

**COUNTY COUNCIL OF PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY, MARYLAND**  
**2023 Legislative Session**

Resolution No. CR-027-2023  
Proposed by Council Members Burroughs, Ivey, Hawkins and Fisher  
Introduced by Council Members Burroughs, Ivey, Hawkins and Fisher  
Co-Sponsors Council Members Harrison, Watson, Oriadha and Franklin  
Date of Introduction May 2, 2023

**RESOLUTION**

1 A RESOLUTION concerning

2 Citizen Advisory Board

3 For the purpose of establishing a Task Force to Study Electric Public Utility Location Practices  
4 and Procedures.

5 WHEREAS, there has been increasing concern over the location of certain public utilities  
6 and the procedures by which such regulated public utilities may be located on land situated in  
7 close proximity to certain residential, educational, and institutional uses in Prince George's  
8 County; and

9 WHEREAS, the Council desires to further examine the process by which regulated public  
10 utilities are located for purposes of providing adequate utility service to the citizens and residents  
11 of the County; and

12 WHEREAS, Section 506 of the Charter for Prince George's County provides that the  
13 County Council may appoint, for designated periods, one or more temporary advisory boards of  
14 citizens of the County who shall assist in the consideration of County policies and programs.

15 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the County Council of Prince George's  
16 County, Maryland, that a Task Force to Study Electric Public Utility Location Practices and  
17 Procedures is hereby established to review and evaluate current practices relating to the location  
18 of regulated public utility uses in Prince George's County, and to make policy recommendations  
19 relating thereto.

20 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Task Force shall be composed of eleven (11)  
21 members, appointed by the Chair of the County Council, as follows:

- 22 1. Two (2) representatives of the County Council, who shall serve as the Chair and Vice;

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Chair;

- 2. A representative from the Office of the County Executive;
- 3. A representative from the Office of Law;
- 4. A representative from the County Health Department;
- 5. A representative from the County Department of the Environment;
- 6. A representative from the Maryland Public Service Commission;
- 7. Two (2) representatives from registered civic associations in the County; and
- 8. Two (2) representatives from the business community of the County.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Task Force shall present its report and recommendations to the County Council on or before June 1, 2024.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Council Administrator shall assign appropriate technical and administrative support personnel to assist the Task Force in its work.

Adopted this 6<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2023.

COUNTY COUNCIL OF PRINCE  
GEORGE'S COUNTY, MARYLAND

BY: \_\_\_\_\_  
Thomas E. Dernoga  
Chair

ATTEST:

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Donna J. Brown  
Clerk of the Council