



Prince George's County Council

Agenda Item Summary

Meeting Date: 4/9/2024

Effective Date: 4/9/2024

Reference No.: CR-027-2024

Chapter Number:

Draft No.: 1

Public Hearing Date:

Proposer(s): County Executive and Ivey

Sponsor(s): Watson, Olson, Fisher, Oriadha, Dernoga, Hawkins, Burroughs and Franklin

Item Title: A RESOLUTION CONCERNING DESIGNATING APRIL AS “SECOND CHANCE MONTH” for the purpose of collectively recognizing the month of April as “Second Chance Month” to celebrate the power of redemption and renewal in the lives of formerly incarcerated individuals seeking to rebuild their lives and thrive; raising awareness of unnecessary barriers faced by individuals with criminal records; promoting policies and initiatives that remove barriers to re-entry and help individuals with criminal records rebuild their lives and contribute positively to society; and honoring those who work towards removing unnecessary barriers and support formerly incarcerated individuals.

Drafter: Sakinda L. Skinner, Esq., Office of the County Executive, Council Liaison

Resource Personnel:

LEGISLATIVE HISTORY:

Date:	Acting Body:	Action:	Sent To:
04/09/2024	County Council	introduced	
	Action Text: This Resolution was introduced by Council Members Ivey, Watson, Olson, Fisher, Oriadha, Dernoga, Hawkins, Burroughs and Franklin.		
04/09/2024	County Council	rules suspended	
	Action Text: A motion was made by Council Member Fisher, seconded by Council Member Watson, that the rules be suspended for this Resolution. The motion carried by the following vote:		
	Aye: 9 Ivey, Dernoga, Burroughs, Fisher, Franklin, Hawkins, Olson, Oriadha and Watson		
	Absent: 2 Harrison and Blegay		
04/09/2024	County Council	adopted	
	Action Text: A motion was made by Council Member Watson, seconded by Council Member Oriadha, that this Resolution be adopted. The motion carried by the following vote:		

Aye: 9 Ivey, Dernoga, Burroughs, Fisher, Franklin, Hawkins, Olson, Oriadha
and Watson

Absent: 2 Harrison and Blegay

AFFECTED CODE SECTIONS:

BACKGROUND INFORMATION/FISCAL IMPACT:

For the purpose of collectively recognizing the month of April as “Second Chance Month” to celebrate the power of redemption and renewal in the lives of formerly incarcerated individuals seeking to rebuild their lives and thrive; raising awareness of unnecessary barriers faced by individuals with criminal records; promoting policies and initiatives that remove barriers to re-entry and help individuals with criminal records rebuild their lives and contribute positively to society; honoring those who work towards removing unnecessary barriers and support formerly incarcerated individuals.

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