



# Prince George's County Council

## Agenda Item Summary

**Meeting Date:** 9/18/2018

**Effective Date:**

**Reference No.:** CR-050-2018

**Chapter Number:**

**Draft No.:** 2

**Public Hearing Date:**

**Proposer(s):** Patterson and Toles

**Sponsor(s):** Patterson, Toles, Davis, Franklin, Glaros, Harrison, Taveras and Turner

**Item Title:** A RESOLUTION CONCERNING COUNTY POET LAUREATE PROGRAM for the purpose of supporting the establishment of a County Poet Laureate Program under the auspices of the Prince George's Arts and Humanities Council (PGAHC) to highlight literary arts and promote appreciation for poetry, to inspire deeper engagement in the written and spoken word in Prince George's County.

**Drafter:** Leroy D. Maddox, Legislative Officer

**Resource Personnel:** Ellis F. Watson, Chief of Staff/Legislative Aide, District 8

### LEGISLATIVE HISTORY:

<b>Date:</b>	<b>Acting Body:</b>	<b>Action:</b>	<b>Sent To:</b>
07/24/2018	County Council	introduced and referred	HEHS
	<b>Action Text:</b> This Resolution was introduced by Council Members Patterson, Toles, Davis, Glaros, Turner, Taveras, Franklin and Harrison and referred to the Health, Education and Human Services Committee		
09/05/2018	HEHS	Favorably recommended with amendments	County Council
	<b>Action Text:</b> This Resolution was Favorably recommended with amendments to the County Council		
09/18/2018	County Council	new draft substituted	
	<b>Action Text:</b> A motion was made by Council Member Lehman, seconded by Council Member Davis, to substitute Draft 2 in lieu of Draft 1 of this Resolution. The motion carried by the following vote: Aye: 9 Glaros, Davis, Franklin, Harrison, Lehman, Patterson, Taveras, Toles and Turner		
09/18/2018	County Council	adopted	
	<b>Action Text:</b> A motion was made by Council Member Lehman, seconded by Council Member Davis, that this Resolution be adopted. The motion carried by the following vote:		

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

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**AFFECTED CODE SECTIONS:**

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**BACKGROUND INFORMATION/FISCAL IMPACT:**

To support the establishment of a County Poet Laureate Program under the auspices of the Prince George's Arts and Humanities Council (PGAHC) to highlight literary arts and promote appreciation for poetry, to inspire deeper engagement in the written and spoken word in Prince George's County.

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**Document(s):** R2018050, CR-50-2018 AIS, CR-50-2018 Report