

DEPARTMENT OF PLANNING & ZONING*Appointed by County Executive:*Joseph W. Rutter, Jr., *Director*Marsha S. McLaughlin, *Deputy Director*

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JUDICIAL BRANCH

CIRCUIT COURT*Appointed by Governor &/or elected by Voters to 15-year terms (5 Judges):*Raymond J. Kane, Jr., *County Administrative Judge (chosen by Circuit Administrative Judge)*, 2013James B. Dudley, *Associate Judge*, 2005Lenore R. Gelfman, *Associate Judge*, 2011Diane O. Leasure, *Associate Judge*, 2011Dennis M. Sweeney, *Associate Judge*, 2007

Courthouse

8360 Court Ave., Ellicott City, MD 21043

(410) 313-2083

CLERK*Elected by Voters to 4-year term:*Margaret D. Rappaport (R), *Clerk*, 2002 (410) 313-2111**SHERIFF***Elected by Voters to 4-year term:*Charles M. Cave (R), *Sheriff*, 2002**DISTRICT COURT***Appointed by Governor with Senate consent to 10-year terms (5 Judges):*James N. Vaughan, *District Administrative Judge (chosen by Chief Judge, District Court of Maryland, with approval of Chief Judge, Court of Appeals)*, 2002Neil Edward Axel, *Associate Judge*, 2007Louis A. Becker III, *Associate Judge*, 2009Alice P. Clark, *Associate Judge*, 2007C. James Sfekas, *Associate Judge*, 2008

District Court/Multi-Service Center

3451 Courthouse Drive, Ellicott City, MD 21043

(410) 461-0220; fax: (410) 461-0113

ORPHANS' COURT*Elected by Voters to 4-year terms:*Charles M. Coles, Jr. (R), *Chief Judge (chosen by Governor)*, 2000Sherae M. McNeal (D), *Judge*, 2002Joyce C. Pope (R), *Judge*, 2002

Courthouse

8360 Court Ave., Ellicott City, MD 21043

(410) 313-2133; fax: (410) 313-3409

REGISTER OF WILLS*Elected by Voters to 4-year term:*Kay K. Hardeb (R), *Register of Wills*, 2002

(410) 313-2133