

Prince George's County Council Agenda Item Summary

Meeting Date: 11/13/2012
Reference No.: CR-076-2012
Draft No.: 2
Proposer(s): Davis
Sponsor(s): Davis, Franklin, Harrison, Lehman, Patterson, Turner
Item Title: A Resolution for the purpose of supporting the consolidation and collaboration of non-profit human services agencies in Prince George's County.

Drafter: Leroy D. Maddox , Legislative Officer
Resource Personnel: Nellvenia W. Johnson, Chief of Staff District 6

LEGISLATIVE HISTORY:

Date Presented:		Executive Action:
Committee Referral:	10/16/2012 - HEHS	Effective Date:
Committee Action:	11/1/2012 - FAV(A)	
Date Introduced:	10/16/2012	
Public Hearing:		
Council Action (1)	11/13/2012 - ADOPTED	
Council Votes:	WC:A, DLD:A, MRF:A, AH:A, ML:A, EO:A, OP:A, IT:A, KT:A	
Pass/Fail:	P	
Remarks:		

AFFECTED CODE SECTIONS:

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

HEALTH, EDUCATION AND HUMAN SERVICES COMMITTEE

Date 11/1/2012

Committee Vote: Favorable as Amended, 3-0 (In favor: Council Members Davis, Toles and Campos)

Staff gave an overview of the resolution and informed the committee of referral comments that were received. CR-76-2012 supports the consolidation and collaboration of non-profit human services agencies in Prince George's County. The Resolution summarizes the ideas, strategies and recommendations generated by the Health, Education and Human Services (HEHS) Committee of the Prince George's County Council with respect to its sessions on the subject matter entitled "Strengthening our Human Services Safety Net" and the County Council's support of this endeavor.

The sponsor informed the committee that CR-76-2012 provides a blueprint of the Council's initial efforts to support the approach of encouraging consolidation and collaboration among non-profit human services agencies. The resolution memorializes the milestones established by the committee and panelists. The Council will continue to work with non-profit human service agencies, governmental agencies, business community and faith based entities to further outline a plan and process to serve those in need of human services in Prince George's County.

CR-76-2012 was amended for further clarification by adding the following language: on page 1, after each

"WHEREAS" add "County Council through its." In addition, on page 2, line 12 after "BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED," add "that it supports a county-wide convening of nonprofits and other community stakeholders to engage in a conversation about how they can most effectively work together to ensure that human service efforts are of a scale and quality that is sufficient to meet the needs of county residents, leverage initiatives and align efforts to build nonprofit capacity in Prince George's County." This amendment was proposed by a representative from the Prince George's Community Foundation.

The Office of Law fined it to be in proper legislative form and the Office of Audits and Investigations determined that it will not have a negative or adverse fiscal impact on the County.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION/FISCAL IMPACT:

(Includes reason for proposal, as well as any unique statutory requirements)

This Resolution underscores the need for more collaboration and partnership among the non-profit human services agencies in response to fiscal challenges faced by Prince George's County.

CODE INDEX TOPICS:

INCLUSION FILES:
