

COUNTY COUNCIL OF PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY, MARYLAND**2006 Legislative Session**Resolution No. CR-68-2006Proposed by Council Members Dernoga and ExumIntroduced by Council Members Dernoga, Exum, Campos and Bland

Co-Sponsors _____

Date of Introduction July 18, 2006**RESOLUTION**

1 A RESOLUTION concerning

2 Compensation of Elected Officials

3 For the purpose of amending the compensation of the County Executive and members of the
4 County Council.5 WHEREAS, Section 308 of the Charter of Prince George's County, Maryland, provides
6 that the compensation of Councilmembers may be changed by an affirmative vote of not less than
7 two-thirds of the members of the Council; and8 WHEREAS, Section 406 of the Charter of Prince George's County, Maryland, provides
9 that the compensation of the County Executive may be changed by an affirmative vote of not less
10 than two-thirds of the members of the
11 Council; and12 WHEREAS, any increase in compensation which becomes law during one term of office
13 shall not become effective before the next term; and14 WHEREAS, a Compensation Review Board was appointed by CR-57-2005 which made
15 certain recommendations regarding the compensation of the County Executive and County
16 Council; and17 WHEREAS, the members of the Compensation Review Board further recommended that
18 the County Council should take action in light of certain relevant data which was not available
19 during the time allowed for action by the Board; and20 WHEREAS, it is appropriate to modify the compensation for the County Executive and
21 members of the County Council to reflect the duties of the offices and to bring them in line with
22 those of comparable jurisdictions;

1 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the County Council of Prince George's
 2 County, Maryland, that the members of the County Council shall receive compensation for the
 3 performance of their public duties under the Charter of \$89,000 per annum, beginning on the
 4 first Monday in December, 2006, and adjusted annually thereafter on the first Monday in
 5 December by a percentage equivalent to the percentage by which the Consumer Price Index for
 6 the Washington Metropolitan area as of October 1 shall have changed from the preceding
 7 October 1st. The compensation of the Chairman of the County Council shall be fixed at \$5,000
 8 per annum in excess of the compensation of the salary of the other council members during such
 9 person's term as Chairman, and the compensation of the Vice Chairman of the County Council
 10 shall be fixed at \$2,500 per annum in excess of the compensation of the other council members
 11 during such person's term as Vice Chairman.

12 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the County Executive shall receive compensation for
 13 the performance of his public duties under the Charter of \$160,000 per annum, beginning on the
 14 first Monday in December, 2006, and adjusted annually thereafter on the first Monday in
 15 December by a percentage equivalent to the percentage by which the Consumer Price Index for
 16 the Washington Metropolitan area as of October 1 shall have changed from the preceding
 17 October 1st.

Adopted this 18th day of July, 2006.

COUNTY COUNCIL OF PRINCE
 GEORGE'S COUNTY, MARYLAND

BY: _____
 Thomas E. Dernoga
 Chairman

ATTEST:

 Redis C. Floyd
 Clerk of the Council