



Prince George's County Council

Agenda Item Summary

Meeting Date: 6/16/2020

Effective Date: 7/1/2020

Reference No.: CR-043-2020

Chapter Number:

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Public Hearing Date:

Proposer(s): County Executive

Sponsor(s): Turner, Davis, Dernoga, Franklin, Glaros, Harrison, Hawkins, Ivey, Streeter and Taveras

Item Title: A RESOLUTION CONCERNING PUBLIC SAFETY SURCHARGE for the purpose of adjusting the public safety surcharge for Fiscal Year 2021, beginning July 1, 2020, as required by State law.

Drafter: Latasha Coates, Office of Management & Budget

Resource Personnel: Stanley A. Earley, Office of Management and Budget

LEGISLATIVE HISTORY:

Date:	Acting Body:	Action:	Sent To:
06/02/2020	County Council	introduced and referred	COW
<p>Action Text: This Resolution was introduced by Council Members Turner, Dernoga, Streeter, Ivey, Harrison, Hawkins, Glaros, Davis, Franklin and Taveras and referred to the Sitting as the Committee of the Whole</p>			
06/11/2020	COW	Favorably recommended	County Council
<p>Action Text: A motion was made by Council Member Davis, seconded by Council Member Harrison, that this Resolution be Favorably recommended to the County Council. The motion carried by the following vote:</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">Aye: 10 Turner, Anderson-Walker, Davis, Dernoga, Glaros, Harrison, Hawkins, Ivey, Streeter and Taveras</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">Absent: 1 Franklin</p>			
06/16/2020	County Council	adopted	
<p>Action Text: A motion was made by Council Member Davis, seconded by Vice Chair Hawkins, that this Resolution be adopted. The motion carried by the following vote:</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">Aye: 10 Turner, Anderson-Walker, Davis, Dernoga, Glaros, Harrison, Hawkins, Ivey, Streeter and Taveras</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">Absent: 1 Franklin</p>			

AFFECTED CODE SECTIONS:

BACKGROUND INFORMATION/FISCAL IMPACT:

Pursuant to Chapter 594 of the 2005 Laws of Maryland, the public safety surcharge is required to be adjusted each fiscal year for inflation pursuant to the Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U). The CPI-U for April 2020 increased 0.3% and results in a surcharge increase of \$8 above the Fiscal Year 2020 public safety surcharge of \$2,630 for permits issued inside the Developed Tier and inside an area included in a certain basic plan or conceptual site plan. The projected increase in the CPI-U results in a surcharge increase of \$24 above the Fiscal Year 2020 public safety surcharge of \$7,885 for permits issued for all other buildings.

For Fiscal Year 2021, the public safety surcharge shall be \$2,638 for permits issued for construction located inside the Transportation Service Area 1, as defined by the Maryland - National Capital Park and Planning Commission in the Prince George's County Approved General Plan, and for construction in an area included in a basic plan or conceptual site plan that abuts an existing or planned mass transit rail station site operated by the Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Authority and Maryland Transit Administration complies with the requirements of any sector plan, master plan or overlay zone approved by the Prince George's County District Council. The public safety surcharge for Fiscal Year 2021 shall be \$7,909 for all other buildings.

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