

County Council of Howard County, Maryland

2025 Legislative Session

Legislative Day No. **15**

Resolution No. 215 -2025

Introduced by: Deb Jung

SHORT TITLE: Appointment – Andrea LeWinter – Board of Appeals

TITLE: A RESOLUTION appointing Andrea LeWinter to the Howard County Board of Appeals to fill a term ending on December 31, 2027.

Introduced and read first time Nov 3, 2025.

By order

Michelle Harrod
Michelle Harrod, Administrator

Read for a second time at a public hearing on Nov 17, 2025.

By order

Michelle Harrod
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This Resolution was read the third time and was Adopted___, Adopted with amendments___, Failed___, Withdrawn___, by the County Council on Dec 1, 2025.

Certified By

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Michelle Harrod, Administrator

NOTE: [[text in brackets]] indicates deletions from existing law; TEXT IN SMALL CAPITALS indicates additions to existing law; ~~Strike-out~~ indicates material deleted by amendment; Underlining indicates material added by amendment

WHEREAS, Section 501(a) of the Howard County Charter provides that members of the Board of Appeals shall be appointed by the Howard County Council to serve five years from the first day of January of the year of their appointment or until their successors are appointed; and

WHEREAS, there is an impending vacancy on the Board of Appeals for a term that expires on December 31, 2027; and

WHEREAS, the County Council has the utmost confidence in the abilities and the character of:

Andrea LeWinter
Columbia, Maryland

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the County Council of Howard County, Maryland this FAILED day of _____, 2025 that Andrea LeWinter be appointed as a member of the Board of Appeals of Howard County, Maryland, to serve ~~from January 1st, 2026~~ a term beginning no sooner than January 1, 2026, or on the date immediately following the day that the outgoing member has completed signing any pending Decisions & Order (D&Os) before the Board on the cases that the outgoing member decided, until December 31, 2027, or until a successor is appointed.

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, by the County Council of Howard County, Maryland, that should the outgoing member complete the signing of all the outstanding D&Os on or before December 31, 2025, then the term of Andrea LeWinter as a member of the Board of Appeals of Howard County, Maryland, shall begin on January 1, 2026.

Amendment 1 to Council Resolution No. 215 - 2025

BY: Deb Jung

**Legislative Day 17
Date: December 1, 2025**

Amendment No. 1

(This Amendment adds language to clarify the start date of the nominee's term to the Board of Appeals.)

1 On page 1, in line 15, strike “from January 1st, 2026”, and substitute the following:

2 “a term beginning no sooner than January 1, 2026, or on the date immediately following the day
3 that the outgoing member has completed signing any pending Decisions & Order (D&Os) before
4 the Board on the cases that the outgoing member decided.”.

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6 On page 1, immediately after line 16, insert the following:

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8 “AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, by the County Council of Howard County,
9 Maryland, that should the outgoing member complete the signing of all the outstanding D&Os
10 on or before December 31, 2025, then the term of Andrea LeWinter as a member of the Board of
11 Appeals of Howard County, Maryland, shall begin on January 1, 2026.”.

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I certify that this a true copy of
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passed on December 1, 2025
Nicholas Harris
Council Administrator

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