

January 2023 Newsletter

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"A year! OMG, a whole year. That's like forever!" was my classic response whenever my parents would tell me to wait for something. And now, as I sunset on three score years on this planet, a year feels like only a nanosecond. But I'm a proud baby boomer and I look forward to what 2023 will bring.

One of the things I look forward to is the ongoing vibrancy of Howard County and the ideas and strategies of our policy-makers that ensure Howard County continues to be a great place to live and work for all people. We felt that when we ended 2022 with a panel discussion of our state delegation to share their vision and to hear our concerns. And let me tell you, we are in good hands! They are fired up !

I'm also excited about the upcoming work of the social sector of Howard County and the continued commitment we each are making to do our part to make HoCo that great place.

It's not a light load but with collective energy and partnerships of policy-makers, and the social and private sectors working towards equity and equality for all, it's a load we can carry.

Here's looking at you, 2023!

~Val

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