

COUNTY COUNCIL OF PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY, MARYLAND

1995 Legislative Session

Resolution No. CR-79-1995

Proposed by Chairwoman MacKinnon (by request - County Executive)

Introduced by Council Members MacKinnon, Del Giudice and Wilson

Co-Sponsors

Date of Introduction November 7, 1995

RESOLUTION

A RESOLUTION concerning

911 Fee

For the purpose of approving the imposition of an additional charge for wireless telephone service and 911-accessible service within the County effective January 1, 1996.

WHEREAS, the Annotated Code of Maryland, Article 41, Sections 18-101, et seq., provides for the creation and funding of a 911 Emergency Telephone System to provide timely and appropriate assistance when the lives or property of the citizens of Maryland are in imminent danger; and

WHEREAS, Article 41, Section 18-105(c) provides for the adoption of an additional charge to the 911 fee to be applied to all current bills rendered for switched local exchange access service within the County and amendments effective January 1, 1996, provided for the adoption of an additional charge to be applied to all current bills rendered for wireless telephone service, or other 911-accessible service within the County; and

WHEREAS, the amount of the additional charge to be adopted by a County may not exceed the level necessary to cover the total amount of eligible operation and maintenance costs for the County; and

WHEREAS, there is currently an additional charge of fifty cents (\$0.50) per month for switched local exchange access service within the County approved by CR-83-1990, effective January 1, 1991; and

WHEREAS, it is appropriate to impose the additional charge of fifty cents (\$0.50) per month for wireless telephone service, or other 911-accessible service within the County; and

WHEREAS, the additional charge may only be adopted after a public hearing;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the County Council of Prince George's County, Maryland, that the additional charge of fifty cents (\$0.50) per month applied to all current bills for switched local exchange access service within the County, be and the same is hereby continued.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the additional charge of fifty cents (\$0.50) per month applied to all current bills for wireless telephone service or other 911-accessible service within the County, be and the same is hereby approved, effective January 1, 1996.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that, in accordance with Article 41, Section 18-105(c), within 60 days of the adoption of this resolution imposing the additional charge on wireless telephone service or other 911-accessible service within the County, all 911 service carriers within the County shall add the full amount of the additional charge to all current bills rendered for wireless telephone service or other 911-accessible service within the County.

Adopted this 14th day of November, 1995.

COUNTY COUNCIL OF PRINCE
GEORGE'S COUNTY, MARYLAND

BY:
Anne T. MacKinnon
Chairwoman

ATTEST:

Joyce T. Sweeney
Clerk of the Council

APPROVED:

DATE: _____ BY:
Wayne K. Curry
County Executive

KEY:
Underscoring indicates language added to existing law.
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