



COVID-19 Updates & Important Information
~JULY 15, 2021~

Fox 5 DC's Zip Trip to Broadcast Live from Sterling



Join me and the Sterling community in welcoming Fox 5 News to the area for their live morning broadcast of the popular "Zip Trip" program!

Come on out to **Cascades Overlook Town Center** (21453 Epicerie Plaza, Sterling, VA, VA 20164) on

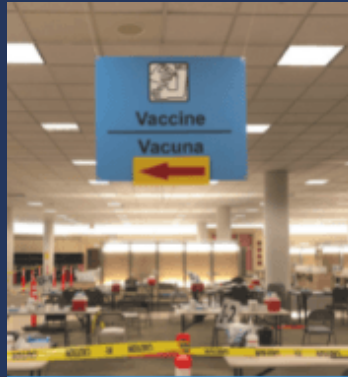
Friday, July 23rd as Fox 5 DC broadcasts LIVE from **6:00 am-10:00 am**.

Fox 5 DC will highlight Claude Moore Park, a number of local restaurants and shops, as well as businesses at Cascades Overlook Town Center. I will join Tucker Barnes at 6:30 am to discuss why I love my hometown of Sterling so much and I hope to see you there!

So come meet the Fox 5 team, support our local businesses and join me in showing the D.C. region what makes Sterling such a great place to visit, live, learn, work, and play!

Updated Hours for COVID-19 Vaccine Clinic at Dulles Town Center as of July 27; Clinic Closes Aug. 24

As demand for COVID-19 vaccine from Loudoun County continues to decrease and as more providers in the community continue to offer COVID-19 vaccine, Loudoun County is adjusting the hours of operation at its Dulles Town Center clinic effective Tuesday, July 27, 2021.



**Updated Hours
for COVID-19
Vaccine Clinic
Effective July 27**

**Clinic to Close
August 24**



loudoun.gov/COVID19vaccine

In addition, the clinic will close permanently on the evening of Tuesday, August 24, 2021.

Hours of Operation for Appointments and Walk-in Service

Effective July 27, the hours of operation at the county's Dulles Town Center clinic will change slightly. The clinic will continue to be open three days per week for walk-in vaccinations; however, the clinic will open one hour later on Tuesdays and close three hours earlier on Fridays.

Clinic to Close Permanently August 24

Loudoun County's COVID-19 vaccination clinic at the Dulles Town Center will close permanently effective at **6:30 p.m. on Tuesday, August 24, 2021.**

The county will continue to provide first and second doses of COVID-19 vaccine through the regularly scheduled hours on Tuesday, August 24; however, individuals who receive their first dose within 21 days (Pfizer) or 28 days (Moderna) of the clinic's closure must receive their second dose from another COVID-19 vaccine provider.

[Learn More](#)

Loudoun Seeking Public Input to Rename Route 7 and Route 50

Renaming Route 7 and Route 50

Submit new names
for consideration
July 12 - July 30, 2021.



loudoun.gov/renaming7and50

Loudoun County is seeking public input for the renaming of Harry Byrd Highway (Route 7) and John Mosby Highway (Route 50). Members of the public are encouraged to visit the [renaming project page](#) to submit names for consideration.

Individuals should first use the county's [online tool](#) to

check a proposed name against the naming criteria. In addition to meeting the local and state naming standards, the names should be appropriate to Loudoun County and northern Virginia history and culture, reflect the natural or cultural geography of Loudoun County, are not already used or sound like another street in Loudoun County, and are considerate, sensitive and respectful to all Loudoun County residents.

Then, individuals should submit names through an [online form](#), which is open now through Friday, July 23, 2021. The public submissions will be reviewed for regulatory compliance and to meet the local and state naming standards.

[Learn More](#)

Loudoun Officials Offer Advice on How to Beat the Heat; Storms Also in the Forecast

With the weather forecast calling for high temperatures in the 90s, elevated humidity levels and a chance of thunderstorms with damaging wind gusts throughout the week, Loudoun County officials advise residents to be prepared and take precautions to prevent heat-related illness and possible storm damage.

**Stay Cool!
What You
Need to Know
to Protect
Against Heat-
Related
Illness**

LOUDOUN
COUNTY
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loudoun.gov/heat



Protect Yourself Against the Heat

- Spend as much time in air-conditioned locations as possible.
- Hydrate: Drink plenty of water.
- If you have to go outside, wear lightweight, light-colored clothing and avoid strenuous activities.
- Do not leave children or pets in cars.
- Monitor your animals frequently to ensure that they are not suffering.
- Check on your neighbors. Anyone can suffer from heat-related illness, but people ages 65 and older and very young children are more susceptible to the effects of high heat and humidity.

