

COUNTY COUNCIL OF PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY, MARYLAND
2009 Legislative Session

Resolution No. CR-64-2009

Proposed by The Chairperson (by request – County Executive)

Introduced by Council Member Bland

Co-Sponsors: _____

Date of Introduction September 9, 2009

RESOLUTION

1 A RESOLUTION concerning

2 Public Safety Surcharge

3 For the purpose of adjusting the Public Safety surcharge for Fiscal Year 2010, beginning July 1,
4 2009, as required by State and County law.

5 WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 10-192.11(a) of the Prince George’s County Code, the
6 County Council, by ordinance, may impose a public safety surcharge on new residential
7 construction for which a Preliminary Plan has been approved on or after July 1, 2005; and

8 WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 10-192.11(b)(1)(A) and Section 10-192.11(b)(1)(B) of the
9 Prince George’s County Code, for Fiscal Year 2006, a public safety surcharge imposed on a
10 single-family detached dwelling, townhouse, or dwelling unit for any other building containing
11 more than a single dwelling unit shall be in the amount of \$6,000; except the amount shall be
12 \$2,000 if the construction is located in the Developed Tier, as defined by the Maryland-National
13 Capital Park and Planning Commission in the 2002 Prince George’s County Approved General
14 Plan; and

15 WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 4-352 of the Prince George’s County Code for Fiscal Year
16 2007 and each succeeding fiscal year, the public safety surcharge established in Section
17 4-352(a)(35) and Section 4-352(a)(36)(i)(ii) shall be adjusted in accordance with the Consumer
18 Price Index for All Urban Consumers published by the United States Department of Labor, for
19 the fiscal year preceding the year for which the amount is being calculated; and

20 WHEREAS, pursuant to Chapter 32 of the 2005 Laws of Prince George’s County,
21 beginning in Fiscal Year 2007, the County Council, by resolution, shall adjust the surcharge each
22 year by the percentage change in the Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers published

1 by the United States Department of Labor from the previous fiscal year; and

2 WHEREAS, the percentage change in the Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers
3 from April 2008 to April 2009, the most recent published data for the preceding fiscal year, is
4 -0.7%, and results in a decrease of \$15 below the Fiscal Year 2009 public safety surcharge of
5 \$2,207 for permits issued inside the Developed Tier and a decrease of \$46 below the Fiscal Year
6 2009 public safety surcharge of \$6,619 for permits issued for all other buildings.

7 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the County Council of Prince George's
8 County, Maryland, that for Fiscal Year 2010, the public safety surcharge shall be \$2,192 for
9 permits issued for construction located inside the Developed Tier and \$6,573 for all other
10 buildings, be and the same is hereby approved, effective July 1, 2009.

Adopted this 29th day of September, 2009.

COUNTY COUNCIL OF PRINCE
GEORGE'S COUNTY, MARYLAND

BY: _____
Marilynn M. Bland
Chairperson

ATTEST:

Redis C. Floyd
Clerk of the Council