

President's Corner: **Next Community Meeting: November 23rd**

**HRIA DUES ARE DUE for: June 2024 - May 2025**

Morgan State: **HBCU Environmental Justice Summit**

Northwood Library: **Revised Book Mobile Schedule/Virtual Mee**

Hamilton Library: **Activities & Line Dancing**

Activity Committee: **December 14<sup>th</sup> - HRIA's Holiday Brunch**

Environmental Committee: **Next Dumpster Day- December 28<sup>th</sup>**

Northwood Commons: **Miss Toya's Community Celebration!**

**NOTE: Need Resident's Email Address for HRIA e-Newsletter**



# HRIA November 2024 Newsletter



eNewsletter

## President's Corner

This November/December Newsletter is the last physical newsletter to be distributed in the community. All future newsletters will be sent to persons who provide their email address to [hria3@yahoo.com](mailto:hria3@yahoo.com). Information about the community can also be obtained by visiting the HRIA website at [www.hillenroad.org](http://www.hillenroad.org)

All future meetings will be held virtually on the 4<sup>th</sup> Saturday of the month from 10 am to 12 noon until the Northwood Library re-opens. Our next Virtual Community Meeting is Saturday, November 23, 2024. You can go to our website @ hillenroad.org to click on meeting or use information below.

Please let us know by sending your email address to: [hria3@yahoo.com](mailto:hria3@yahoo.com), calling 443-824-1637 or filling out (and mailing) form on the back page of newsletter. -Keith

**Online:** [tinyurl.com/HRIACommMtg](http://tinyurl.com/HRIACommMtg)

Meeting ID: 831 6601 3342

Pass Code: hria2023

**Dial in:** (301) 715-8592

Meeting ID: 831 6601 3342

Pass Code: 59661404

## Activity Committee

**Mark Your Calendars!!!**

**HRIA's Holiday Brunch**

**All Saints Lutheran Church**

**4215 Loch Raven Blvd**

**Date: December 14<sup>th</sup> from 12 - 2 pm**

**Cost: \$15 (Due date changed to 11-15-2024)**

**Zoom Committee Meetings:** 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesdays @ 6 pm

## Environmental Committee Update

**Next Dumpster Day:** December 28<sup>th</sup> in the  
**3900 block of Tivoly Avenue**

**Dumpster will open at 9 am and close at  
12 noon or when full.**

**Zoom Committee Meeting:** 2nd Wednesdays @ 6:30 pm

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**\*\*\*Quote of the Month\*\*\***

May this holiday season fill your heart with love, your home with joy, and your life with laughter.



## Miss Toya's is Open!!!

**MISS TOYA'S**  
CREOLE HOUSE

CELEBRATE WITH US!

*We're having a Celebration and  
we hope you could join us!*

JOIN US FOR A HEARTWARMING COMMUNITY CELEBRATION AS WE WELCOME MISS TOYA'S CREOLE HOUSE TO THE NEIGHBORHOOD! THIS IS A WONDERFUL OPPORTUNITY FOR US TO MEET OUR NEW BALTIMORE COMMUNITY. WHETHER YOU'RE A LONGTIME RESIDENT, A STUDENT AT MORGAN STATE, OR NEW TO THE AREA, EVERYONE IS INVITED TO COME TOGETHER IN THE SPIRIT OF COMMUNITY. WE CAN'T WAIT TO CELEBRATE! SEE YOU THERE!

**NOVEMBER 22-23**

November 22

Complementary Charm City Mocktail And Dessert

November 23

Community Feed, Giveaways, R&B DJ 12pm-3pm

532 Havenwood Road Baltimore md 21218

## Morgan State University

# 2024 MID-ATLANTIC HBCUs ENVIRONMENTAL JUSTICE SUMMIT



### FRIDAY, NOV. 15th

5 PM - 7 PM

Welcome Networking Reception  
Light Refreshments Served  
Morgan State University  
5th Floor Planning & Design Room  
Behavioral & Social Sciences Center  
1600 Havenwood Road, Baltimore, MD

### SATURDAY, NOV. 16th

8 AM - 4 PM

Environmental Justice Summit  
Continental Breakfast/Lunch Provided  
Morgan State University  
1st Floor Atrium Space  
Behavioral & Social Sciences Center  
1600 Havenwood Road, Baltimore, MD

