



Prince George's County Council

Wayne K. Curry Administration
Building
1301 McCormick Dr
Largo, MD 20774

Meeting Minutes - Final County Council

Thomas E. Dernoga, Chair, District 1
Wala Blegay, Vice Chair, District 6
Edward P. Burroughs, III, District 8
Wanika Fisher, District 2
Mel Franklin, At-Large
Sydney J. Harrison, District 9
Calvin S. Hawkins, II, At-Large
Jolene Ivey, District 5
Eric C. Olson, District 3
Krystal Oriadha, District 7
Ingrid S. Watson, District 4

Jennifer A. Jenkins, Council Administrator

Tuesday, April 18, 2023

5:00 PM

Council Hearing Room

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RECONVENE (COUNCIL HEARING ROOM)

*The meeting was called to order by Chair Thomas E. Dernoga at 5:24 p.m.
with 9 members present at roll call.*

Present: 9 - Council Member Edward Burroughs
Council Member Jolene Ivey
Council Member Calvin S. Hawkins
Council Member Sydney Harrison
Vice Chair Wala Blegay
Chair Thomas Dernoga
Council Member Ingrid Watson
Council Member Eric Olson
Council Member Wanika Fisher

Absent: Council Member Krystal Oriadha
Council Member Mel Franklin

Also present:

Jennifer Jenkins, Council Administrator

Donna J. Brown, Clerk of the Council

Leonard Moses, Legislative/Zoning Assistant

James Walker-Bey, Zoning Assistant

Kathy Canning, Legislative Officer

Jibril Brown, Legislative Officer

5:00 P.M. - PUBLIC HEARING

[CR-021-2023](#)

Draft 1

A RESOLUTION CONCERNING FISCAL YEAR (“FY”) 2024 ANNUAL ACTION PLAN FOR HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT for the purpose of approving and adopting the Prince George’s County Fiscal Year (“FY”) 2024 Annual Action Plan for Housing and Community Development (“FY 2024 Annual Action Plan”).

Sponsor(s): Dernoga, Ivey, Watson, Harrison, Fisher, Blegay and Franklin

Attachment(s): [R2023021](#)

[CR-021-2023 Summary](#)

[CR-021-2023 Attachment A](#)

[CR-021-2023 Attachment B](#)

[CR-021-2023 Transmittal](#)

DHCD FY 2024 Annual Action Plan 4-25-23 Final

Pursuant to proper notice, the public hearing convened at 5:24 p.m. and Council Chair Dernoga provided introductory remarks. Shannon Mouton, Ally O’Neal, Maryann Dillon, Deja Cobbs, Patricia Hayes-Parker, Oscar Mejia Garcia and Mark Anthony Johnson signed up to speak. All persons wishing to speak having done so, the public hearing was declared held. The public hearing concluded at 5:42 p.m.

The public hearing for this Resolution was held.

[REC11-23](#)

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RECESS

THE MEETING WAS RECESSED AT 5:43 PM.

A motion was made by Vice Chair Blegay, seconded by Council Member Ivey, that this meeting be recessed. The motion carried by voice vote.

RECONVENE

THE MEETING WAS RECONVENED AT 6:12 PM.

[TMP-1339-22](#)

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REOPEN CR-021-2023 PUBLIC HEARING

Council moved to reopen the public hearing for CR-021-2023 to include some members of the public who had previously attempted to sign up for the hearing.

A motion was made by Council Member Hawkins, seconded by Council Member Watson, that the public hearing be reopened. The motion carried by unanimous vote.

Aye	9 - Burroughs, Ivey, Hawkins, Harrison, Blegay, Dernoga, Watson, Olson and Fisher
Absent	Oriadha and Franklin

PUBLIC HEARING (Continued)

[CR-021-2023](#)

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Pursuant to proper notice, the public hearing reconvened at 6:16 p.m. and Council Chair Dernoga announced that the hearing for CR-021-2023 was reopened to include some members of the public who had attempted to sign up to speak. Halimat Abiodun and Selene Cardoza Torrez signed up to speak. All persons wishing to speak having done so, the public hearing was declared held. The public hearing concluded at 6:21 p.m.

The public hearing for this Resolution was held.

HEARING PROCEDURES:

Time limitation of three (3) minutes per speaker has been imposed. There will be no relinquishing of time by one speaker to another. Written statements may be submitted for the record in addition to, or in lieu of, verbal testimony. Written testimony or comments will be accepted in electronic format, rather than by U.S. mail via the Council's eComment portal at: <https://pgccouncil.us/Speak>. For those unable to use the portal, comments/written correspondence may be emailed to: clerkofthecouncil@co.pg.md.us or faxed to (301) 952-5178. Additionally, on-site registration for live testimony is now available; however, advance registration to testify is strongly encouraged. Comments should be addressed to:

The Honorable Thomas E. Dernoga, Chair
Prince George's County Council
Wayne K. Curry Administration Building
Largo, Maryland 20774

HEARING AGENDA

- (a) Introductory remarks by County Council Chair Thomas E. Dernoga
- (b) Introduction of the County Council Members
- (c) Comments by Prince George's County Department of Housing and Community Development
- (d) Comments by Elected Officials and/or Representatives of Municipalities:
- (e) Comments by Citizens:

6:00 P.M. - PUBLIC HEARING

[PH 04182023](#)

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**MARYLAND-NATIONAL CAPITAL PARK AND PLANNING COMMISSION
(M-NCPPC) PROPOSED FISCAL YEAR 2024-2025 OPERATING AND
CAPITAL BUDGETS AND THE M-NCPPC CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT
PROGRAM FOR FISCAL YEARS 2024-2029**

Attachment(s): [M-NCPPC Budget Office](#)
[County Council Budget Portal](#)
[FY 2024 MNCPPC Budget_County Executive](#)
[Comments](#)

Pursuant to proper notice, the public hearing convened at 6:21 p.m. and Council Chair Dernoga provided introductory remarks. There was no one signed up to speak. All persons wishing to speak having done so, the public hearing was declared held. The public hearing concluded at 6:25 p.m.

This Public Hearing was held.

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- (d) Comments by Elected Officials
- (e) Comments by Citizens

[ADJ34-23](#)

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ADJOURN

THE MEETING WAS ADJOURNED AT 6:25 PM.

A motion was made by Council Member Hawkins, seconded by Council Member Watson, that this meeting be adjourned. The motion carried by unanimous vote.

Aye	9 -	Burroughs, Ivey, Hawkins, Harrison, Blegay, Dernoga, Watson, Olson and Fisher
Absent		Oriadha and Franklin

Prepared by:

Edgar L. Reese, III, Legislative Reference Aide

Submitted by:

Donna J. Brown, Clerk of the Council