

Howard County Council

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Agenda

Legislative Public Hearing
Monday, March 18, 2024
Hybrid Meeting (Virtual and In-Person Meeting)
Video Streamed on https://cc.howardcountymd.gov/watch-us
Broadcast on channels 44(Verizon) and 99(Comcast)
7:00 p.m.

Appointments

- CR23-2024 Introduced by The Chairperson at the request of the County Executive Short Title: Appointing Hannah Eunji Chang to the Commission for Women. Title: A RESOLUTION confirming the appointment of Hannah Eunji Chang to the Commission for Women.
- CR24-2024 Introduced by The Chairperson at the request of the County Executive Short Title: Appointing Kristen Mahoney to the Commission for Women.

 Title: A RESOLUTION confirming the appointment of Kristen Mahoney to the Commission for Women.
- **CR25-2024** Introduced by The Chairperson at the request of the County Executive Short Title: Appointing Ted L. Meyerson to the Advisory Board on Consumer Protection. Title: A RESOLUTION confirming the appointment of Ted L. Meyerson to the Advisory Board on Consumer Protection.
- **CR26-2024** Introduced by The Chairperson at the request of the County Executive Short Title: Appointing Shannon B. Taitt to the Commission for Women. Title: A RESOLUTION confirming the appointment of Shannon B. Taitt to the Commission for Women.
- CR27-2024 Introduced by Christiana Rigby

Short Title: Appointment - Robbyn Harris – Board of Appeals
Title: A RESOLUTION appointing Robbyn Harris to the Board of Appeals of Howard
County, Maryland, to fill a term ending on December 31, 2028.

Reappointments

CR29-2024 - Introduced by The Chairperson at the request of the County Executive Short Title: Reappointing Pedro Ramirez to the Public Works Board. Title: A RESOLUTION confirming the reappointment of Pedro Ramirez to the Public Works Board.

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Financial

CR30-2024 - Introduced by The Chairperson at the request of the County Executive Short Title: Amending the Health Department Fiscal Year 2024 Operating Budget to receive funding from the State of Maryland.

Title: A RESOLUTION amending the Howard County Health Department Operating Budget, as adopted by Council Resolution No. 70-2023, to account for additional funding received from the State of Maryland; and generally relating to the Health Department Operating Budget for Fiscal Year 2024.

General

CB10-2024 - Introduced by The Chairperson at the request of the County Executive Short Title: Amending the Howard County Retirement Plan to create an enhanced normal retirement benefit for Dispatchers.

Title: AN ACT amending the Howard County Retirement Plan in order to create an enhanced normal retirement benefit for Dispatchers, adding and amending certain definitions; increasing the amount of employee pick up contributions to be made by participating Dispatchers, changing the normal retirement age for participating Dispatchers and generally relating to the Howard County Retirement Plan. expires - 05/13/2024; extended - 06/17/2024; extended exten

CB11-2024 - Introduced by The Chairperson at the request of the County Executive Short Title: Adopting the 2023 National Electrical Code and local amendments. Title: AN ACT adopting the 2023 National Electrical Code as the Electrical Code for Howard County; regulating the design, construction, alteration, improvement or modification to electrical equipment; adopting certain local amendments to the Electrical Code; making certain technical corrections; and generally relating to the electrical code in Howard County.

expires - 05/13/2024; extended - 06/17/2024; extended twice - 07/22/2024

CB12-2024 - Introduced by The Chairperson at the request of the County Executive Short Title: Amending the membership of the Local Children's Board.

Title: AN ACT amending the membership of the Local Children's Board to add certain ex officio members and to amend the total number of members accordingly; and generally relating to the Local Children's Board.

expires – 05/13/2024; extended – 06/17/2024; extended twice – 07/22/2024

CR31-2024 - Introduced by The Chairperson at the request of the County Executive Short Title: Authorizing the sale of certain microwave network equipment.

Title: A RESOLUTION authorizing the sale of certain microwave network equipment owned by Howard County to the Maryland Institute for Emergency Medical Services Systems upon such terms and conditions as the County Purchasing Agent deems proper.

CR32-2024 - Introduced by The Chairperson at the request of the County Executive Short Title: Granting the renewal of a cable franchise agreement to Comcast of Howard County, LLC.

Title: A RESOLUTION pursuant to the Howard County Cable Televisions Systems Franchise Act, granting the renewal of a cable franchise agreement to Comcast of Howard County, LLC under certain terms and conditions.

CB13-2024 - Introduced by Deb Jung

Short Title: Trap-Neuter-Return Program – Establishment

Title: AN ACT establishing the Trap-Neuter-Return program for community cats, specifying the purpose and administration of the program, defining certain terms; and generally relating to the Trap-Neuter-Return program.

expires – 05/13/2024; extended – 06/17/2024; extended twice – 07/22/2024

CB14-2024 (ZRA 205) - Introduced by The Chair at the request of Corridor 70/32, LLC Short Title: (ZRA 205) Addition of certain light manufacturing uses for Flex spaces in the Planned Office Research (POR) zoning district

Title: AN ACT amending the Howard County Zoning Regulations to amend the Flex space land use classification of the Planned Office Research (POR) zoning district by defining the light manufacturing uses permitted as a matter of right to include "Contractor's Office and Outdoor or Indoor Storage Facility, Self-Storage Facilities, Warehouses, Moving and Storage Establishments and Light Industrial Uses"; removing the restriction to limit the light manufacturing uses to those uses permitted in the PEC District; and generally relating to light manufacturing uses in the POR zoning district. expires – 05/13/2024; extended – 06/17/2024; extended twice – 07/22/2024

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