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FY18 COUNTY BUDGET MEETINGS & INFORMATION

In order to provide Gloucester citizens opportunities to be informed and involved in the FY18 budget process the following public meetings have been scheduled.

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| Tuesday, March 7 | Presentation of Proposed FY18 Budget by County Administrator at Regular Board of Supervisors Meeting
7:00 p.m. in the Colonial Courthouse |
| Tuesday, March 14 | Board of Supervisors Budget Work Session
7:00 p.m. in the Colonial Courthouse |
| Tuesday, March 21 | Joint Budget Work Session of Board of Supervisors & School Board
7:00 p.m. in the Walker Education Center Auditorium |
| Wednesday, March 29 | Public Hearings & Citizen Comments on Proposed County Budget
7:00 p.m. in the Walker Education Center Auditorium |
| Tuesday, April 11 | Possible Board of Supervisors Budget Work Session
7:00 p.m. in the Colonial Courthouse |
| Thursday, April 13 | Possible Board of Supervisors Budget Work Session
7:00 p.m. in the Colonial Courthouse |
| Monday, April 17 | Adoption of County's FY18 Budget |

All meetings are open to the public and any changes to the schedule will be publicized through local media and the county's website at www.gloucesterva.info. The budget meetings, public hearing and work sessions will be shown live on Cox cable channel 47 (Walker auditorium) and 48 (Colonial Courthouse) and are streamed on the county's website at www.gloucesterva.info. Meetings will also be available for viewing through video-on-demand on the county website.

The county also has an online citizen involvement platform called **SpeakUp Gloucester** which allows comments and suggestions to be posted to the community sharing website at <http://speakupgloucesterva.info/>.

The FY18 Gloucester County's Proposed Budget will be made available after March 8, 2017 for review at both public library locations and on the county's website. For more information, please contact the Gloucester Community Engagement Department at 693-5730 or e-mail to Christi Lewis, clewis@gloucesterva.info.

End of Announcement