

COUNTY COUNCIL OF PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY, MARYLAND
2026 Legislative Session

Resolution No. CR-006-2026
Proposed by Council Member Fisher
Introduced by Council Members Fisher, Oriadha and Blegay
Co-Sponsors _____
Date of Introduction February 10, 2026

RESOLUTION

1 A RESOLUTION concerning

2 The Prince George’s County Street Vending Pilot Program

3 For the purpose of encouraging the Department of Permitting Inspection and Enforcement,
4 Economic Development Corporation and Health Department to develop a comprehensive
5 program on certain streets in Prince George’s County where street vending is allowed and a more
6 streamlined process following health concerns for street foods. This pilot will develop a safe and
7 regulated environment for street vending in Prince George’s County.

8 WHEREAS, there is an impetus for the development of a comprehensive street vending
9 program that addresses the need to promote economic development, increase public access to
10 healthy food options, minimize or eliminate food deserts in underserved areas of the County, and
11 promote innovative entrepreneurship and revitalization in furtherance of the public safety, health
12 and welfare of the citizens and residents of Prince George’s County; and

13 WHEREAS, the Department of Permitting Inspection and Enforcement, Economic
14 Development Corporation and Health Department, are entities best served to balance the
15 interests of entrepreneurship, healthy and safe foods prepared by street vendors within a
16 commercial-friendly yet robust regulatory framework;

17 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the County Council of Prince George's
18 County, Maryland, that the Prince George’s County Council strongly encourages the Department
19 of Permitting Inspection and Enforcement, Economic Development Corporation and Health
20 Department to develop a comprehensive program that will promote economic development,
21 increase public access to healthy food options, minimize or eliminate food deserts in underserved
22 areas of the County, promote innovative entrepreneurship and revitalization, as well as, develop

1 a commercial-friendly yet robust regulatory framework in furtherance of the public safety, health
2 and welfare of the citizens and residents of Prince George’s County,

3 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Prince George’s County Council strongly
4 encourages the Department of Permitting Inspection and Enforcement, Economic Development
5 Corporation and Health Department to work jointly and collaboratively to achieve the above-
6 referenced endeavor.

7 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Department of Permitting Inspection and
8 Enforcement, Economic Development Corporation and Health Department provide a report to
9 the Prince George’s County Council within 180 days of the formation of the joint group
10 highlighting the operational progress of the group.

Adopted this ____ day of _____, 2026.

COUNTY COUNCIL OF PRINCE
GEORGE'S COUNTY, MARYLAND

BY: _____
Krystal Oriadha
Chair

ATTEST:

Donna J. Brown
Clerk of the Council