More information about staying safe in excessive heat is online at loudoun.gov/heat.

Be Prepared for Storms

- Know the forecast: Get updated weather information online from the National Weather Service (NWS) at weather.gov/lwx and on the NWS [Facebook](#) and [Twitter](#). You may also sign up for weather alerts through [Alert Loudoun](#).
- Secure any loose objects outside in your yard or on your deck, such as umbrellas, bins, tools and toys.
- Keep trees and branches trimmed, especially near your house.
- Turn around. Don't drown. Do not drive through flooded roadways.

More information about staying safe from storms is online at loudoun.gov/storm.

How to Get a Free COVID-19 Vaccine



There are several convenient options available to people in Loudoun County who would like to get vaccinated against COVID-19.

Walk in to the county's vaccination clinic at Dulles Town Center:

Anyone age 12 and older may walk in without an appointment to receive a COVID-19 vaccine during the [clinic's scheduled hours](#). Please note that anyone under 18 must be accompanied by a parent or legal guardian. The clinic's schedule for walk-ins this week is:

- Friday, July 16: 9:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.
- Saturday, July 17: 9:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

Make an appointment at the county's vaccination clinic at Dulles Town Center: You can [schedule an appointment online](#). Anyone who does not have access to the internet may call the COVID-19 Information Line at 703-737-8300 to schedule an appointment.

Find vaccine online from another provider in the community: A number of providers, such as local pharmacies and grocery stores also offer COVID-19 vaccine and many of them welcome walk-ins. Find vaccine near you by visiting [vaccines.gov](#).

REMINDER: County Program Provides Summer Cooling Assistance for Seniors

Friendly reminder given the recent warnings of high temperatures, humidity, and storms that the Loudoun County Area Agency on Aging, Virginia Department for the Aging, and Dominion Virginia Power are offering a program to provide fans and single-room air conditioners to eligible county residents 60 and older.



The program runs June 1 through Sept. 30, 2021.

For more information and income eligibility guidelines, please call [703-777-0257](tel:703-777-0257) or visit www.loudoun.gov/aaa.

More Information

[Sign up for text and email alerts](#) about PRCS news and events.

Follow @loudounprcs on [Facebook](#) and other social media

Public Meeting on County Parks and Recreation Master Plan July 21



The fourth public workshop regarding the County's Parks and Recreation master planning project will be held **Wednesday, July 21, 2021, at 7:00 p.m.** Details about joining the virtual meeting are available

at loudoun.gov/prcsmasterplan.

The Department of Parks, Recreation and Community Services contracted with PROS Consulting, Inc. in 2020 for a master plan with the goal of creating an environment for providing exceptional facilities and recreational opportunities to enhance county residents' health and well-being. The plan has been completed and was approved by the Board of Supervisors June 15, 2021.

The July workshop will present an overview of findings, recommendations and where opportunities for improvement will be focused for the next 10 years.

Visit loudoun.gov/prcsmasterplan or email prcs@loudoun.gov for more information.

Loudoun Helps Lead Virginia to No. 1 on CBNC's 'Top States for Business 2021' List

On Tuesday, business news channel CNBC released its annual "America's Top States for Business" list, and Virginia leads the pack, once again.

It was the first list since 2019 after skipping the pandemic year, which means that Virginia was both No. 1 going into COVID-19 and coming out of it. This marks the first time that a state has led consecutive lists.

It was also Virginia's fifth win since the list began in 2007, which is more than any other state. Virginia did well in an extensive study of 85 distinct metrics across 10 competitiveness categories, including ranking in the top one-third for seven out of 10 factors.

For the sixth year in a row, Loudoun led Virginia in new commercial investment, building on strengths with dozens of wins in the data center and agricultural industries. In efforts to diversify the economy, Loudoun also saw cluster growth around health IT, highly specialized manufacturing, aviation and logistics, cybersecurity and government contracting.



[Get More Information](#)

Countywide Linear Parks & Trails System Plan Moves Forward



The Loudoun County Department of Parks, Recreation and Community Services (PRCS) is moving ahead with the Countywide Linear Parks and Trails System Plan (LPAT) following approval of the plan by the Board of Supervisors at its business meeting on July 6, 2021.

