



**FREDERICK COUNTY GOVERNMENT**  
**OFFICE OF THE COUNTY EXECUTIVE**

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# News Release

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## **Frederick County Government Offices Closed for Martin Luther King Day**

FREDERICK, Md. – Frederick County Government offices will be closed on Monday, January 15, 2024, for the Martin Luther King Holiday. County offices and services will return to regularly scheduled hours on Tuesday, January 16.

### Clarifications to the holiday schedule:

- **Animal Control:** Administrative office will be closed, and kennels will be closed for adoptions on Monday, January 15. Animal Control Officers will be available for animal related emergencies only on Monday, January 15, call 301-600-1544. For emergency situations, call 301-600-1603 or visit [www.FrederickCountyMD.gov/animalcontrol](http://www.FrederickCountyMD.gov/animalcontrol).
- **Board of Elections:** Office will be closed. For further details, visit [FrederickCountyMD.gov/elections](http://FrederickCountyMD.gov/elections) or call 301-600-VOTE.
- **Department of Social Services:** The office will be closed in observance of the holiday on Monday, January 15 and will open for regularly scheduled hours on Tuesday, January 16. For further details, call 1-800-332-6347 or visit [www.dhs.maryland.gov](http://www.dhs.maryland.gov).
- **Division of Solid Waste and Recycling:** The Reich's Ford Road Facility, including the Transfer Station, Yard Waste and Compost Programs, Citizens Convenience Center, and Recycling Center, will be Open Martin Luther King Day with limited admin customer support. Recycling collection will not be impacted.
- **Health Department:** All offices will be closed on Monday, January 15. For further details, call 301-600-1029 or visit [Health.FrederickCountyMD.gov](http://Health.FrederickCountyMD.gov).
- **Frederick County Public Libraries:** Libraries will be closed on Monday, January 15. Curbside pickup and telephone reference will not be available. For further details, call 301-600-1630 or visit [www.fcpl.org](http://www.fcpl.org).
- **Frederick County Courts and State's Attorney's Office:** District and Circuit Courts will be closed in observance of the holiday on Monday, January 15 and will open during regularly scheduled hours on Tuesday, January 16.
- **Liquor Board:** Offices will be closed. For further details, call 1-301-600-2984 or visit <https://www.frederickcountymd.gov/1291/Liquor-Board>.
- **Transit:** The Transit office will be closed on Monday, January 15. Transit services and regional transportation will follow a modified schedule. For more information on service modifications, visit: [Rider Bulletins, News Updates & Publications | Frederick County MD - Official Website](#)
- **University of Maryland Extension Frederick County:** Offices will be closed. For more information, please visit <https://extension.umd.edu/locations/frederick-county>.

For further information about Frederick County Government services, county meetings, department listings, and other issues of interest to residents, call 301-600-9000 or visit [www.FrederickCountyMD.gov](http://www.FrederickCountyMD.gov).

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