

County Council of Howard County, Maryland

2016 Legislative Session

Legislative day # 8

RESOLUTION NO. 98 - 2016

Introduced by: Chairperson at the request of the County Executive

A RESOLUTION confirming the appointment Paul Lin to the Environmental Sustainability Board.

Introduced and read first time on July 8, 2016.

By order Jessica Feldmark
Jessica Feldmark, Administrator to the County Council

Read for a second time and a public hearing held on July 18, 2016.

By order Jessica Feldmark
Jessica Feldmark, Administrator to the County Council

Tabled July 29, 2016

This Resolution was read the third time and was Adopted , Adopted with amendments , Failed , Withdrawn by the County Council on October 5, 2016.

Certified by Jessica Feldmark
Jessica Feldmark, 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.

Paul Lin

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Objective

To serve as the student member on the Howard County Environmental Sustainability Board.

Education

2013 – Present River Hill High School
12101 Clarksville Pike
Clarksville, Maryland 20129

Awards / Honors

2015 – Present National Honor Society
Chinese National Honor Society, *Vice President (15 – 16)*

2014 – Present Maryland Technology Honor Society

2013 – Present Principal's Honor Roll

2016 Maryland State Science Olympiad: 2nd Disease Detectives (Epidemiology)
Chemathon Level II: 4th Place Le' Chatelier's Lunacy (Chemical Equilibrium)
Manheim Central Barons Science Olympiad Invitational

- 3rd Place Disease Detectives (Epidemiology)
- 1st Place GeoLogic Mapping (Geology)
- 3rd Place Green Generation (Environmental Science)

2015 Maryland Future Business Leaders of America, Region 5 Conference: 1st Business Law
Maryland State Science Olympiad: 4th Place Dynamic Planet (Oceanography)
Fairfax Science Olympiad Invitational: 3rd Place Dynamic Planet
Chemathon Level I: 3rd Place Chemical Jeopardy
Central Maryland Science Olympiad

- 3rd Place Dynamic Planet (Oceanography)
- 2nd Place GeoLogic Mapping (Geology)

Advanced Placement Scholar

2014 Centennial Model United Nations Conference: Best Position Paper – Joint Crisis

Extracurricular Activities / Leadership

2016 – Present Planet Protection Program (PPP), *Community Service Chair (16)*

- Plan and present meeting agendas
- Assume the role of chair when chair is not present for meetings
- Plan and organize environmental service opportunities for students
- Advocate to reduce student and community environmental apathy

2016 – Present Green School Initiative, *Secretary (16)*

- Present environmental project proposals to school administrators and staff
- Work towards achieving the Green School award for River Hill High School

- 2015 – Present
 - Record group meeting and staff meeting minutes
 - Howard County Association of Student Council (HCASC), *Environmental Affairs Coordinator (15 – 16)*
 - Plan and deliver the annual HCASC environmental presentation
 - Promote environmental opportunities to students in various schools
 - Facilitate and participate in county-wide discussions on student issues
 - Student Government Association (SGA), *School Improvement Team Liaison (15 – 16)*
 - Record and take notes on discussion content during meetings
 - Assist the executive board in organizing SGA-sponsored events
- 2014 – Present
 - Science Olympiad, *Secretary (15-16), Vice President (16 – 17)*
 - Create and register teams for invitational and state competitions.
 - Write, administer, supervise, and score in-house tests of members
 - Chemathon, *Level II Captain (15 – 16), President (16 – 17)*
 - Organize and lead team members in practice sessions and lab technique
- 2013 – Present
 - Environmental Club, *Vice President (16 – 17)*
 - Collect recycling from the school's classrooms
- 2013 – Present
 - Model United Nations, *Secretary (15 – 16)*
 - Introduce procedures to and help assimilate newer members
 - Attend conferences to debate and discuss on global / historical issues

Experience

- 2015 – 2016
 - National History Day
 - Write a paper relating to the theme: Explorations, Encounters, Exchange
 - Analyze and gather evidence on Hong Kong's role in the Xinhai Revolution and the formation of China's first democratic government
- 2012 – 2014
 - Taipei Private Dongshan High School Summer Program
No. 3, Lane 26, Laoquan St., Wenshan District, Taipei City, Taiwan
 - Interact with and learn from local classmates about Taiwanese culture

Community Service

- 2016
 - Patapsco Heritage Greenway Stream Cleanup
 - Pick up trash in the stream and surrounding neighborhoods
- 2015
 - Robinson Nature Center Gardening Get-Together
 - Plant native trees and weed invasive species
- 2015
 - Claret Hall Halloween Event Preparation
 - Assist in setting up and scaring children in the Haunted House
 - Little Things for Cancer Bingo Fundraising Night
 - Assist in setting up, serving food, and cleaning up for the event
 - River Hill Health Fair
 - Assist in setting up, running a booth, and cleaning up for the event
- 2014
 - Chris4Life Colon Cancer Foundation Walk
 - Assist in setting up and handing out materials for attendees

References

Available Upon Request

Sayers, Margery

From: Paul Lin <paullin3679@gmail.com>
Sent: Wednesday, July 06, 2016 5:10 PM
To: CouncilMail
Subject: July Meeting Unavailability

Dear Howard County Council,

Hi, my name is Paul Lin and I am a rising senior at River Hill High School. I had just received a letter regarding a public hearing about my appointment as a member of the Environmental Sustainability Board. Unfortunately, due to my grandfather's recent death, I will be in Taiwan from July 9th to July 25th to attend his funeral and so will be unable to appear before the County Council. I have spoken with Ms. Sayers and she has recommended me to request to place the legislation on hold for the July meeting and have it transferred to the September meeting. I hope you can understand my unavailability on the 18th and I look forward to hearing back from the office.

P.S. I had sent an email earlier by accident. Please disregard that email.

Best,
Paul Lin