

Joint Kent-Queen Anne's Task Force

October 21, 2016

Members Present: Margo Bailey, Foster Beach, Wayne Darrell, Commissioner Ronald H. Fithian, Ken Fry, Paul Hanley, Shelley Heller, Joe Holt, Commissioner William A. Short, Bernadette Bowman, and Greg Roby

Member Absent: Commissioner Jack Wilson, Jack Brosius, Mayor Chris Cerino, Mark Glass, Greg Holsey, Lainey Solomon, and Greg Todd

Also in attendance: Bob Rager, Community Liaison, Maryland State Highway Administration

At 9:00 a.m. the meeting convened. Commissioner Short gave opening remarks.

On motion by Mr. Darrell, and seconded by Mr. Beach, the minutes from the June 17th and July 15th, meeting were approved.

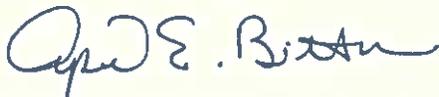
Ms. Heller on behalf of Greg Holsey, District 2 Engineer, Maryland State Highway Administration (SHA), presented an update on the Chester River Bridge painting project. The Project is fifty percent complete. The southbound and the northbound side of the bascule leafs are at finish coat. The planned work includes: cleaning/painting of machinery rooms, handrails, light supports, and any punch list items noted by inspection staff. Work will be switching to day shift on Saturday, October 22nd to begin abrasive blasting of the machine rooms. There are no lane closures during daytime hours. The project is expected to be completed the third week of November (weather permitting). Mr. Roby stated the SHA has approval from the Coast Guard to work until the end of November, if needed.

On motion by Ms. Bailey, and seconded by Mr. Beach, the Task Force agreed to not meet in November or December.

On motion by Ms. Bailey, seconded by Mr. Beach, the Task Force agreed to adjourn the meeting.

The meeting adjourned at 9:06 a.m. The Joint Kent-Queen Anne's Task Force agreed to meet again on January 20, 2017 at 9:00 a.m., in the Commissioners' Hearing Room.

Respectfully submitted,



April E. Bitter, Deputy Clerk

Approved:



William A. Short, Member
The County Commissioners
Of Kent County, Maryland