

CBC PRINCIPLES

CBC encourages:

Independent, high-quality
public schools

Citizen participation

Open conduct of public
business

Effective organization and
administration of city
government

Appointment of qualified
citizens to City Boards and
Commissions

Beautification/Conservation

Responsive public services
supported by prudent
financial planning

Regional cooperation

Sound planning and zoning
policies

Equal opportunity



*Working Together Since 1959
for a
Responsive and Responsible
Government
in the
City of Falls Church*

YOUR HOMETOWN CIVIC ORGANIZATION

Citizens for a Better City is a nonpartisan civic organization in the City of Falls Church, Virginia. CBC's objective is good city government, one that responds to the needs and interests of the citizens of Falls Church.

CBC'S THREE MAIN FUNCTIONS:

To encourage and support qualified citizens to run for office on the Falls Church City Council and School Board.

To keep the public informed about issues facing the City government and public schools and about CBC objectives, principles, and activities.

To promote the development of civic leadership among City youth through service on Boards and Commissions and other local civic organizations.



HOW WE GOT STARTED

Today's CBC is the successor to the Citizens for a Better Council, an informal organization of several hundred Falls Church citizens who banded together to support candidates in the June 1959 City Council election. Candidates supported by the CBC have been instrumental in helping to bring about nationally recognized public schools and good government in Fall Church.



CBC seeks to educate and involve citizens on important issues facing city government. CBC facilitates communication between citizens and city government, and encourages citizens to vote, serve on Boards and Commissions, and run for public office. Since 2014 CBC has engaged City young people to serve as youth representatives on Boards and Commissions and other civic organizations.

An important means of communication and education is the CBC website: www.fallschurchcbc.net. In the spirit of public service, the CBC website maintains copies of the current City Council and School Board meeting agendas.

JOIN US!!

To join Citizens for a Better City, complete the application below and mail it in, along with a check for your annual dues of \$15 per person (\$25 per household).

Name _____

Address _____

Phone Home _____

Work _____

Cell _____

Email _____

WOULD YOU BE INTERESTED IN:

- Serving on a CBC committee?
- Serving on a board or commission?
- Running for City Council?
- Running for School Board?
- Talking to someone about these ideas?

Please mail this form to:

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