



Calvin S. Hawkins, II
Chair
At-Large Council Member

February 4, 2021

The Hon. Joanne C. Benson, Chair
Prince George's County Senate Delegation
James Senate Office Building, Room 214
Annapolis, Maryland 21401-1991

The Hon. Ereik L. Barron, Chair
Prince George's County House Delegation
Lowe House Office Building, Room 207E
Annapolis, Maryland 21401-1991

Re: Prince George's County Council's Position on General Assembly Legislation

Dear Senator Benson & Delegate Barron:

It is my pleasure, on behalf of the Prince George's County Council, to transmit our position on pending proposed State legislation for the 2020 General Assembly Session. The Council met on February 2, 2021. The enclosed report reflects our positions on General Assembly bills as they are currently drafted.

The Council appreciates the opportunity to work together with you and your colleagues to address issues important to our citizens and the operation of Prince George's County. Should you have any questions or need additional information please do not hesitate to contact me. For your convenience my office phone number is (301) 952-2195.

Thanks again, for favorable consideration of the Council's positions.

Sincerely,

Calvin S. Hawkins, II
Council Chair

Enclosures

cc: Hon. Angela D. Alsobrooks, Prince George's County Executive
Hon. Guy Guzzone, Chair - Senate Budget & Taxation Committee
Hon. Paul Pinsky, Chair - Senate Education, Health & Environmental Affairs Committee
Hon. Delores G. Kelley, Chair - Senate Finance Committee
Hon. Kumar P. Barve, Chair - House Environment & Transportation Committee
Hon. Anne R. Kaiser, Chair - House Ways & Means Committee
Hon. Maggie McIntosh, Chair - House Appropriations Committee
Hon. Shane E. Pendergrass, Chair - House Health & Government Operations Committee



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COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE REPORT

The Prince George's County Council met on February 2, 2021 with the following Members present:

Council Member, Calvin S. Hawkins, II, Chair
Council Member, Deni L. Taveras, Vice Chair
Council Member, Monique Anderson-Walker
Council Member, Derrick L. Davis
Council Member, Thomas E. Dernoga
Council Member, Dannielle M. Glaros
Council Member, Sydney J. Harrison
Council Member, Jolene Ivey
Council Member, Rodney C. Streeter
Council Member, Todd M. Turner

The Council voted for the following positions on the respective bills:

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| HB 499 | Rental Housing Restitution Fund – SUPPORT |
| SB 410 | Cigarettes, Other Tobacco Products, and Electronic Smoking Devices – Local Law Authorization – SUPPORT |
| HB 612 / SB 496 | Recovery for the Economy, Livelihoods, Industries, Entrepreneurs, and Families (RELIEF) Act – SUPPORT WITH AMENDMENT |
| HB 15 / SB 313 | Governor's Office of Immigrant Affairs – SUPPORT |
| HB 28 / SB 5 | Public Health - Implicit Bias Training and the Office of Minority Health and Health Disparities – SUPPORT |
| HB 78 / SB 52 | Public Health - Maryland Commission on Health Equity (The Shirley Nathan-Pulliam Health Equity Act of 2021) – SUPPORT WITH AMENDMENT |
| PG 401-21 | Prince George's County – Assisted Living Program Licensing – Notice of Applicant Located in Common Ownership Community – SUPPORT |
| PG 407-21 | Maryland Emergency Management Agency, Department of Transportation, and Department of the Environment – Study on Historic and Recent Flooding in Prince George's County – SUPPORT AS AMENDED |