



# Howard County Council

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## Work Session Agenda

Hybrid Meeting (Virtual and In-Person Meeting)  
Video Streamed on <https://cc.howardcountymd.gov/watch-us>  
Monday, June 26, 2023  
9:30 a.m.

### 1. Facilities Review

#### 2. **CB30-2023** - Introduced by Liz Walsh

AN ACT amending the purpose of the Forest Conservation Act of Howard County; altering the definition of a forest; increasing certain reforestation calculations; amending qualification for the use of certain forest mitigation banks; and generally related to the Forest Conservation Act of Howard County.

#### 3. **CR101-2023** - Introduced by The Chairperson at the request of the County Executive A RESOLUTION pursuant to Section 4.201 of the Howard County Code, authorizing the County Executive to grant easements to Baltimore Gas and Electric Company so that it may replace and relocate poles and other equipment maintained by Baltimore Gas and Electric Company on property owned by Howard County, Maryland in Ellicott City; waiving the advertising and bidding requirements of Section 4.201 of the Howard County Code; and providing that the County Executive is not bound to grant the easements if he finds that the property may have a further public use.

#### 4. **CB32-2023** - Introduced by Opel Jones

AN ACT creating an Adult-Use Cannabis Advisory Panel; specificizing the duties and responsibilities of the Advisory Panel; providing for the membership and staffing of the Advisory Panel; establishing requirements for meetings and reports; and generally related to the Adult-Use Cannabis Advisory Panel.

#### 5. **CR104-2023** - Introduced by Opel Jones

A RESOLUTION creating a Cannabis Workgroup to study the effects of adult-use cannabis legalization in Howard County and recommend legislative actions to promote health, public safety, and equity in the local adult-use cannabis market; and generally relating to adult-use cannabis.

## **6. Howard County Council Administrative Policies and Procedures**

### **a. Unresolved Policy Decisions**

- i. 202 Legislation, Budget
- ii. 204 Civility
- iii. 301.1 Personnel
- iv. 303 Evaluations of Personnel
- v. 402.2 Financial Management, Council Office
- vi. 504 Office Security

### **b. Additional Policy Proposals**

- i. XXX.X Financial Management, Audits
- ii. Censure
- iii. Other

### **c. Review Policy Decisions**

- i. 103.1 Public Relations, External Events
- ii. 103.2 Public Relations, Honorary Resolutions, Certificates
- iii. 103.4 Public Relations, Council Letterhead
- iv. 201.1 Legislation, Drafting
- v. 201.4 Legislation, Monthly Meetings and Work Sessions

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