

COUNTY COUNCIL OF PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY, MARYLAND
2024 Legislative Session

Resolution No. CR-104-2024

Proposed by Council Member Ivey

Introduced by Council Members Ivey, Harrison and Hawkins

Co-Sponsors _____

Date of Introduction November 19, 2024

RESOLUTION

1 A RESOLUTION concerning

2 2025-2026 Charter Review Commission

3 For the purpose of establishing a 2025-2026 Charter Review Commission to undertake a
4 comprehensive study of the Charter and recommending appropriate changes to the County
5 Charter, making appointments of seven citizens to the 2025-2026 Charter Review Commission
6 and generally relating to the 2025-2026 Charter Review Commission.

7 WHEREAS, Section 1106 of the Charter of Prince George’s County, Maryland provides
8 that the County Council and the County Executive shall, not later than one year prior to the
9 beginning of each fourth year of a term, appoint by resolution, a Charter Review Commission for
10 the purpose of undertaking a comprehensive study of the Charter and recommending changes,
11 where appropriate. The Charter Review Commission shall commence its work at the discretion
12 of the Chair of the Commission.

13 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the County Council of Prince George's
14 County, Maryland, that a 2025-2026 Charter Review Commission is hereby created.

15 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the County Council of Prince George’s County that the
16 2021-2022 Charter Review Commission shall consist of seven (7) citizens, three (3) appointed
17 by the County Council and three (3) appointed by the County Executive and one (1) Chairperson
18 who shall be jointly agreed upon by the County Executive and the Chair of the County Council.

19 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the 2025-2026 Charter Review Commission shall
20 consist of the following seven citizens: Gloria G. Lawlah, Maurice Simpson, Jr., Steven L.
21 Taylor, appointed by the County Council, and L. Denise Hall, Arthur J. Horne, Jr., Jacqueline B.
22 Woody, appointed by the County Executive; and Chair Camille A. Exum, jointly agreed upon by

23 the County Executive and the Chair of the County Council.

24 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that appointees to the 2025-2026 Charter Review
25 Commission will also serve as members of the 2025-2026 Compensation Review Commission.

26 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the 2025-2026 Charter Review Commission shall
27 undertake a comprehensive study of the provisions of the Charter of Prince George’s County
28 seeking extensive public comment, and shall make recommendations to the County Executive
29 and County Council as to proposed amendments to the Charter by April 1, 2026.

30 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the County Council shall provide appropriate staff and
31 clerical support for the 2025-2026 Charter Review Commission.

Adopted this 19th day of November, 2024.

COUNTY COUNCIL OF PRINCE
GEORGE'S COUNTY, MARYLAND

BY: _____
Jolene Ivey
Chair

ATTEST:

Donna J. Brown
Clerk of the Council

APPROVED:

DATE: _____ BY: _____
Angela D. Alsobrooks
County Executive