



Prince George's County Council

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Report of the Standing Committee - Final Health, Human Services and Public Safety Committee

Wala Blegay, Chair
Wanika Fisher, Vice Chair
Eric C. Olson
Krystal Oriadha
Ingrid S. Watson

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Thursday, June 5, 2025

1:30 PM

Committee Room 2027

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ORDER OF PROCEEDING

CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order by Chair Blegay at 1:52 p.m. with 5 members present at roll call.

Present: 5 - Council Member Eric Olson, Council Member Ingrid Watson, Chair Wala Blegay, Vice Chair Wanika Fisher and Council Member Krystal Oriadha

Other Council Members Present:

Thomas Dernoga
Sydney Harrison

LEGISLATION[CR-054-2025](#)

A RESOLUTION CONCERNING PUBLIC HEALTH IMPACT INVESTIGATION for the purpose of directing the Prince George's County Department of Health to conduct a study of the public health impact of fast food, liquor and tobacco store locations and distribution on neighborhoods in Prince George's County.

Sponsor(s): Oriadha and Burroughs

Attachment(s): [CR-54-2025 Draft2](#)
[R2025054](#)
[CR-054-2025 Summary](#)
[CR-054-2025 PAFI Public Health Impact](#)
[Investigation - Final](#)
[CR-54-2025 OOL Comment](#)

Favorably recommended

Aye: 5 - Olson, Watson, Blegay, Fisher and Oriadha

BRIEFING[BR 06052025](#)

OPIOID ABATEMENT INITIATIVES
Behavioral Health Division, Health Department
Dr. Matthew Levy, Health Officer
Jacqueline Somerville, Psy.D., Associate Director
Joe Woods, Program Chief
Samantha Karon, MPH, Program Manager

Attachment(s): [Opioid Abatement Initiatives](#)

Briefing held

ADJOURN

Adjourned at 2:54 pm

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Aye: 5 - Olson, Watson, Blegay, Fisher and Oriadha

Others Present:

Sandra Eubanks, Committee Director

Rhonda Riddick, Committee Assistant

Leroy Maddox, Legislative Attorney

Eric Irving, Legislative Attorney

Reese Espy-Glassman, Legislative Officer

David Noto, Legislative Budget and Policy Analyst

Sakinda Skinner, Council Liaison, CEX

Dinorah Hernandez, Office of Law, Acting CEX

Dr. Matthew D. Levy, Health Officer, Health Department

Lakisha Hull, Planning Director, MNCPPC

Jacqueline Somerville, Associate Director, Health Department

Samantha Karon, Program Manager, Health Department

Denise Albright, MA, Program Manager, Health Department