

Prince George's County Council

Agenda Item Summary

Effective Date: 1/12/2026 **Meeting Date:** 11/10/2025

Reference No.: CB-074-2025 **Chapter Number:** 36

Draft No.: 1 **Public Hearing Date:** 11/10/2025 @ 11:00 AM

Proposer(s): County Executive

Sponsor(s): Adams-Stafford, Hawkins, Fisher, Oriadha and Watson

AN ACT CONCERNING HOMESTEAD PROPERTY TAX CREDIT for the **Item Title:**

purpose of establishing the homestead property tax credit for the County property

tax for the taxable year beginning July 1, 2026, as required by State law.

Drafter: Morgan E. Weisman, Office of Management and Budget

Resource Personnel: Stanley A. Earley, Office of Management and Budget

LEGISLATIVE HISTORY:

Date:	Acting Body:	Action:	Sent To:
09/09/2025	County Council	presented and referred	GOFP
09/25/2025	Action Text: This Council Bill was presented by the Chair by the request of the County Executive and referred to the Government Operations and Fiscal Policy Committee. GOFP Favorably County Council recommended		
	Action Text: A motion was made by Vice Chair Blegay, seconded by Council Member Dernoga,		
	that this Council Bill be Favorably recommended. The motion carried by the		

following vote:

Aye: 3 Watson, Dernoga and Blegay

Absent: 2 Oriadha and Burroughs

10/14/2025 **County Council** introduced

Action Text:

This Council Bill was introduced by Council Members Adams-Stafford, Hawkins,

Fisher, Oriadha and Watson.

County Council public hearing held 11/10/2025

Action Text:

The public hearing for this Council Bill was held.

11/10/2025 **County Council** enacted

Action Text:

A motion was made by Council Member Hawkins, seconded by Council Member Fisher, that this Council Bill be enacted. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye: 7 Fisher, Harrison, Hawkins, Olson, Watson, Ivey and Oriadha

Absent: 4 Blegay, Dernoga, Burroughs and Adams-Stafford

11/25/2025 County Executive signed

Action Text:

This Council Bill was signed

AFFECTED CODE SECTIONS:

10-241.02

BACKGROUND INFORMATION/FISCAL IMPACT:

This legislation will establish the homestead property tax credit for the County property tax for the taxable year beginning July 1, 2026, as required by State law. Based on the official Consumer Price Index (CPI) for June 2025, the Homestead Property Tax Credit needs to be set at 103% for the taxable year beginning July 1, 2026, based on the limit in Section 812(d) of the County Charter which caps growth at 105%. The Homestead Property Tax Credit was created to limit taxable assessment increases on a property owner's principal residence.

Document(s): B2025074, CB-074-2025 Report, CB-074-2025 PAFI, CB-074-2025 OMB Comments, CB-074-2025 Transmittal