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County Council Of Howard County, Maryland

2016 Legislative Session

Legislative Day No. 14

Transfer of Appropriation Ordinance No. 1 Fiscal Year 2017

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

AN ACT transferring \$550,000 in grant funding from Capital Project D1165, Flood Mitigation and Stormwater/Waterway Enhancement, to Capital Project D1158, Watershed Management Construction, so that the County may receive additional grant funds from the Maryland Department of Natural Resources, Chesapeake Bay Trust Fund, for stream restoration work.

Introduced and read first time _____, 2016. Ordered posted and hearing scheduled.

By order _____
Jessica Feldmark, Administrator

Having been posted and notice of time & place of hearing & title of Bill having been published according to Charter, the Bill was read for a second time at a public hearing on _____, 2016.

By order _____
Jessica Feldmark, Administrator

This Bill was read the third time on _____, 2016 and Passed ____, Passed with amendments _____, Failed _____.

By order _____
Jessica Feldmark, Administrator

Sealed with the County Seal and presented to the County Executive for approval this ____ day of _____, 2016 at ____ a.m./p.m.

By order _____
Jessica Feldmark, Administrator

Approved by the County Executive _____, 2016

Allan H. Kittleman, County Executive

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**, for Fiscal Year 2017, the County budgeted \$1,450,000 in grant
2 funds in capital project D1158, Watershed Management Construction, for a grant from
3 the State of Maryland’s Department of Natural Resources, Chesapeake Bay Trust for
4 stream restoration work (the “Grant”); and

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6 **WHEREAS**, after the start of the Fiscal Year, the County was notified that it was
7 awarded a total of \$2,000,000 for the Grant; and

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9 **WHEREAS**, the grant awarded exceeds the amount budgeted by \$550,000; and

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11 **WHEREAS**, D1158 contains \$7,430,000 in prior appropriated grant funding but
12 much of that is for grants that have already been awarded and spending authority for the
13 additional \$550,000 does not currently exist in D1158; and

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15 **WHEREAS**, grant funding is available in Capital Project D1165, Flood
16 Mitigation and Stormwater/Waterway Enhancement, to account for the additional grant
17 funding; and

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19 **WHEREAS**, the County wishes to transfer grant funding from Capital Project
20 D1165, Flood Mitigation and Stormwater/Waterway Enhancement, to Capital Project
21 D1158, Watershed Management Construction, to account for the additional \$550,000;
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24 **WHEREAS**, Section 609(b) of the Howard County Charter authorizes and
25 empowers the Howard County Council to make such transfers; and

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27 **WHEREAS**, the Director of Finance has certified that the appropriation to be
28 transferred is not encumbered and is available for transfer.

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30 *Section 1. Be It Enacted by the County Council of Howard County, Maryland, that,*
31 *subject to the provisions of Maryland law, the Howard County Charter, and the Howard*

1 *County Code relating to the budgetary and fiscal procedures, the amount hereafter*
2 *specified is hereby approved, appropriated, and authorized to be disbursed for the*
3 *general County purposes specified and in sums itemized for the fiscal year beginning July*
4 *1, 2016 and ending June 30, 2017, as hereinafter indicated:*

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6 **Donor Project:**

7 D1165, Flood Mitigation and Stormwater/Waterway Enhancement

8	Fiscal Year 2017 appropriation before transfer	\$3,250,000	
9	Less amount transferred to D1158	<u>\$550,000</u>	(G)
10	Fiscal Year 2017 appropriation after transfer	\$2,700,000	

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12 **Recipient Project:**

13 D1158, Watershed Management Construction

14	Fiscal Year 2017 appropriation before transfer	\$7,430,000	
15	Plus amount transferred from D1165	<u>\$550,000</u>	(G)
16	Fiscal Year 2017 appropriation after transfer	\$7,980,000	

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18 **Section 2. And Be It Further Enacted** by the County Council of Howard County,
19 *Maryland that this Transfer of Appropriation Ordinance shall be effective upon its*
20 *enactment.*