

ON THE ROAD

April 2011

THE NEWSLETTER OF THE HANOVER ROAD ASSOCIATION, INC.

Our April 13, 2011 meeting will be held at the Weinberg Center by the lake, located on the Camp Fretterd Military Complex.

Sara "Lou" Trescott, Director, Installations, Maryland Military Department and Larry Betz, Camp Fretterd Military Reservation Manager will be our guest speakers. Information will be shared about some planned improvements at the complex.

Community Issues:

Emory Grove Substation - Many meetings have been held with Constellation Energy in recent weeks about the proposed substation. While the project team from BGE is looking for access points other than Kemp Road, continuing site preparation, removing buildings, and developing the site plans, other community area organizations are working to limit or stop the project.

The Valley Planning Council has aggressively opposed the project and have introduced legislation in Annapolis that would prohibit the construction of utility substations in areas of Rural Legacy Land Preservation. Other legislative actions are under review both at state and county levels to stop the construction of the substation.

The Hanover Road Association has insisted that access to the proposed substation not be by way of Kemp Road, and that there be limitations to the size of the project now and in the future with a guarantee from PJM that no future high voltage line connections will be run across farmland in our area to Frederick or any other locations.

As all parties work through this process consideration is being given to building the proposed substation at a different location. Although there are differences of opinion about the proposed substation the lines of

communication between VPC, HRA and BGE have been maintained in a productive manner.

Hanover Road Widening at Emory Road - Mr. Ed Bokman, Team Leader; Ms. Wendy Wolcott, Chief of Engineering; Design Team, from SHA and Mr. Andrew Duerr, RK&K Engineering Project Design will attend our April HRA meeting to give an update on the planned road widening at Hanover Pike and Emory Roads. The project has funding approved and is scheduled to start in November 2011.

Trash Dumping- Over the last 8 years we have continued our efforts to stop the illegal dumping on properties in our area. We will continue to work with Baltimore County Code Enforcement on clean up efforts. If you observe operators of vehicles dumping trash or used building materials please note date, time and tag number if possible. We would like to bring this illegal to a stop.



Across The Sky, ridden by Fritz Boniface, 2010

Steeple Chase racing - We now have two families that own horses that will be racing in the spring Steeple Chase racing competitions. To Dan & Julia Colhoun, Paul & Debbie Wooden and others, we wish your horse and riders "Gods speed for a safe and successful racing season".

ATTEND THE NEXT MEETING

of the Hanover Road Association
Wednesday, April 13th, 7:30

Location: Weinberg Center by the lake
on the Camp Fretterd Military Complex
(have ID for guard and they will point the way)

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MEETING SCHEDULE

The association holds public meetings on the second Wednesday of every even-numbered month at 7:30 p.m. at Pearlstone Conference Center 5425 Mt. Gilead Road.

MEMBERSHIP

Open to anyone interested in preserving the quality of life in the Hanover Road area and promoting cooperation between the residential, business and agricultural communities.

Annual Dues: \$20.00

**Hanover Road Association
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Boring Post Office - A meeting will be held on April 28 at 7:00 PM about the future of the Boring Post Office. The meeting will be held next door to the Post Office at the Boring Volunteer Fire Department Fire Engine Room.

HRA By-Laws - The new by-laws are now completed! this includes the changes we all voted on. They are posted on our web site, <http://www.hanoverroad.org/>. George Neubeck and Paul Joyce did a great job!

Calendar of Events:

We once again are having our summer picnic this year. More details on time and place to come in the June Newsletter.

For additional news and information please visit us on the web at: <http://www.hanoverroad.org>