

**COUNTY COUNCIL OF PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY, MARYLAND**

**2001 Legislative Session**

Resolution No. CR-80-2001

Proposed by The Chairman (by request – County Executive)

Introduced by Council Members Scott, Bailey and Wilson

Co-Sponsors \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Introduction November 13, 2001

**RESOLUTION**

1 A RESOLUTION concerning

2 Designation of a Resident Agent for Prince George's County, Maryland

3 For the purpose of designating the County Attorney as the resident agent to accept service of  
4 process for Prince George's County, Maryland.

5 WHEREAS, Chapter 506 of the Laws of Maryland 2001 requires that a local entity shall  
6 designate a citizen of this State who resides in the State as its resident agent by filing for record  
7 with the State Department of Assessments and Taxation, a certification of the person whom the  
8 charter of the local entity authorizes to accept service of process for the local entity, or if the  
9 charter does not designate a person for service, a certified copy of a resolution of the local  
10 entity's governing body that authorizes the designation; and

11 WHEREAS, Prince George's County, Maryland, is a local entity as defined in Chapter 506  
12 of the Laws of Maryland 2001; and

13 WHEREAS, a resident agent is not currently designated in the Charter to accept service of  
14 process for Prince George's County, Maryland; and

15 WHEREAS, it is necessary pursuant to State law that a resident agent be designated to  
16 accept service of process by resolution of the governing body; and

17 WHEREAS, the County Attorney represents the County in all actions in which the County  
18 is a party; and

19 WHEREAS, the County Executive recommends that the County Attorney be designated as  
20 the resident agent for Prince George's County, Maryland.

1       NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the County Council of Prince George's  
2 County, Maryland, that the County Attorney shall be the resident agent designated to accept  
3 service of process for Prince George's County, Maryland.

Adopted this 13th day of November, 2001

COUNTY COUNCIL OF PRINCE  
GEORGE'S COUNTY, MARYLAND

BY: \_\_\_\_\_  
Ronald V. Russell  
Chairman

ATTEST:

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Joyce T. Sweeney  
Clerk of the Council