

Prince George's County Council

*Wayne K. Curry Administration Building
1301 McCormick Dr
Largo, MD 20774*



Meeting Agenda - Final

Budget Adoption

Thursday, May 23, 2024

11:00 AM

Council Hearing Room

County Council

Jolene Ivey, Chair, District 5

Sydney J. Harrison, Vice Chair, District 9

Wala Blegay, District 6

Edward P. Burroughs, III, District 8

Thomas E. Dernoga, District 1

Wanika Fisher, District 2

Mel Franklin, At-Large

Calvin S. Hawkins, II, At-Large

Eric C. Olson, District 3

Krystal Oriadha, District 7

Ingrid S. Watson, District 4

Jennifer A. Jenkins, Council Administrator

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REGULAR COUNCIL MEETINGS

The Prince George's County Council meets at 10:00 a.m. each Tuesday in the Council Hearing Room in the Wayne K. Curry Administration Building, Largo, Maryland. Legislative sessions are held on the first and third Tuesday of each month and business meetings are scheduled on the alternate weeks. All County Council Sessions are public meetings, however, a part of the meeting may be conducted in closed session.

In addition to its normal function as the County Council, the Council will frequently sit as the District Council for zoning matters or as the Board of Health. The capacity in which the Council acts on agenda items will be recorded in the minutes for each meeting.

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10:30 A.M. - AGENDA BRIEFING - (ROOM 2027)

11:00 A.M. - CALL TO ORDER - (COUNCIL HEARING ROOM)

INVOCATION:

Rev. Dr. Valdes Snipes from L.O.V.E. AME Church, Upper Marlboro, MD

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

REQUESTS BY THE GENERAL PUBLIC TO ADDRESS THE COUNCIL

DESIGNATION OF MAY 23, 2024 AS LEGISLATIVE DAY NO. 13

1. PUBLIC HEARINGS/BILLS ELIGIBLE FOR THIRD READING – (ENACTMENT)

[CB-017-2024](#)

Draft: 1

AN ACT CONCERNING THE BOARD OF APPEALS COMPOSITION AND SALARY REVISION for the purpose of decreasing the composition of the Board of Appeals, increasing the monthly salary rate for each member of the Board of Appeals and the additional annual salary rate for the Chairman of the Board of Appeals.

Sponsor(s): Ivey, Watson, Hawkins, Harrison, Fisher, Franklin and Dernoga

Attachment(s): [B2024017](#)
[CB-017-2024 Summary](#)
[CB-017-2024 Report](#)
[CB-017-2024 PAFI](#)

Legislative History:

3/12/24	County Council	presented and referred to the Government Operations and Fiscal Policy Committee
4/25/24	Government Operations and Fiscal Policy Committee	Favorably recommended to the County Council
4/30/24	County Council	introduced

2. ADOPTION OF WSSC, WSTC, REVENUE AUTHORITY AND REDEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY BUDGETS

[CR-041-2024](#)

Draft: 1

A RESOLUTION CONCERNING THE APPROVAL OF THE FISCAL YEAR 2025 OPERATING AND CAPITAL BUDGETS OF THE WASHINGTON SUBURBAN SANITARY COMMISSION AND THE RECOMMENDATION OF WATER AND SEWER RATES AND AD VALOREM TAX LEVIES FOR FISCAL YEAR 2025

for the purpose of adopting the Fiscal Year 2025 Operating and Capital Budgets of the Washington Suburban Sanitary Commission and the recommended Water and Sewer Rates and Ad Valorem Tax Levies for Fiscal Year 2025

Sponsor(s): Ivey

Attachment(s): [R2024041](#)

[CR-041-2024 Appendices C-F](#)

[CR-041-2024 Summary](#)

To be introduced by:

[CR-042-2024](#)

Draft: 1

A RESOLUTION CONCERNING THE WASHINGTON SUBURBAN SANITARY COMMISSION FISCAL YEARS 2025-2030 CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS PROGRAM AND FISCAL YEAR 2025 CAPITAL BUDGET FOR PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY FOR WATER AND SEWERAGE

for the purpose of adopting with amendments the WSSC Fiscal Years 2025-2030 Capital Improvements Program and Fiscal Year 2025 Capital Budget for Water and Sewerage.

Sponsor(s): Ivey

Attachment(s): [R2024042](#)
[CR-042-2024 Appendices A and B](#)
[CR-042-2024 Summary](#)

To be introduced by:

**ADOPTION OF WSSC, WSTC, REVENUE AUTHORITY AND REDEVELOPMENT
AUTHORITY BUDGETS (Continued)**

[CR-043-2024](#)

Draft: 1

**A RESOLUTION CONCERNING THE APPROVAL OF THE FISCAL
YEAR 2025 WASHINGTON SUBURBAN TRANSIT COMMISSION
BUDGET AND TAX RATES** for the purpose of approving the Washington
Suburban Transit Commission's administration of the County's Fiscal Year 2025
Mass Transit Plan; approving the levy of property tax rates necessary to support
the expenses and obligations of the Commission including County mass transit
operations; and approving the Commission's administrative budget.

Sponsor(s): Ivey

Attachment(s): [R2024043](#)
[CR-043-2024 Summary](#)

To be introduced by:

[CR-044-2024](#)

Draft: 1

**A RESOLUTION CONCERNING THE REVENUE AUTHORITY OF
PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY FISCAL YEAR 2025 OPERATING
BUDGET AND CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM** for the purpose of
approving the Capital Improvement Program of the Revenue Authority of Prince
George's County for Fiscal Years 2025-2030, prepared pursuant to the authority
contained in Subtitle 21A of the Prince George's County Code and providing
comments on the proposed Operating Budget of the Authority for Fiscal Year
2025.

