

# Montgomery County Board of Supervisors' Summary

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## FUTURE MEETINGS

**Special meeting**  
**Tuesday, March 19**  
6 p.m.

**Adjourned meeting**  
**Monday, March 25**  
6 p.m., closed meeting  
7 p.m., regular meeting

**Here are highlights** of the Board of Supervisors' meeting held March 11, 2013, at the Montgomery County Government Center, 755 Roanoke St., Christiansburg, VA. Meetings are rebroadcast on Montgomery County Comcast Channel 190 at 8 a.m. and 7 p.m. This meeting is also available for viewing at [www.youtube.com/montgomeryva](http://www.youtube.com/montgomeryva).

## Board Members in Attendance

Vice Chair William H. Brown, Mary W. Biggs, Gary D. Creed, Matt Gabriele, Annette S. Perkins and Chris Tuck. Absent: Chair James D. Politis.



## CLOSED SESSION

A closed meeting was held in accordance with the Freedom of Information Act for consideration of prospective candidates for appointment: Community Services Board, Economic Development Authority and Planning Commission; and for discussion or consideration of the disposition of publicly held property: old Blacksburg Middle School property.

## DELEGATION

Virginia Department of Transportation – update on roads

## PUBLIC ADDRESS

Four speakers spoke against the proposed increase in the real estate tax rate.

## CONSENT AGENDA – Approved 7-0

- Sheriff – recovered costs
- Resolution approving extension and amendment of APCO agreement with Montgomery County for the purchase of electricity
- Reappointments -- New River Valley Economic Development Alliance, John S. Phillips, and Parks and Recreation Commission, Robin Stidham and Sharon Williams
- Appointment – Transportation Safety Commission, Roger Burnett

## WORK SESSION

- HOME Consortium Agreement
- FY 2014 Budget

## NEW BUSINESS

- Establish advertised 89 cents real estate tax rate and \$2.55 personal property tax rate, and \$167.8 million 2013-14 budget – approved 4-2 (Tuck, Gabriele)
- Ordinance amendment allowing chickens in residential areas – approved 5-1 (Creed)
- New River Valley HOME Consortium Agreement – approved 6-0
- Proclamation – Take Back the Night Rally and March – approved 6-0

## BUDGET CALENDAR

- Tuesday, March 12, 7 p.m. – Community Conversations, Riner Fire Department
- Monday, March 18, 7 p.m. – Community Conversations, Prices Fork Elementary School
- Tuesday, March 26, 6 p.m. – Public hearings on advertised tax rate and FY14 budget
- Monday, April 15, 7 p.m. – Adopt tax rate and FY14 budget