



Say NO to lights: Save Clermont Park!



You received this notice because your home is located close to Clermont Park. Fairfax County Park Authority (FCPA) is considering a plan to install new, permanent lighting for baseball fields, walkways, and the parking lot. Under the current zoning ordinance, these lights would be permitted to stay on **until 11pm**.

The public (you!) has until COB Monday, Aug. 26 to oppose this effort. The current park deed **does not allow** the installation or use of any lighting, and this is the very restriction FCPA is seeking to remove. This restriction was supposed to “run with the land **in perpetuity**” to preserve the natural state of the park and protect our neighborhoods from noise and light pollution after dark.

Permanent lighting and evening use is a big negative to our neighborhoods. Noisy nighttime activity and bright lights will be disruptive, decrease our home values, and chip away at the precious ecological resources wildlife uses in the adjacent county-designated Resource Protection Zone.

**Your voice matters...No emails = night lighting!
Protect our park by saying “NO LIGHTS”!**

Before Monday, August 26th contact the Fairfax County Park Authority and Lee District Supervisor Jeff McKay and tell them why it is imperative they do not install lights in our park.

Email:

Pat Rosend: Parkmail@fairfaxcounty.gov

Supervisor McKay: leedist@fairfaxcounty.gov

Call:

Pat Rosend, 703-324-2387

Mail:

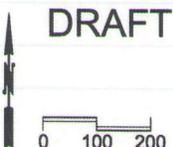
Fairfax County Park Authority
Attn: Pat Rosend, Project Manager
12055 Government Center Parkway, Suite 421
Fairfax, VA 22035-1118

For letter writing tips, a copy of Clermont Park’s deed, and other information, go to:

www.SaveClermontPark.com

Fairfax County’s Clermont Park Master Plan Revision Process page mentions nothing of the deed restrictions and has limited information, but can be found here:

<https://www.fairfaxcounty.gov/parks/planning-development/clermont>



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CLERMONT PARK

Master Plan Amendment

4100 Franconia Road
Alexandria, VA

40.61 Acres

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