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“Building Safety Starts With You” Community Events in May

PRINCE WILLIAM COUNTY, VA – April 17, 2023 – In observance of Building Safety Month in May, join Prince William County’s free “Building Safety Starts With You!” Community Outreach Events that will take place each week to raise awareness about building and fire safety at home.

Learn about the importance of building and fire safety in residential construction, home DIY projects and property maintenance. Find out ways to keep your home and family safe and how to promote building safety in your neighborhood.

Building Safety Inspectors and Fire Marshals will be available to answer frequently asked questions and attendees will find out about the permitting process for home projects. In addition, attendees can enter a chance to win a ‘Raffle Prize’ and take home safety information, brochures and more.

Wednesday, May 3, 2023

1:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.

Board Room Chambers

James J. McCoart Building

1 County Complex Ct, Prince William, VA 22192

Also available online via Teams at: [Click here to join the meeting](#)

Tuesday, May 9, 2023

10:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

[Montclair Library](#)

5049 Waterway Dr, Dumfries, VA 22025

Thursday, May 11, 2023

10:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

[Chinn Park Library](#)

13065 Chinn Park Dr, Prince William, VA 22192

Monday, May 15, 2023

1:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.

Auditorium

Dr. A.J. Ferlazzo Building

15941 Donald Curtis Dr, Woodbridge, VA 22192

Also available online via Teams at: [Click here to join the meeting](#)

Tuesday, May 23, 2023

10:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

[Haymarket Gainesville Library](#)

14870 Lightner Rd, Haymarket, VA 20169

Thursday, May 25, 2023

10:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

[Bull Run Library](#)

8051 Ashton Ave, Manassas, VA 20109

Tuesday, May 30, 2023

1:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.

Jean McCoy Conference Room

Sudley North Government Center

7987 Ashton Ave, Manassas, VA 20109

Also available online via Teams at: [Click here to join the meeting](#)

These Prince William County free community outreach events support International Code Council's 43rd annual Building Safety Month. This year's month-long campaign theme is "Building Safety Starts With You!" which will explore how building safety impacts us all on personal, local, and global levels through weekly themes:

- May 1-7, "Building Safety Starts at Home"
- May 8-14, "Building Safety Professionals and You"
- May 15-21, "Prepare Your Community"
- May 22-28, "Advocate for Your Community"
- May 29-31, "Solving Challenges Together"

Prince William County's growth and strength, in part, is due to the safety of buildings - homes, schools, and businesses. The resilience of buildings that make up our community is achieved through the devotion of vigilant guardians – building safety and fire prevention officials, architects, engineers, builders, tradespeople, design professionals, laborers, plumbers, and YOU!

For more information, please call (703) 792-6930 or dds@pwcgov.org.

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