

COUNTY COUNCIL OF PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY, MARYLAND

2009 Legislative Session

Resolution No. CR-18-2009

Proposed by The Chairman (by request – County Executive)

Introduced by Council Members Bland and Dean

Co-Sponsors _____

Date of Introduction May 12, 2009

RESOLUTION

1 A RESOLUTION concerning

2 Housing and Community Development

3 Annual Action Plan: FY 2009, as amended

4 For the purpose of amending the Prince George’s County “Annual Action Plan: FY 2009” to
5 serve as the application for a Homelessness Prevention and Rapid Re-Housing Program grant.

6 WHEREAS, Title XII of Division A of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of
7 2009, Pub. L. No. 111-5, 123 Stat. 115, 221-222 (2009) (hereinafter “Title XII of the Recovery
8 Act”), appropriated \$1.5 billion for a Homelessness Prevention Fund; and

9 WHEREAS, the program established under Title XII of the Recovery Act is commonly
10 referred to as the Homelessness Prevention and Rapid Re-Housing Program (HPRP) for
11 homelessness prevention assistance to households who would otherwise become homeless and to
12 provide assistance to rapidly re-house persons who are homeless as defined under section 103 of
13 the McKinney-Vento Homeless Assistance Act (42 U.S.C. 11302) (the “Act”); and

14 WHEREAS, Title XII of the Recovery Act provides that the HPRP funding shall be
15 allocated to grantees eligible under the Emergency Shelter Grant program, pursuant to the
16 formula authorized by section 413 of the Act; and

17 WHEREAS, the County has been allocated \$2,512,242 in HPRP funding; and

18 WHEREAS, in order to receive its allocation, the County is required by HUD Notice,
19 Docket No. FR-5307-N-01 (March 19, 2009), to submit by May 18, 2009, an HPRP substantial
20 amendment to the County’s “Annual Action Plan: FY 2009,” a draft copy of which is attached
21 hereto and incorporated herein as the “Substantial Amendment to the Consolidated Plan 2008
22 Action Plan for the Homelessness Prevention and Rapid Re-Housing Program (HPRP),” which

1 has the effect of amending the County’s “Annual Action Plan: FY 2009”; and

2 WHEREAS, the HPRP substantial amendment allows the Prince George’s County
3 Department of Housing and Community Development to use \$2,512,242 in HPRP funds for
4 eligible costs associated with financial assistance, housing relocation and stabilization services,
5 data collection and evaluation, and administration.

6 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the County Council of Prince George's
7 County that the HPRP substantial amendment, a copy of which shall be marked for identification
8 by the Clerk of the County Council and maintained as a permanent record, is hereby approved.

9 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the County Executive or his designee is hereby
10 authorized to submit the HPRP substantial amendment to the U.S. Department of Housing and
11 Community Development (“HUD”), to act as necessary in connection with the submission, and
12 to provide such additional information to HUD as may be required.

Adopted this 12th day of May, 2009.

COUNTY COUNCIL OF PRINCE
GEORGE'S COUNTY, MARYLAND

BY: _____
Marilynn M. Bland
Chairperson

ATTEST:

Redis C. Floyd
Clerk of the Council

APPROVED:

DATE: _____ BY: _____
Jack B. Johnson
County Executive