FREE OPEN LOT PARKING AVAILABLE AT THE  
BEHAVIORAL & SOCIAL SCIENCES CENTER BOTH DAYS

### SUMMIT TOPICS:

- Environmental Justice in Historical Teaching Frameworks
- Neighborhood Flood Exposures & Impacts
- Urban Agriculture
- Youth Environmental Justice Movements

### WORKSHOPS:

- Tackling Environmental Justice Issues with GIS and Other Geospatial Tools
- Accessing Public and Private Funding Opportunities for Environmental Justice Projects with Assistance from HBCUs and other Higher Education Resources



**FREE**  
REGISTRATION  
TRAVEL SUPPORT AVAILABLE  
**REGISTER**  
**HERE**  
ENDS NOV. 11TH

A U.S. ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY  
THRIVING COMMUNITIES  
TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE  
INITIATIVE

## Councilwoman Odette Ramos, District 14

Office of Councilwoman Odette Ramos, District 14 invites you to

## Golden Future 55+

Aging in Place. Aging with Dignity.



Please join us for a day full of resources about maintaining your home, discussing health issues and more. It will be a resourceful day you don't want to miss!

To receive lunch please  
**Register by  
November 8th**

Saturday, November 16th  
from 10am to 2pm  
at the Weinberg Y in Waverly  
900 E 33rd St Baltimore MD 21218

Call (410) 396-4814  
or email [linda.richardson@baltimorecity.gov](mailto:linda.richardson@baltimorecity.gov)

### Partners:



## Save The Date For Our Golden Future 55+ Event:

**Saturday, November 16th!**

We are having our upcoming Golden Future 55+ event on Saturday, November 16th! We will be joined by groups that have participated before but we will have some new ones as well.

## Enoch Pratt Library

### Northwood Library:

Please join us for a **Virtual Community Engagement Session** regarding the **Northwood Branch renovations** on **November 27, 2024** from 6 — 7 pm.

### Bookmobile Schedule Revised

The Bookmobile will be at Northwood from 11 am to 2:30 pm on the following dates:

- **November 1, 25, & 29**

For more info, please call (410) 858-1541 or email [mobileservices@prattlibrary.org](mailto:mobileservices@prattlibrary.org).

### Hamilton Library

**After School Fun** Tuesdays – Fridays 3 -4:30 pm

**Mad Science: Slime Time** Thursday, 11/14 @ 3pm

### Line Dancing

Saturday, November 9, 1pm to 4pm

Thursday, November 14, 5:15pm to 7:45pm

Saturday, November 16, 11am to 2pm

Thursday, November 21, 5:15pm to 7:45pm

Saturday, November 23, 11am to 2pm

Saturday, November 30, 11am to 2pm

Monday, December 2, 5:15pm to 7:45pm

## Holiday Safety Tips

### If you are out for the evening

\*Turn on the lights and a television or radio so it looks like someone is home.

\*Be extra cautious about locking doors and windows when you leave, even if it's just for a few minutes.

\*Do not display gifts where they can be seen from outside.

### If you are shopping

\*Stay alert and be aware of your surroundings.

\*Park in well-lit areas, and be sure to lock the car, close your windows, and hide all gifts and shopping bags in the trunk.

\*Avoid carrying large amounts of cash.

\*Have your keys ready to enter your vehicle when you approach it. Use your "panic button" on your key fob if you become nervous or think you are being followed.

\*Lock your doors immediately upon entering your vehicle.

### If you are home

\*Always use caution when answering your door for a stranger, but especially during the holiday season!

\*Criminals often use disguises and pose as couriers during the holiday season.

<https://www.baltimorepolice.org/safetytips/holiday-safety-tips#>

## MedStar's Mobile Health Clinic Program



MedStar is bringing its Mobile Health Clinic Program to York Road! The clinic will be **Wednesdays from 11-5 at the 5104 York Road lot (same location as the Govans Farmers' Market).**

No appointment needed but if you want to make one, call 410-350-7511 and ask for the Govans Farmers' Market location. They accept most insurances. When visiting, feel free to walk right up to the truck. Services include urgent and primary care (but for true emergencies please still call 911), chronic disease management, cancer screenings, mental health care, women's health services, vaccine administration, wound care, Hepatitis C and STD screenings.