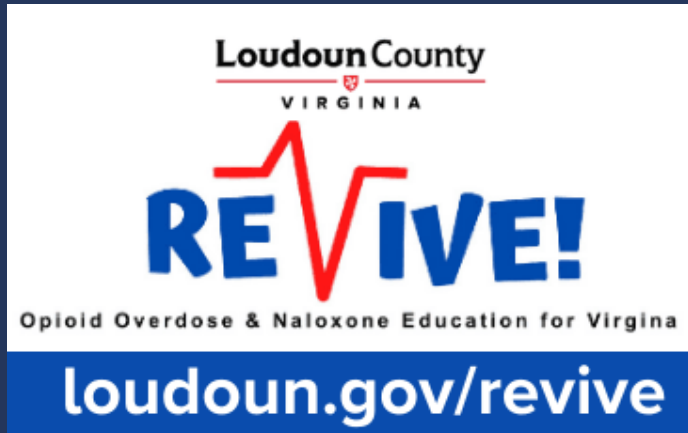
The plan offers a roadmap for the County and its partners to build out an interconnected system that protects natural and cultural resources, honors Loudoun County's unique sense of place, and connects residents to each other and to the County's natural and cultural landscapes, communities and destinations. The plan seeks to provide multiuse experiences along its corridors for hikers, walkers, nature enthusiasts, runners, equestrians, cyclists and canoe and kayak paddlers.

The system will provide a variety of functions and benefits, including recreation, alternative transportation, wildlife habitat, water quality protection, flood hazard reduction, aquifer recharge, erosion prevention, property value enhancement, economic development and scenic beauty.

Details about LPAT are available at loudoun.gov/linearparksandtrails or email prcs@loudoun.gov for more information.

Revive: Opioid Overdose Reversal Training July 19

Loudoun County continues its series of opioid overdose reversal trainings, which are now available virtually. Participants who complete the training are eligible to receive free naloxone nasal spray. They may choose to receive naloxone by mail or arrange pickup.



"REVIVE!" is the Opioid Overdose and Naloxone Education program for the Commonwealth of Virginia. The Loudoun County Department of Mental Health, Substance Abuse and Developmental Services (MHSADS), the Loudoun County Community Services Board and the Virginia Department of Health sponsor the local training sessions.

Register for an Upcoming Class

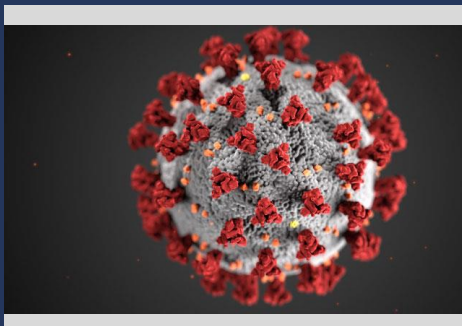
Monday, July 19, 2021, 5:30 - 6:30 p.m.

Registration Required

The training is free, open to everyone and lasts about an hour. Anyone who uses opioids or knows someone who is using opioids is encouraged to attend. Those interested in attending must preregister at the link below. The training is open only to preregistered participants.

[Learn More and Register](#)

Stay Informed!



The county continues to encourage everyone in the community to take steps to limit the spread of COVID-19, which include:

- Wear a mask/face covering ([see requirements](#))
- Wash your hands often with soap and water for at least 20 seconds. Use an alcohol-based hand sanitizer only if soap and water are not available.
- Avoid touching your eyes, nose and mouth.
- Cover your mouth and nose with a tissue or your sleeve (not your hands) when coughing or sneezing.
- Clean and disinfect frequently touched objects and surfaces.

Loudoun County encourages residents to stay informed about COVID-19

- To receive email updates on COVID-19, visit loudoun.gov/coronavirus.
- Text **LCCOVID19** to **888777** to receive text alerts from Loudoun County about COVID-19.
- Envíe un mensaje de texto con **LCCOVIDESP** al **888777** para actualizaciones diaras relacionadas con el coronavirus (COVID-19) en el condado de Loudoun.

Residents with questions about COVID-19 may call the Loudoun County Health Department's information line, 703-737-8300, or email health@loudoun.gov.

- Stay home when you are sick.
- Avoid contact with sick people.
- Avoid non-essential travel.

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