



Frederick County, Maryland

Form of Government	Charter Home Rule
When Adopted	2014
Number of Elected Officials	1 County Executive, 2 At-Large and 5 District Council
Term of Office	Three Consecutive Terms
County Meeting Dates	

First and third Tuesday of each month at 4:30 pm

<u>Name of Elected Official</u>	<u>Title and District</u>	<u>First Elected</u>
Jan Gardner	County Executive	2014
Phil Dacey	County Member, At-Large	2018
M.C. Keegan-Ayer	President, County Council, District 3	2014
Kai Hagen	Council Member, At-Large	2018
Jerry Donald	Council Member, District 1	2014
Steve McKay	Council Member, District 2	2018
Jessica Fitzwater	Council Member, District 4	2014
Michael Blue	Vice President, County Council, District 5	2018

Demographics

<u>Population and Density</u>	
Land Area (sq. miles)	660.2
Population	248,472
Population Density	381.7

Racial Distribution

White	81.1%
African American	9.4%
Hispanic/Latino	9.2%
Asian	4.4%
American Indian	0.2%
Native Hawaiian	0.1%
Multi-Racial	3.3%

Other

Median Household Income	\$ 91,999
Median Home Price	\$ 323,600
% Persons Living in Poverty	7.1%
Income Ranking Per Capita	8

Municipalities

Number	12
Population	107,495
% of Cnty Population	42%
Largest	Frederick
Recent Annexations	Frederick City, New Market
County Management of Property Taxes	Tax Differential and Tax Rebate

FY 2020 Budget Actions

Budget increased by 4.78% over prior year. No tax increases. County provided a merit increase for eligible full-time benefitted employees of 3.5% of midpoint of the grade, a pro-rated merit increase for eligible part-time benefitted employees, and a 2% increase for eligible part-time non-benefitted employees.

Budget and Finance

FY 2020 General Fund Budget	\$637,747,020	K-12 Education (FY 2019)	
% of General Fund for Public Safety	20.3%	County Share	48.0%
% of General Fund for Education	46.3%	State Share	48.3%
		Federal Share	3.8%

Tax

Property	
Income	
Recordation	
Transfer	
Hotel/Motel	
Adm & Amusement	

FY 2020 Tax Rate

1.06
2.96%
\$6.00
0.00%
5%
0%

% Limit

Homestead Credit

5%

Adequate Public Financing Ordinances

Yes. Facilities or services include schools, roads, water, and sewer.