**You can visit the Mobile Health Center for:**

- \* Primary care
- \* Urgent care
- \* Chronic disease management
- \* Cancer screenings
- \* Vaccine administration
- \* Mental health care
- \* Wound care
- \* Women's health services
- \* HIV and Hepatitis C testing
- \* Sexually transmitted infection screenings

**We are deeply grateful for our philanthropic partner, the Baltimore Ravens.**

## Fix-it Fair



### Station North Tool Library is having a Fix-it-Fair

Saturday, November 16th from 10 am – 2pm (417 E. Oliver Street)

Visitors bring their broken items from home and work with volunteer "fixers" to diagnose and make repairs.

Working together to fix broken items becomes an interactive and ongoing learning process!

### What Can I Bring?

- \*Bicycles
- \*Clothing/textiles
- \*Computers and devices
- \*Small pieces of furniture
- \*Dull knives and tools
- \*Jewelry
- \*Toys
- \*Small electrical fixes
- \*Small household appliances

\*They make no guarantee of repairs and longer, more in-depth repairs may be referred to a local repair service. They can guarantee they will try their best to help with your fixes! Visit <https://toollibrary.org/fixitfair>.

## Enoch Pratt Free Library Opens FREE Grocery Store



Enoch Pratt Free Library's new Pratt Free Market (PFM), a free grocery store located in the Southeast Anchor Library, has officially opened its doors. Thanks to the support of generous local partners—including the Maryland Food Bank, Plantation Park Heights, Leftover Love, Benbow Concession Services, and Moon Valley Farms—the market is fully stocked with fresh produce, dry goods, paper products, and more.

PFM will serve as a community hub for food and nutrition programs, offering more than just groceries. *The market is open on Wednesdays from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. and Fridays from 2 p.m. to 5 p.m. Each visitor can fill one library-supplied bag per visit.*

On the fourth Friday of every month, the market transforms into a Pantry on-the-Go, offering free produce in a farmers' market-style setting outside the library, starting at 10 a.m., while supplies last.

## Holiday Makers Market



*Harborplace Light Street Pavilion*

Sat, Dec 7<sup>th</sup> @ 2:00 pm & Sun Dec 8<sup>th</sup> @ 6 pm  
 Immerse yourself in the holiday spirit with festive decor, a dazzling light sculpture, interactive art exhibits, vintage vendors, artisanal crafts, and a variety of food options. Also, purchase the streetwear, self-care products, jewelry, original artworks, and more from our city's creative community. ~

## Christmas Village in Baltimore



*The Authentic German Christmas Market*  
**Christmas Village in Baltimore**

Nov 18<sup>th</sup> through Dec 24<sup>th</sup> 2023

West Shore Park at the Inner Harbor

*West Shore Park, Inner Harbor*

Sun - Thu: 12pm - 8pm | Fri - Sat: 12pm - 9pm |  
 Closed Mondays & Tuesdays, except Dec 23 & 24

## Holiday Word Search

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Cakes    Decorations    Family    Food    Games  
 Gifts    Holiday    Joy    Love    Presents  
 Shopping    Travel    Turkey    Visitors

## Friends of Herring Run Parks



Tree  
 Walk & Talk  
 and a Tree Planting!

Sunday, Nov 10th  
 1-3pm

Meet by the colorful Movie Shed in  
 Herring Run Park on the 3900 Block of Belair Road.

Join FHRP for a tree walk in Herring Run Park!

Come walk & talk with *forestry experts*, neighbors and other tree people about the importance of urban trees and explore one of our beautiful urban parks. We'll talk *tree identification*, visit *state champion and notable species*, and close the session by planting a *Black Gum tree!*

[www.friendsofherringrun.org](http://www.friendsofherringrun.org)



***Dues Are Due!*** Dues can be paid *via mail or via Zelle* to [hria3@yahoo.com](mailto:hria3@yahoo.com). Residents whose voluntary dues received in **October for FY 2024-2025:** **E. Davis, and S/T. Westley.** *Your support is appreciated!*

### Be A Dues Paying Member of HRIA

TO PAY THE VOLUNTARY \$20 DUES, PLEASE SEND TO: HRIA, P.O. BOX 33201, BALTIMORE, MD 21218-0401 or pay via Zelle using [hria3@yahoo.com](mailto:hria3@yahoo.com)

To Contact: 443-824-1637 or [hria3@yahoo.com](mailto:hria3@yahoo.com)

Website: <https://hillenroad.org>

Facebook: [facebook.com/hillen.road](https://facebook.com/hillen.road)

To pay \$20 *annual dues*, make check payable to: HRIA  
 (If resident of 5 years or less, please check here: )

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

### I am interested in attending the Holiday Brunch

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

# Attending: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

### To Receive E-Newsletter:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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