

COUNTY COUNCIL OF PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY, MARYLAND
1998 Legislative Session

Bill No. CB-7-1998
 Chapter No. 23
 Proposed and Presented by Council Member Hendershot
 Introduced by Council Members Hendershot and Del Giudice
 Co-Sponsors _____
 Date of Introduction March 24, 1998

BILL

1 AN ACT concerning

2 Budget Hearings and Tax Levy

3 For the purpose of amending the requirement that the local funding attributable to public schools
 4 be delineated on tax bills.

5 BY repealing and reenacting with amendments:

6 SUBTITLE 10. FINANCE AND TAXATION.

7 Section 10-106,

8 The Prince George's County Code

9 (1995 Edition, 1996 Supplement).

10 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED by the County Council of Prince George's County,
 11 Maryland, that Section 10-106 of the Prince George's County Code be and the same is hereby
 12 repealed and reenacted with the following amendments:

13 SUBTITLE 10. FINANCE AND TAXATION.

14 DIVISION 1. BUDGET AND AUDIT CONTROL.

15 **Sec. 10-106. Public hearings; adoption of budget.**

16 (a) The Council shall consider the proposed budget and set a time and place for two (2)
 17 public hearings. The hearings shall be held not earlier than April 20 and not later than May 10.

18 (b) After such hearings and any amendments as authorized by Section 814 of the Charter,
 19 the Council shall by ordinance adopt the budget for the forthcoming fiscal year, appropriate the
 20 amount of the expense items, and fix the rates of all special taxes. The number of permanent
 21 full-time and part-time positions in the classified service, as enumerated in Section 10-105(b),

1 and funded in the budget document for each agency or department, shall constitute the position
2 authorization for those grade levels for that agency or department and shall not be exceeded
3 unless approved in writing by a majority vote of the full Council.

4 (c) After the budget has been submitted to the Executive for his approval or item veto and
5 returned to the Council, and after appropriate Council action has been taken on an Executive
6 veto, if any, the Council shall set by resolution, the County general property tax levy. The levy
7 shall be set forth in such a manner as to show the total property tax rate and that portion of the
8 rate in dollars and cents per one hundred dollars of assessed valuation attributable to the budget
9 for Prince George's County Public Schools. Each County property tax bill shall show in [dollars
10 and cents] percentage terms the amount of the County Government's portion of each tax bill that
11 is attributable to the budget for Prince George's County Public Schools. Each tax bill shall also
12 show the total County funding for the Prince George's County Public Schools and the total
13 anticipated County revenue from property taxes for the current fiscal year.
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SECTION 2. BE IT FURTHER ENACTED that this Act shall take effect forty-five (45) calendar days after it becomes law.

Adopted this 21st day of April, 1998.

COUNTY COUNCIL OF PRINCE
GEORGE'S COUNTY, MARYLAND

BY: _____
Ronald V. Russell
Chairman

ATTEST:

Joyce T. Sweeney
Clerk of the Council

APPROVED:

DATE: _____ BY: _____
Wayne K. Curry
County Executive

KEY:
Underscoring indicates language added to existing law.
[Brackets] indicate language deleted from existing law.