

Kemp Mill Civic Association Quarterly Meeting Agenda

September 30, 2024; 7:30 pm

Kemp Mill Elementary School

- 7:30 pm: Administrative Matters
 - Call to order
 - Adoption of agenda/previous minutes: Posted online at <https://www.kempmillcivic.org/meetings/>
 - Treasurer's report: Balance of funds and membership numbers

- 7:35 pm: **Invited Guest – Doug Gaddis, Silver Spring Village**
 - KMCA has invited Doug Gaddis, from Silver Spring Village, to discuss resources his organization can provide Kemp Mill residents, as well as volunteer opportunities.
 - *Fortune* magazine recently named Silver Spring, Maryland as the best place in America for multi-generational families, specifically citing the work Silver Spring Village does to help older members of our community live independently in their homes.
 - There will be an opportunity for questions from members of the community.

- 8:05pm: **Resolution: Reducing Sligo Creek Parkway Closures**
 - KMCA President Jules Szanton will ask the membership to consider the following resolution: *“It is the policy of KMCA to work with neighboring civic associations and County leaders to make Sligo Creek Parkway open to cars on more nights and more weekdays. We believe the road should remain closed on weekends during daytime hours. The KMCA Board will report regularly to the Membership on progress towards this goal.”*
 - Sligo Creek Parkway is a vital thoroughway connecting Kemp Mill to jobs, schools, retail shopping, pharmacies, the Metro, Holy Cross Hospital, as well as the Sligo Creek Park playgrounds and basketball courts.
 - The road is currently closed to motorists every week from Friday morning until Sunday night.
 - Under this resolution, KMCA would work with other stakeholders to lobby for the road to be open to motorists from Monday to Friday, and on weekend nights.
 - We would be open to possible compromises, as long as those compromises meant fewer hours a week of the road being closed.

- 8:30pm: Committee Updates
 - External Relations
 - Cleanup
 - Landscaping
 - Sidewalks
 - Transportation

- 8:50pm: Adjourn