

Amendment 1 to Council Resolution No. 15

BY: The Chair

Legislative Day 3

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1 *(Specifies the names of the alternate members of the Councilmanic Redistricting Commission*  
2 *and provides additional background information regarding the alternate members of the*  
3 *Commission.)*

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5 On the title page, in line 3 of the purpose paragraph, after “Commission”, insert “, appointing  
6 Cynthia Fikes and Lili Shippe as alternates to the Councilmanic Redistricting Commission,”.

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8 On page 1, in line 13, strike “and”; in line 16, strike the period and substitute a semicolon; and  
9 after line 16, insert:

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11 “WHEREAS, an alternate to the Councilmanic Redistricting Commission does not constitute  
12 a member of the Commission to be counted for purposes of a quorum of the Commission until  
13 such time the alternate fills a vacancy on the Commission because of the resignation of a  
14 Commission member, the death of a Commission member, or for any other reason that a member  
15 is no longer serving on the Commission; and

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17 WHEREAS, in order to enable the Councilmanic Redistricting Commission to complete its  
18 work within the required timeline, it is the intent of the Council to identify alternate members in  
19 this Resolution so that in the event of a Commission vacancy, the work of the Commission

1 continues to move forward in a timely manner because: 1) the timeline to present a  
2 Councilmanic Redistricting Plan to the Council is shorter than the timeline for previous  
3 Commissions; 2) there will be a delay in Commission receipt of Census data; and 3) due to the  
4 COVID-19 public health State of Emergency and social distancing directives, the work of the  
5 Commission will be conducted virtually until there is no longer a public health State of  
6 Emergency.”.

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8 On page 2, after line 4, insert:

9 “Cynthia Fikes, Alternate  
10 Columbia, Maryland”.

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12 On page 2, after line 15, insert:

13 “Lili Shippe, Alternate  
14 Ellicott City, Maryland”.

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