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**A G E N D A   I T E M   S U M M A R Y****Reference No:** CR-43-1990**Draft No:** 1**P r i n c e   G e o r g e ' s****Meeting Date:** 6/5/90**C o u n t y   C o u n c i l****Requestor:** M

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**Item Title:** To encourage establishment of a Museum of  
County History in the Clinton area

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**Sponsors** M   B   C   CA   P   W   WI**Date Presented**    \_\_/\_\_/\_\_**Executive Action**    \_\_/\_\_/\_\_**Committee Referral** (1) 5/8/90    F&P**Effective Date**    \_\_/\_\_/\_\_**Committee Action**    (1) 5/23/90    FAV**Date Introduced**    5/8/90**Pub. Hearing Date**    ( ) \_\_/\_\_/\_\_ \_\_:\_\_ \_\_**Council Action**    (1) 6/5/90    Adopted**Council Votes**    B\_: A\_, CA: A\_, C\_: A\_, CI: \_\_, H\_: \_\_, M\_: A\_,

P\_: A\_, W\_: A\_, WI: A\_, \_\_: \_\_, \_\_: \_\_, \_\_: \_\_

**Pass/Fail**    P**Remarks**    \_\_\_\_\_

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**Drafter:** Ralph E. Grutzmacher  
Legislative Officer**Resource**  
**Personnel:**

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**LEGISLATIVE HISTORY**FISCAL AND PLANNING COMMITTEE

DATE: 5/23/90

Committee Vote: Favorable, 5-0 (In favor: Council Members Castaldi,  
Casula, Mills, Wilson and Wineland)The President of Prince George's Community College submitted a letter of  
support for the concept embodied in CR-43-1990.The Office of Law has reviewed this resolution and find it to be in  
proper legislative form with no legal impediments to its adoption.There should not be any negative fiscal impact on the County as a result  
of adopting CR-43-1990.**BACKGROUND INFORMATION/FISCAL IMPACT**

(Includes reason for proposal, as well as any unique statutory

**requirements)**

The County Council previously established the Tricentennial Celebration Committee by the adoption of CR-92-1988.

Thomas S. Gwynn, Jr. was a former teacher of history and local historian, a former assistant superintendent of schools for building and planning and at the time of his death, the Chairman of the Prince George's Community College Board of Trustees. Mr. Gwynn envisioned the development of a facility in conjunction with the Community College and the County Library System for the preservation of historical and genealogical information pertaining to the County since its founding nearly 300 years ago and the preservation of current artifacts and information for future generations.

The resolution would honor Mr. Gwynn's life and work by encouraging the development of the Prince George's County Museum of History at a portion of a site owned by the Prince George's Community College in Clinton on Piscataway Road.