

COUNTY COUNCIL OF PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY, MARYLAND
2014 Legislative Session

Resolution No. CR-53-2014

Proposed by Council Member Lehman

Introduced by Council Member Lehman

Co-Sponsors _____

Date of Introduction June 3, 2014

RESOLUTION

1 A RESOLUTION concerning

2 Prince George's County Construction and Demolition Diversion Work Group

3 For the purpose of extending the reporting deadline for the Prince George's County Construction
4 and Demolition Diversion Work Group and generally relating to the diversion of construction
5 and demolition waste.

6 WHEREAS, in Prince George's County it is estimated that construction and demolition
7 waste represents thirty percent (30%), or 454,000 tons, of the total solid waste generated (1.5
8 million tons annually); and

9 WHEREAS, Prince George's County has undertaken several solid waste diversion efforts
10 and enacted goals through the Ten Year Solid Waste Plan, including source reduction, solid
11 waste recycling, and organic recycling (yard and food waste) programs; and

12 WHEREAS, the County Council desired to further examine the opportunities for addressing
13 issues related to improving diversion of construction and demolition waste from the County's
14 waste stream, and to consider appropriate recommendations for implementation of a program
15 related thereto; and

16 WHEREAS, CR-134-2013 established the Prince George's County Construction and
17 Demolition Diversion Work Group to review and evaluate the creation and implementation of
18 the diversion of construction and demolition waste program for reuse, recycling and salvaging
19 and to recommend appropriate policies and/or legislation for such a program in the County; and

20 WHEREAS, CR-134-2013 required that the Construction and Demolition Diversion Work
21 Group shall present its evaluation and recommendations to the County Executive and County
22 Council on or before May 31, 2014; and

1 WHEREAS, it is the determination of the Construction and Demolition Diversion Work
2 Group that a short extension of time to July 31, 2014 is needed to complete its evaluation and
3 recommendations.

4 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the County Council of Prince George's
5 County, Maryland, that the extension of the reporting deadline of the Prince George's County
6 Construction and Demolition Diversion Work Group is hereby granted to July 31, 2014, which is
7 needed to complete its evaluation and recommendations.

8 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that copies of this Resolution be sent by the Clerk of the
9 Council to the County Executive, the Director of the Department of Permitting, Inspections and
10 Enforcement (DPIE), the Director of the Department of Environmental Resources (DER), the
11 Director of the Office of Central Services, and the Prince George's County Chamber of
12 Commerce.

Adopted this 3rd day of June, 2014.

COUNTY COUNCIL OF PRINCE
GEORGE'S COUNTY, MARYLAND

BY: _____
Mel Franklin
Chairman

ATTEST:

Redis C. Floyd
Clerk of the Council