

**Joint Facilities Advisory Commission (JFAC)  
Wednesday, February 24, 2021**

**Virtual Meeting:** Instructions for accessing this virtual meeting are on the JFAC webpage at [commissions.arlingtonva.us/jfac/](https://commissions.arlingtonva.us/jfac/)

**DRAFT AGENDA**

- 7:00 PM**      **Chair's Update**
- Kathleen McSweeney, JFAC Chair
- 7:10 PM**      **Organizing research on APS questions - through June 2021**
- Discuss research so far from committee members
  - Form subcommittees to tackle each question
  - Invite interested community members to participate
- 8:20 PM**      **Liaisons' Updates**
- Clarendon Sector Plan - Susan Cunningham
  - School Site Studies - Stacy Snyder
  - Planning Commission - Nia Bagley
- 8:40 PM**      **Public Comment**
- The chair will provide directions for those wishing to speak
- 9:00 PM**      **Adjourn**

Research questions from APS:

1. How do other jurisdictions integrate school facilities needs in land use studies, such as sector plans, which often increase permitted residential densities?
2. How do other Virginia jurisdictions incorporate schools in public/private partnership agreements

**JFAC Mission:** To provide input to the County and School Boards on capital facilities needs assessment, capital improvement plans (CIPs), and long range facility planning for both the Arlington County Government and Arlington Public Schools.

- Review APS and County needs assessment reports prior to their presentation, receive and review public input on them, make recommendations to the Boards and provide input on the development of the CIPs.
- Review both CIPs prior to their adoption to consider partnership opportunities between County and APS (such as co-location, shared use, adaptive reuse and other efficiencies) to maximize public benefit.
- Review periodic updates from County and APS staff on trends and forecasts affecting the community.
- Emphasize big picture, visionary thinking and create a forum where fresh and creative ideas are discussed in relation to long range planning for future County and APS facility needs.
- Partner with staff to facilitate broad community engagement on facilities issues, siting and long-term planning
- Collaborate with staff and the Board to implement the Public Facilities Siting Process recommend in the 2015 Community Facilities Study.
- Complement the work of other Commissions, in particular the PFRC and BLPC, and provide guidance on facility prioritization and any identified challenges.
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