

# **Prince George's County Council**

# **Agenda Item Summary**

Meeting Date:4/29/2025Effective Date:Reference No.:CR-048-2025Chapter Number:

Draft No.: 1 Public Hearing Date:

**Proposer(s):** Blegay

Sponsor(s): Blegay, Ivey, Hawkins, Dernoga, Fisher, Oriadha, Burroughs, Olson, Watson and

Harrison

Item Title: A RESOLUTION CONCERNING REQUEST FOR STATE ACTION FROM

THE MARYLAND PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION AND ELECTRIC

UTILITY COMPANIES FROM INCREASING DISTRIBUTION RATES for the purpose of calling on the Maryland Public Service Commission (PSC) to end its Multi-Year Rate Plan Pilot and invoke the "off-ramp" provision to cancel the planned 2026 Baltimore Gas and Electric Company (BGE) gas and electric

distribution rate increases, as well as calling on Potomac Electric Power Company (PEPCO) to pause future proposals for electric distribution rates increases until its

just and reasonable.

**Drafter:** Ramon Gonzalez, Legislative Attorney

Resource Personnel: Anyana Crawford, Chief of Staff

#### LEGISLATIVE HISTORY:

Date:	Acting Body:	Action:	Sent To:
04/29/2025	County Council	introduced and referred	TIEE
	Action Text: This Resolution was introduced by Council Members Blegay, Ivey, Hawkins, Dernoga, Fisher, Oriadha, Burroughs, Olson, Watson and Harrison and referred to the Transportation, Infrastructure, Energy and Environment Committee.		

## **AFFECTED CODE SECTIONS:**

## **BACKGROUND INFORMATION/FISCAL IMPACT:**

The Maryland Public Service Commission (PSC) is tasked with overseeing utility rate increases from companies such as Potomac Electric Power Company (PEPCO) and Baltimore Gas and Electric Company (BGE). This resolution calls on the PSC to end its planned Multi-Year Rate Plan Pilot program, invoke the "off ramp" provision if the increases are unjust and unreasonable, and pause any future electrical distribution increases from companies such as PEPCO and BGE.

REMINDER: Attach the Legislative file document

**Document(s):** R2025048