



Prince George's County Council

Agenda Item Summary

Meeting Date: 7/23/2019

Effective Date:

Reference No.: CR-059-2019

Chapter Number:

Draft No.: 1

Public Hearing Date:

Proposer(s): County Executive

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

Item Title: A RESOLUTION CONCERNING VISION ZERO PROGRAM for the purpose of establishing a Vision Zero Program for Prince George’s County to achieve zero traffic deaths on the County’s roadways by 2040.

Drafter: Office of Law

Resource Personnel: Courtney Glass, Department of Public Works and Transportation
Andrea Lasker, Department of Public Works and Transportation

LEGISLATIVE HISTORY:

| Date: | Acting Body: | Action: | Sent To: |
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| 07/02/2019 | County Council | introduced and referred | TIEE |
| | <p>Action Text: This Resolution was introduced by Council Members Turner, Harrison, Anderson-Walker, Davis, Streeter, Glaros, Dernoga, Taveras, Hawkins and Franklin and referred to the Transportation, Infrastructure, Energy and Environment Committee</p> | | |
| 07/11/2019 | TIEE | Favorably recommended | County Council |
| | <p>Action Text: A motion was made by Council Member Glaros, seconded by Council Member Turner, that this Resolution be Favorably recommended to the County Council. The motion carried by the following vote:</p> | | |
| | <p style="padding-left: 40px;">Aye: 4 Taveras, Anderson-Walker, Glaros and Turner</p> | | |
| | <p style="padding-left: 40px;">Absent: 1 Dernoga</p> | | |
| 07/23/2019 | County Council | adopted | |
| | <p>Action Text: A motion was made by Council Member Glaros, seconded by Council Member Taveras, that this Resolution be adopted. The motion carried by the following vote:</p> | | |
| | <p style="padding-left: 40px;">Aye: 11 Turner, Anderson-Walker, Davis, Dernoga, Franklin, Glaros, Harrison, Hawkins, Ivey, Streeter and Taveras</p> | | |

AFFECTED CODE SECTIONS:

BACKGROUND INFORMATION/FISCAL IMPACT:

This Resolution establishes a Vision Zero Program for Prince George's County which seeks to achieve a reduction in the number of fatal and serious injury crashes to zero by 2040.

Vision Zero is an international movement to put an end to fatal traffic accidents that relies on data-driven approaches to improve the engineering of the road, to conduct targeted education and enforcement, and to change laws to improve driver behavior and increase penalties for dangerous conduct on the roads. Vision Zero utilizes a comprehensive, multidisciplinary, collaborative and data driven approach to end pedestrian and bicyclists' fatalities and serious injuries and significantly decrease motorist fatalities and serious injuries.

Document(s): R2019059, CR-059-2019 AIS, CR-059-2019 Report