councilmembers.
4. **Annual Financial Disclosure Certification**
The group reviewed the annual financial disclosure and determined discrepancies and approvals. A formal letter was approved by the Commission to be sent to those who were to be informed of proposed edits and changes to their reports.
5. **Review of Annual Campaign Finance Reports**
The group reviewed outstanding annual campaign finance reports from current and past serving Councilmembers and discussed next steps for closure.
6. **Election 2021 Updates**
Laura Reams relayed to the Commission that staff would be proposing an all vote by mail election to the Council for approval. Safety and potential voter turnout were discussed and analyzed. She explained some of the changes to the Charter and Code that would need to take place in preparation for an all vote by mail election.
7. **Schedule Next Meeting**
The group agreed to meet on November 12, 2020.

The meeting adjourned at 6:07 p.m.