

**PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY COUNCIL
AGENDA ITEM SUMMARY**

Meeting Date: 5/2/95

Reference No.: CB-22-1995

Proposer: County Executive

Draft No.: 1

Sponsors: MacKinnon, Bailey, Del Giudice, Estep, Gourdin, Maloney,
Russell, Scott, and Wilson

Item Title: Emergency Act to amend the requirement for a written
poll to be conducted by the Purchasing Agent prior to
extending refuse collection contracts

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Resource Personnel: Samuel Wynkoop
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LEGISLATIVE HISTORY:

Date Presented:	4/4/95		Executive Action:	6/2/95	S
Committee Referral:	(1) 4/4/95	THE	Effective Date:	6/2/95	
Committee Action:	(1) 4/20/95	FAV			
Date Introduced:	5/2/95				
Pub. Hearing Date:	(1) 5/23/95	1:3P PM			

Council Action: (1) 5/23/95 Enacted
Council Votes: AMc:A, DB:A, SD:A, JE:A, IG:A, WM:A, RVR:A, AS:A, MW:A
Pass/Fail: P

Remarks: _____

TRANSPORTATION, HOUSING AND ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE Date: 4/20/95

Committee Vote: Favorable, 3-0 (In favor: Council Members Del Giudice,
Scott and Wilson).

CB-22-1995 proposes to amend the County's procedures for extending refuse collection contracts. Currently Section 5 Chapter 44 of the Laws of Prince George's County requires that prior to the negotiation of a contract extension, a written poll of the service area must be conducted and that at least 20% of all residences to be served must respond. The proposed legislation would amend this

requirement to allow a simple majority of residents who respond in the service area.

This amendment is intended to simplify the process of adjusting existing County refuse collection contracts to bring in areas not currently under contract in accordance with the County Executive's overall solid waste strategy.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION/FISCAL IMPACT

(Includes reason for proposal, as well as any unique statutory requirements)

This emergency legislation will improve the County's procedures for negotiating County refuse contracts.

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