Sponsor(s): Ivey

Attachment(s): [R2024044](#)
[CR-044-2024 Attachment 1](#)
[CR-044-2024 Attachment 2](#)
[CR-044-2024 Summary](#)

To be introduced by:

**ADOPTION OF WSSC, WSTC, REVENUE AUTHORITY AND REDEVELOPMENT
AUTHORITY BUDGETS (Continued)**

[CR-045-2024](#)

Draft: 1

**A RESOLUTION CONCERNING THE REDEVELOPMENT
AUTHORITY OF PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY FISCAL YEAR 2025
OPERATING BUDGET AND CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM** for
the purpose of approving the Capital Improvement Program of the
Redevelopment Authority of Prince George's County for Fiscal Years 2025-2030;
prepared pursuant to the authority contained in Subtitle 15B of the Prince
George's County Code; and providing comments on the proposed Operating
Budget of the Redevelopment Authority for Fiscal Year 2025.

Sponsor(s): Ivey

Attachment(s): [R2024045](#)

[CR-045-2024 Attachment 1](#)

[CR-045-2024 Attachment 2](#)

[CR-045-2024 Summary](#)

To be introduced by:

**3. ADOPTION OF THE PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY PORTION OF THE MARYLAND -
NATIONAL CAPITAL PARK AND PLANNING COMMISSION BUDGET AND MAKING
APPROPRIATIONS AND LEVYING TAXES FOR FISCAL YEAR 2025 FOR THE
M-NCPPC**

[CB-044-2024](#)

Draft: 1

**AN ACT CONCERNING MARYLAND-NATIONAL CAPITAL PARK
AND PLANNING COMMISSION** for the purpose of approving the Prince
George's County portion of the Maryland-National Capital Park and Planning
Commission budget and making appropriations and levying certain taxes for
Fiscal Year 2025 for the Maryland-National Capital Park and Planning
Commission, pursuant to the provisions of the Land Use Article of the Annotated
Code of Maryland, as amended ("Land Use Article").

Sponsor(s): Ivey

Attachment(s): [B2024044](#)

[CB-044-2024 Appendix A](#)

[CB-044-2024 Appendix B](#)

[CB-044-2024 Summary](#)

To be introduced by:

4. ADOPTION OF THE COUNTY CURRENT EXPENSE BUDGET, CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM, CAPITAL BUDGET AND APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE FOR FISCAL YEAR 2025

[CB-045-2024](#)

Draft: 1

AN ACT CONCERNING FISCAL YEAR 2025 APPROPRIATIONS for the purpose of making appropriations for the support of the County government and for the Prince George's Community College and for the schools, institutions, departments, offices, boards, commissions, and agencies of Prince George's County, and for other purposes, for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2024, and ending June 30, 2025; adopting the current expense budget, the capital improvement program, and the capital budget prepared according to the Charter of Prince George's County and submitted by the County Executive to the County Council; appropriating the items of expense in said current expense budget; establishing rates of reimbursement for subsistence expenses for employees of the County; providing for the inclusion of all State, Federal and private grants received subsequent to adoption of the current expense budget; imposing the applicable income and special area tax rates under the public general laws and public local laws of Maryland; all to be known as the Annual Budget and Appropriation Ordinance of Prince George's County for Fiscal Year 2025.

Sponsor(s): Ivey

Attachment(s): [B2024045](#)

[CB-045-2024 Exhibit 1](#)

[CB-045-2024 Exhibit 2](#)

[CB-045-2024 Exhibit 3](#)

[CB-045-2024 Exhibit 4](#)

[CB-045-2024 Exhibit 4A](#)

[CB-045-2024 Exhibit 4B](#)

[CB-045-2024 Exhibit 5](#)

[CB-045-2024 Exhibit 6](#)

[CB-045-2024 Exhibit 7](#)

[CB-045-2024 Summary](#)

To be introduced by:

5. PROPOSED CORRESPONDENCE/ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER'S REPORT

[LTR 05232024](#) Proposed letter to the Honorable Judy Mickens-Murray, Chair, Prince George's County Board of Education, transmitting the Fiscal Year 2025 Operating Budget.
Draft: 1

Sponsor(s): Ivey

Attachment(s): [BOE Budget Letter](#)
[BOE Budget Letter Attachment 1](#)
[BOE Budget Letter Summary](#)

6. INTRODUCTION AND ADOPTION OF RESOLUTIONS

[CR-046-2024](#) **A RESOLUTION CONCERNING THE WASHINGTON SUBURBAN SANITARY COMMISSION** for the purpose of modifying the System Development Charge (SDC) to help finance the capital costs of expanding and augmenting water and sewage systems to accommodate service to subscribers in the Washington Suburban Sanitary District (WSSD) and to provide a financing mechanism to aid the Washington Suburban Sanitary Commission (Commission) in paying for the capital projects thereof by providing methods and procedures by which the SDC is to be implemented and/or collected.
Draft: 1

Sponsor(s): Ivey

Attachment(s): [R2024046](#)
[CR-046-2024 Summary](#)

To be introduced by:

COUNCIL SHOULD EITHER CONVENE AS THE COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE OR SUSPEND THE RULES PRIOR TO ADOPTION - (8 VOTES REQUIRED)

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REMINDERS

Mon., May 27, 2024
Holiday (Memorial Day)

Tues., May 28, 2024
10:00 a.m. - County Council Meeting
11:30 a.m. - Committee of the Whole
1:30 p.m. - Board of Health Meeting