

# **Community Liaison Program**

The Montgomery County Council is the legislative branch of the county government. It has eleven members, all elected at the same time by Montgomery County, MD voters for four-year terms. Councilmember Evan Glass was first elected as an At-Large member of the Council in 2018 and was re-elected in 2022 for a second term. He is the first openly LGBTQ+ individual on the Council and the first to serve as the body's President, for which his term recently concluded. He chairs the Transportation & Environment Committee and sits on the newly created Economic Development Committee. Notable accomplishments include the Montgomery County Pay Equity Act, the Housing Justice Act, the creation of the 2023 Anti-Hate Task Force, and the Pedestrian Master Plan.

### **Summary**

The Office of Montgomery County Councilmember At-Large Evan Glass offers a *Community Liaison Program* for students designed to immerse them in the various functions of a local government office. Participants will gain professional experience by creating deliverables, building connections with the community, and learning firsthand about the operations of the County Council. Community Liaisons will assist staff with:

- Representing Councilmember Glass at community events
- Providing constituent services
- Other duties as assigned

# **Qualifications and Experience**

The ideal candidate will be a high school or college student who is creative, detail-oriented, able to multitask, and passionate about local government. Applicants should have experience in public policy, social media, and community organizing. Montgomery County ties and familiarity with local politics are strongly preferred.

## **Internship Requirements**

Selected Community Liaisons will work mostly in the community and in the Council Office Building at 100 Maryland Ave, Rockville MD 20850. We are looking for candidates primarily available on weekends who can work at least 8-12 hours per week. Weekday availability is a plus.

#### To Apply

Send an email to <u>Councilmember.Glass@montgomerycountymd.gov</u> by **May 6, 2024** with the subject line "Community Liaison Program" and attach your cover letter and resume. Please specify in your cover letter your weekly availability, expected start and end dates, and whether you are looking for a paid internship (\$16.70/hr) or school credit. The proposed start date is June 2024.