

Reisterstown Improvement Association, Inc.
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Meeting Agenda – May 27, 2026, 7:00 PM

2026 Officers:

President - David Binette
Vice President - Charlie Hoppa
Secretary - Brianna Chamberlain
Treasurer – Stephen Morgan
Past President - Herb Weiss

Main Street Manager:

Crystal Micriotti

2026 Board Members:

Dan Carey
Emory Young
Joe Heathcock
Kathy Gambrill
Leslie Webster
Mary Molinaro
Pat Gordon
Pat McCusker
Robert Reynolds
William Robinson
Yolanda Gregory

“Build a Better Main Street with the Reisterstown Improvement Association”

1. Call to order
 - a. 7:06pm - RIA President David Binette calls the meeting to order.
2. Introductions of those attending this evening.
 - a. In attendance were: Charlie Hoppa, Mary Molinaro, John Dodson, Angela Dodson, David Binette, Joe Heathcock, Pat Gordon, Cpl Clements, Bill Robinson, Reid Conley, Herb Weiss, Wendy Berlinrood, Ernie Schmidhauser, Tim Hurlburt, Shela Hurlburt, Crystal Micriotti, Stephen Morgan, Kathy Gambrill, Jade Powell, Izzy Patoka, Rob Pearce, Wendy Pearce, Dan Carey, Ryan Nash, Ofc. Willis, Randy Kiefer, Brianna Chamberlain, and Capt. Grantham.
3. Review of minutes from last meeting
 - a. Bill Robinson makes a motion to approve the minutes from the previous meeting as written, seconded by Pat Gordon. The motion passes unanimously at 7:08 pm.
4. President’s Comments
 - a. Tonight is our Annual Open House
 - i. 7:10pm – RIA President David Binette shares that the Trinity Lutheran Church has just refinished their floors and requests that attendees do not drag tables and/or chairs across the floor when moving.
5. The Franklin Precinct Police Report – Welcome to Mal Grantham and team.
 - a. 7:11 - Captain Grantham provides a brief police report, mentioning his attendance at the police academy graduation in the previous month, a couple juvenile arrests that recently took place at Grand Central, and an officer appreciation event that will take place on June 13th.
6. The Main Street Manager’s Report - Crystal Micriotti
 - a. 7:14pm – Main Street Manager Crystal Micriotti provides her report, in included in full below. The report concludes at 7:21pm.
7. Tonight’s Speaker(s)
 - a. None scheduled
8. New Business/Announcements:

- a. Local Legislators’ announcements/comments:
 - b. Community Organization announcements/ comments:
 - c. We are always looking for people or groups that would like to address the community at one of our meetings on topics that are related to the development of our Main Street.
9. Overview of Open House night - Crystal
- Tonight’s Speakers – Various speakers from RIA and the community. Visit the different tables to find out more and look for opportunities to share your talents with the community.
- a. 7:21pm – Main Street Manager Crystal Micriotti proceeds to introduce the Reisterstown Improvement Association Open House.
 - b. Pat Gordon makes a motion to adjourn the official meeting, seconded by Randy Kiefer. The motion passes unanimously at 7:25, the official meeting is adjourned, and the open house begins.

Volunteering Your Time

Volunteers form the backbone of our communities. They set the tone for our culture. Volunteering brings help and guidance to recipients and great satisfaction to the givers. It builds friendships, creates confidence and promotes natural leadership.

Thank you for attending tonight’s meeting

2026 Meeting Dates

General Meetings with any Scheduled Speakers – Trinity Lutheran Church Life Center 7:00 PM	Board Meetings – RIA Visitor Center 6:00 PM
2026 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Jan 28 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Annual Business Meeting • Feb 25 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ MDOT - Claudine Myers • Mar 25 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ • Apr 22 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ • May 27 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ RIA Open House • Jun 24 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ • Jul 22 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ • Aug 26 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ The District 10 Unity Team • Sep 23 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ • Oct 28 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ • Nov 18 (3rd week) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ 	2026 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Jan 7 • Mar 4 • May 6 • Jul 8 (2nd Wednesday) • Sep 2 • Nov 4 • Dec 2 (If needed)

Main Street Manager Report- General Meeting May 2026

- The **ANNUAL Reisterstown Beer and Wine Festival** tickets are on sale! So get them now and mark your calendar for June 6th. 12-5pm. Vendors, live music, food and of course a variety of beer, wine and spirits.
- **Music on Main returns** Friday, June 19th for another summer of free concerts, food vendors, and family fun on Main Street. Concerts take place Friday nights from 6:30 PM to 9:00 PM at Franklin Middle School. (Stacey has Magnets)
- The **Farmers Market returns** June 7th! With new vendors, and a full calendar of events we are excited to see this season start. 9am-1pm outside FMS. The opening day theme is *Garden Day!* The following Sunday market on June 14th is the return of the Flea Market Day at the Market as well. Vending applications are open and online!
- **Main Street Raffle**- \$500 Reter's Crab House Gift Card. \$25 a ticket. The winner will be selected through a random drawing on August 7, 2026 during our Music On Main concert. The winner will be notified by email and announced by Reisterstown Main Street. You do not need to be present to win.
- **Main Street Cleanup** will be June 6th, at 9am meet in the Reter's parking lot and help keep Main Street Clean. The Franklin Woodland Trails Revitalization workday is on June 13th at 9am. Meet behind RUMC at the trail head to help clean and get the the trails summer ready!
- The next **Community Business Meeting** will be on June 9th, with guest speakers: the NW Chamber of Commerce & AlphaGraphics. Don't forget, if you haven't heard, the meeting time has permanently changed from 11 am to 10am! So get there earlier or you miss the whole thing.
- **ouR-TOWN, Big Stories from a Small Street-** is a new podcast produced by Reisterstown Main Street and hosted by Bill Robinson. Its focus is on sharing local conversations, interviews, events,

memories, and the people behind the stories of Reisterstown. You can listen to it on most streaming platforms, or on our webpage.

- The **Frankly Speaking** student podcast newest episode is up on line as well, so make sure you give it a listen to support our graduating seniors in our Junior Main Street Program.
- **Hobby Hangout** on Thursday, June 10, 2026 from 6pm–9 PM. Bring your favorite hobby, creative project, or craft and spend time making alongside others and SNACKS! Drop in and hang out. Hannah Perlow will be the lead and help with any projects.

We're proud to share that we have been awarded National Accreditation status for 2026 by Main Street America.

This recognition reflects our continued commitment to building a strong and successful Main Street program. The Main Street America Community Evaluation Framework defines the standards of excellence for Main Street communities and provides a roadmap for ongoing growth and development. The current framework, assessment process, and evaluation standards were introduced in early 2024 after a multi-year review and revision process conducted by Main Street America in partnership with Coordinating Partners, like Maryland's own DHCD.

If you haven't had a chance to check out the improved webpage and our efforts make sure you go to **www.reisterstown.com**.

Thank you to everyone who came out tonight. We're excited to share some of the work, projects, and ideas happening locally. Please take time to walk around, ask questions, and talk with us. We're glad you're here.