

# County Council of Howard County, Maryland

2026 Legislative Session

Legislative day #1

## RESOLUTION NO. 13 - 2026

Introduced by: Chairperson at the request of the County Executive

Short Title: Reappointment – Renee Bitner – Adult Public Guardianship Review Board

A RESOLUTION confirming the reappointment of Renee Bitner to the Adult Public Guardianship Review Board.

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Introduced and read first time on \_\_\_\_\_, 2026.

By order \_\_\_\_\_  
Michelle Harrod, Administrator to the County Council

Read for a second time and a public hearing held on \_\_\_\_\_, 2026.

By order \_\_\_\_\_  
Michelle Harrod, Administrator to the County Council

This Resolution was read the third time and was Adopted\_\_\_\_, Adopted with amendments\_\_\_\_, Failed\_\_\_\_, Withdrawn \_\_\_\_ by the County Council on \_\_\_\_\_, 2026.

Certified by \_\_\_\_\_  
Michelle Harrod, Acting Administrator to the County Council

NOTE: [[text in brackets]] indicates deletions from existing language; TEXT IN SMALL CAPITALS indicates additions to existing language. ~~Strike-out~~ indicates material deleted by amendment; Underlining indicates material added by amendment.

1                   **WHEREAS**, Section 404 of the Howard County Charter and Section 6.300 of the Howard  
2 County Code provide for the County Executive to appoint and for the County Council to confirm  
3 nominees to Howard County Boards and Commissions created by law; and

4           **WHEREAS**, Sections 14-401 through 14-404 of the Family Law Article, Annotated Code  
5   of Maryland and Council Resolution 38-1989 provide for an Adult Public Guardianship Review  
6   Board in Howard County; and

7           **WHEREAS**, the County Executive has proposed the reappointment of Renee Bitner as a  
8 member of the Adult Public Guardianship Review Board; and

10           **WHEREAS**, the County Council ratifies the County Executive's special trust and  
11 confidence in the abilities of the nominee.

12                   **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the County Council of Howard County,  
13 Maryland this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2026 that the following person is reappointed as  
14 a member of the Adult Public Guardianship Review Board to serve from the passage of this  
15 Resolution to February 2, 2029 or until a successor is reappointed and confirmed: