



Prince George's County Council

Agenda Item Summary

Meeting Date: 9/20/2016

Effective Date:

Reference No.: CR-059-2016

Chapter Number:

Draft No.: 1

Public Hearing Date:

Proposer(s): County Executive

Sponsor(s): Davis, Turner, Glaros, Franklin and Taveras

Item Title: A RESOLUTION CONCERNING STATE OF MARYLAND COMMUNITY INVESTMENT TAX CREDIT PROGRAM for the purpose of approving the proposal submitted by Towson University Foundation, Inc. (the "Foundation") to the Maryland Department of Housing and Community Development for participation in the Community Investment Tax Credit ("CITC") Program.

Drafter: Eric C. Brown, Director, Department of Housing and Community Development

Resource Personnel: Eric C. Brown, Director, Department of Housing and Community Development

LEGISLATIVE HISTORY:

Date:	Acting Body:	Action:	Sent To:
09/13/2016	County Council	introduced and referred	THE

Action Text:

This Resolution was introduced by Council Members Turner, Davis, Glaros, Franklin and Taveras and referred to the Transportation, Housing and the Environment Committee

09/15/2016	THE	Favorably recommended	County Council
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Action Text:

A motion was made by Council Member Lehman, seconded by Council Member Davis, that this Resolution be Favorably recommended to the Transportation, Housing and the Environment Committee. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye: 4 Turner, Taveras, Lehman and Davis

Absent: 1 Patterson

09/20/2016	County Council	adopted	
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Action Text:

A motion was made by Council Member Turner, seconded by Vice Chair Glaros, that this Resolution be adopted. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye: 9 Davis, Franklin, Glaros, Harrison, Lehman, Patterson, Taveras, Toles and Turner

10/06/2016 County Executive signed

Action Text:

This Resolution was signed

AFFECTED CODE SECTIONS:

BACKGROUND INFORMATION/FISCAL IMPACT:

This Resolution is for the purpose of approving the proposal submitted by Towson University Foundation, Inc. (the "Foundation") to the Maryland Department of Housing and Community Development for participation in the Community Investment Tax Credit ("CITC") Program.

The Foundation proposes to use up to ten thousand dollars (\$10,000.00) in tax credits to expand the services provided by the Towson University Center for STEM Excellence ("TUCSE") to Prince George's County Public Schools within priority funding areas. Specifically, the Foundation proposes to use the tax credits to support transportation and fees associated with field trips to TUCSE's SciTech Student Learning Laboratory, which offers students an opportunity to engage in hands-on bioscience activities that complement and enhance their classroom learning.

Section 6-405(c) of the Housing and Community Development Article, Annotated Code of Maryland, provides that the Maryland Department of Housing and Community Development may not approve a proposal for participation in the Neighborhood and Community Assistance Program unless the proposal is approved by the governing body or authorized designee of each county, municipal corporation or political subdivision that includes any of the priority funding areas that benefits from the project.

Document(s): R2016059, CR-59-2016 Attachment A, CR-59-2016 Committee Report, CR-59-2016 Transmittal Letter, CR-59-2016 Fiscal Impact