County Council of Howard County, Maryland

2026 Legislative Session Legislative Day No. 1

Resolution No. 21 -2026

Introduced by: The Chairperson at the request of the County Executive

Short Title: Conveyance to Savage Volunteer Fire Company, Inc. - Approximately 1.063 Acres – Corridor Road, Savage, Maryland.

Title: A RESOLUTION pursuant to Section 4.201 of the Howard County Code declaring that 1.063 acres of land owned by Howard County, Maryland located on Corridor Road in Savage, Maryland is no longer needed by the County for public purposes; authorizing the County Executive to convey the property to the Savage Volunteer Fire Company, Inc.; waiving the advertising and bidding requirements of Section 4.201 of the Howard County Code in order to convey the property; and providing that the County Executive is not bound to convey the property if he finds that it may have a further public use.

Introduced and read first time, 2026.	
	By order Michelle Harrod, Administrator
Read for a second time at a public hearing on	, 2026.
	By order Michelle Harrod, Administrator
This Resolution was read the third time and was Adopted, Adopted with	amendments, Failed, Withdrawn, by the County Council
on, 2026.	
	Certified ByMichelle 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

1	WHEREAS, Howard County, Maryland (the "County") is the owner of property
2	consisting of approximately 1.063 acres shown on State Highway Administration Conveyance Plat
3	No. 61548, recorded among the Land Records of Howard County, Maryland (the "Property"); and
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5	WHEREAS, the County acquired the Property by deed dated August 20, 2025 and recorded
6	among the Land Records of Howard County in Book 22899, page 25, from the State Highway
7	Administration of the Maryland Department of Transportation, and the Board of Public Works of
8	Maryland, acting for and on behalf of the State of Maryland, for the purpose of a parking lot adjacent
9	to the Savage Volunteer Fire Station; and
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11	WHEREAS, the County's cost to acquire the Property was \$72,352.87 with funding allocated
12	in Capital Project C-0360; and
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14	WHEREAS, the Savage Volunteer Fire Company, Inc. has agreed to purchase the Property
15	from the County for the cost paid of \$72,352.87; and
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17	WHEREAS, Section 4.201 of the Howard County Code, "Disposition of real property",
18	authorizes the County Council to declare that property is no longer needed for public purposes and
19	authorizes the County Council to waive advertising and bidding requirements for an individual
20	conveyance of real property upon the request of the County Executive; and
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22	WHEREAS, the County Council has received a request from the County Executive to
23	waive the advertising and bidding requirements in this instance for the conveyance of the Property
24	to the Savage Volunteer Fire Company, Inc.
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26	NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the County Council of Howard County,
27	Maryland, this day of, 2026, that the Property containing approximately
28	1.063 acres located on Corridor Road in Savage, Maryland, as shown on the attached Exhibit A as
29	the "Formerly Allen L. Haslup Item No. 61299", is no longer needed by the County for public
30	purposes and may be conveyed to the Savage Volunteer Fire Company, Inc. for the cost of
31	\$72,352.87.

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2	AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that, having received a request from the County
3	Executive and having held a public hearing, the County Council declares that the best interests of
4	the County will be served by authorizing the County Executive to waive the usual advertising and
5	bidding requirements of Section 4.201 of the Howard County Code for the conveyance of the
6	County Property to Savage Volunteer Fire Company, Inc.
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8	AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that if the County Executive finds that the
9	County's interest in the County Property should not be terminated, he is not bound to terminate
10	the interest in accordance with this resolution.

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