

Amendment 1 to Council Bill No. 3-2017

**BY: The Chairperson at the
request of the County Executive**

**Legislative Day No. 2
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Amendment No. 1

(This amendment corrects the amount of the proposed FY 2017 budget amendment for Non-Departmental Expenses and declares the bill to be an Emergency Act.)

1 In the title:

- 2 1. In the first line, after “Appropriation” insert “Ordinance”;
- 3 2. In the fifth line, strike “and generally”;
- 4 3. Strike the sixth line and substitute “and declaring this Act to be an emergency
- 5 measure”.

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7 On page 1, in line 18, strike “\$25,965,838” and substitute with “\$25,724,815”.

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9 On page 1, in line 23, strike “\$25,965,838” and substitute with “\$25,724,815” and, in the same
10 line, strike “\$32,665,838” and substitute with “\$32,424,815”.

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12 On page 1, in line 26, strike “\$1,073,257,983” and substitute with “\$1,073,016,960” and, in the
13 same line, strike “\$12,610,982” and substitute with “\$12,369,959”.

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15 On page 2, strike lines 2 through 4, inclusive and in their entirety and substitute:

16 “WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 610(b) of the Howard County Charter, this matter is an
17 emergency affecting the public health, safety, or welfare because, without the budget amendment
18 authorized by this Act:

- 19 1. County roads will continue to deteriorate at a rapid rate and, in the interest of
20 avoiding further degradation, the County needs to quickly begin repaving work;
- 21 2. The County will not be able to move forward on stormwater controls to prevent
22 future flooding; and
- 23 3. The County will not be able to pay certain unexpected operating costs incurred as
24 a result of the flood.”

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On page 4, in line 22, strike “\$736,552” and substitute with “\$495,529”.

On page 4, in line 25, strike “\$32,665,838” and substitute with “\$32,424,815”.

On page 4, in line 27, strike “\$32,665,838” and substitute with “\$32,424,815”.

On page 4, in line 29, strike “\$32,665,838” and substitute with “\$32,424,815”.

On page 5, in line 1, strike “\$32,665,838” and substitute with “\$32,424,815”.

On page 6, strike lines 26 through 27, inclusive and in their entirety and substitute:

“Section 3. And Be It Further Enacted by the County Council of Howard County, Maryland, that this Act is hereby declared to be an emergency measure and necessary to meet an immediate emergency affecting the public health, safety, or welfare because, without the budget amendment authorized by this Act, the County will not be able to begin necessary and urgent repaving work, will not be able to construct crucial stormwater controls, and will not be able to pay for certain unexpected operating costs incurred as a result of the flood, and shall be effective upon its enactment.”

Remove page 50, attached to the Bill as prefiled, and substitute a revised page 50 as attached to this Amendment.

