




**THE PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY GOVERNMENT**  
**Office of Audits and Investigations**


October 7, 2019

**MEMORANDUM**

TO: Robert J. Williams, Jr.  
Council Administrator

William M. Hunt  
Deputy Council Administrator

THRU: David H. Van Dyke   
County Auditor

FROM: Josh Hamlin   
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RE: Fiscal Impact Statement  
CB-051-2019 Notice to Municipalities

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***Legislative Summary***

CB-051-2019, sponsored by Councilmember Glaros, was presented on September 24, 2019. CB-51-2019 would add a new Division 27 to Subtitle 2 of the County Code providing for certain notice to be provided to municipalities of disposition of property by government entities, and of money collected by the County on a municipality's behalf.

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***Background/Current Law***

There is currently not a uniform set of legislative requirements for notice to municipalities of disposition of property by governmental entities, or of money collected by the County on a Municipality's behalf.

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***Assumptions and Methodology***

CB-51-2019 would add two new sections to the County Code. The first would require the County, when notified that a governmental entity (*i.e.*, Maryland-National Capital Park and Planning Commission, Washington Suburban Sanitary Commission, Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Authority, or the State of Maryland) will dispose of property located in a County municipality, to give notice to the municipality in which the property is located. The second would require the County to notify a municipality of and money or funds collected by the County on the municipality's behalf.

***Fiscal Impact***

- Direct Impact

Enactment of CB-51-2019 may have an incidental negative direct fiscal impact on the County related to the additional cost of the notifications required, to the extent they are not already provided.

- Indirect Impact

Enactment of CB-51-2019 should not have an indirect fiscal impact on the County.

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***Appropriated in the Current Fiscal Year Budget***

No.

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***Effective Date***

The proposed Bill shall be effective forty-five (45) calendar days after it becomes law.

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If you require additional information, or have questions about this fiscal impact statement, please call me.