

# PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY COUNCIL

## COMMITTEE REPORT

2020 Legislative Session

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**Reference No.:** CB-048-2020

**Draft No.:** 1

**Committee:** COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

**Date:** 6/23/2020

**Action:** FAV

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### REPORT:

Committee Vote: Favorable 8-3. (In favor: Council Members Turner, Davis, Franklin, Glaros, Harrison, Hawkins, Streeter and Taveras. Opposed: Council Members Anderson-Walker, Dernoga and Ivey)

The County Council convened as the Committee of the Whole on June 23, 2020 to discuss CB-48-2020. The bill proposes an amendment to Section 812 of the Charter of Prince George's County to alter the deadline to set the Homestead Property Tax Credit percentage consistent with State law to March 15<sup>th</sup> and to provide that the Homestead Property Tax Credit percentage shall be no less than 100% or exceed 110%.

The Office of Law found CB-48-2020 to be in proper legislative form with no legal impediments to its enactment. The County Executive has taken no position on CB-48-2020 at this time. The Committee received written comments on the bill and heard from various speakers who spoke in opposition to CB-48-2020. After a robust and informative discussion on the history and impact of the Homestead Property Tax Credit percentage in the County, the Committee voted favorable on CB-48-2020, 8-3.