

THREE IMPORTANT EVENTS COMING UP!

 Forward

Indivisible **HoCoMD**

EVENTS

IMMIGRATION

Maryland's Role in the Immigration Debate

**March 14, 7:00 pm,
Owen Brown
Interfaith Center**



The Trump administration’s policies have brought on a national debate on immigration that also plays out at the state and local level.

For example, the Maryland General Assembly, which meets through April 9, is considering a half-dozen bills that would have an impact on immigrants in Maryland.

This 75-minute discussion will focus on understanding the terms used in the current immigration debate as well as key bills before the legislature. George Clack, a member of IndivisibleHoCoMD’s Immigration Action Team and the editor of “Immigration News,” will lead the discussion.

Sponsored by the Unitarian Universalist Congregation of Columbia, IndivisibleHoCoMD, and the Unitarian Universalist Legislative Ministry of Maryland

RED TO BLUE

CANDIDATES FORUM-COUNTY COUNCIL

DISTRICT 5



China Williams is unopposed in the primary, but has a seat at the table for this forum against two Republican candidates.

In previous debates involving only the Republicans, their support showed up in team shirts and filled the audience. She asks that those who support her come in blue and look for her campaign workers handing out stickers.

DETAILS:

Mount Hebron/Orchard Community Association Board will host a COUNTY COUNCIL CANDIDATES' FORUM. Republicans James Walsh and David Yungmann, and Democrat China Williams have confirmed their attendance.

While this will be before the county's primary election in June, it will be the only forum this organization will have for the county council representative from District 5 prior to the November election.

March 20th, 2018, 7:00 – 8:30 P.M.

[Mt. Hebron Presbyterian Church](#)

2330 Calvin Circle at Mt. Hebron Drive

Guest Speakers – County Council Candidates

EDUCATION

MARCH FOR OUR LIVES

On **March 24**, the kids and families of March For Our Lives will take to the streets of Washington DC to demand that their lives and safety become a priority and that we end gun violence and mass shootings in our schools today.

March with us in Washington DC or march in your own community. On March 24, the collective voices of the March For Our Lives movement will be heard.

Keep up with the latest details or choose to join one of the other 652 marches worldwide.

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LET OUR LIGHT SHINE



In a terrific example of "thinking globally and acting locally," IndivisibleHoCo's Environmental Action Team has since last summer led a concerted effort involving multiple organizations to encourage the City of Columbia's governing body, the Columbia Association (CA) Board of Directors, to strengthen Columbia's focus on climate action. Going beyond its October 2017 endorsement of the "We Are Still In" declaration supporting the Paris Agreement, the CA Board decided virtually unanimously on February 22 to create a new "Climate Change and Sustainability Advisory Committee." The Committee will consist of 11 individuals appointed by the CA Board and representing a mix of community stakeholders to be selected based on their relevant experience, educational background, and interest in climate change. The Committee's charter is to focus primarily on climate change, while also addressing other sustainability topics, such as resiliency, energy efficiency, waste management, water efficiency, and outdoor environmental quality. As global agreements like the Paris Agreement will succeed only to the extent that states and local communities take stronger climate action, CA's

decision is an important advance that also sets an outstanding example for Howard County and other communities in Maryland. .

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