

**Office of the County Auditor**  
**Auditor's Analysis**

**Council Resolution No. 143-2020**

Introduced: September 8, 2020

Auditor: Michelle R. Harrod

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Fiscal Impact:

The proposed legislation does not have a fiscal impact.

The passage of this legislation would not change the state-proposed minimum wage and therefore does not impact the revenue or expense of the County.

Purpose:

The purpose of this legislation is for the Howard County Council to express full support for the Fight For \$15 Coalition. It further supports maintaining the first scheduled minimum wage increment effective January 1, 2021.

Other Comments:

If passed, a copy of this resolution shall be sent to:

The Honorable Lawrence J. Hogan, Jr., Governor, State of Maryland

The Honorable Peter V.R. Franchot, Comptroller

The Honorable Nancy K. Kopp, Treasurer

The Honorable Adrienne A. Jones, House Speaker

The Honorable William C. Ferguson, IV, Senate President

House Bill 166 and Senate Bill 280, passed by the Maryland General Assembly, grants the State Board of Public Works the authority to delay the scheduled increase to the minimum wage.