

**County Council of Howard County, Maryland**

2013 Legislative Session

Legislative day # 11

**RESOLUTION NO. 102, 2013**

Introduced by: Chairperson at the request of the County Executive

A RESOLUTION confirming the appointment of Elaine R. Ritchey to the Howard County Animal Matters Hearing Board.

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Introduced and read first time on Sept. 3, 2013.

By order Sheila M. Tolliver  
Sheila M. Tolliver, Administrator to the County Council

Read for a second time and a public hearing held on Sept. 16, 2013.

By order Sheila M. Tolliver  
Sheila M. Tolliver, 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This Resolution was read the third time and was Adopted , Adopted with amendments , Failed , Withdrawn  by the County Council on Oct. 7, 2013.

Certified by Sheila M. Tolliver  
Sheila M. Tolliver, 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  
2 Howard County Code provide for the County Executive to appoint and for the County Council to  
3 confirm nominees to Howard County Boards and Commissions created by law; and

4           **WHEREAS**, Sections 6.315 and 17.308(e) of the Howard County Code provide for an  
5 Animal Matters Hearing Board in Howard County; and

6           **WHEREAS**, the County Executive has proposed the appointment of Elaine R. Ritchey as  
7 a member of the Animal Matters Hearing Board; and

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

10           **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the County Council of Howard County,  
11 Maryland this 7<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2013 that the following person is appointed as a  
12 member of the Howard County Animal Matters Hearing Board to serve from the passage of this  
13 Resolution to March 1, 2017 or until a successor is appointed and confirmed:

14   Elaine R. Ritchey  
15   Columbia, MD