

**COUNTY COUNCIL OF PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY, MARYLAND  
SITTING AS THE DISTRICT COUNCIL  
2015 Legislative Session**

Resolution No. CR-62-2015

Proposed by The Chairman (by request – County Executive)

Introduced by Council Members Toles, Turner, Franklin, Davis, Glaros and Patterson

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

Date of Introduction October 20, 2015

**RESOLUTION**

1 A RESOLUTION concerning  
2 The Maryland-National Capital Park and Planning Commission – Appointment and Geographic  
3 Balance

4 For the purpose of approving the appointment of John P. Shoaff as a commissioner of the Prince  
5 George’s County Planning Board of the Maryland-National Capital Park and Planning  
6 Commission, and providing a description and appropriate explanation of the resulting geographic  
7 balance, in accordance with requirements of State law.

8 WHEREAS, Section 15-103(b) of the Land Use Article, Annotated Code of Maryland, sets  
9 forth the procedures for appointment of commissioners to the Maryland-National Capital Park  
10 and Planning Commission in Prince George’s County; and

11 WHEREAS, Section 15-103(b) requires that the County Council hold a public hearing on  
12 an appointment to the Commission not later than twenty (20) days, and may approve or  
13 disapprove the appointment within thirty (30) days after the County Executive submits the name  
14 of the appointee to the County Council; and

15 WHEREAS, Section 15-103(b)(4) requires that the resolution for each appointment  
16 describe the resulting geographic distribution and provide appropriate explanations; and

17 WHEREAS, the County Executive has duly nominated John P. Shoaff, a resident of  
18 University Park, to serve as commissioner of the Maryland-National Capital Park and Planning  
19 Commission of the Prince George’s County Planning Board; and

20 WHEREAS, a public hearing on the appointment of John P. Shoaff to the Commission has  
21 been held before the County Council; and

1 WHEREAS, the remaining four (4) members of the Commission from Prince George's  
2 County are residents of Bowie, Temple Hills, Fort Washington, and Mitchellville, respectively.

3 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the County Council of Prince George's  
4 County, Maryland, sitting as the District Council for that part of the Maryland-Washington  
5 Regional District in Prince George's County, Maryland, that, as a result of appointment of John  
6 P. Shoaff as commissioner of the Maryland-National Capital Park and Planning Commission,  
7 there continues to be a reasonable geographic distribution with respect to the places of residence  
8 of the members of the Commission from Prince George's County.

9 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that appointment of John P. Shoaff as a commissioner of  
10 the Maryland-National Capital Park and Planning Commission for a term expiring June 15,  
11 2018, be and the same is hereby approved.

Adopted this 20<sup>th</sup> day of October , 2015.

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COUNTY, MARYLAND, SITTING AS THE  
DISTRICT COUNCIL FOR THAT PART OF  
THE MARYLAND-WASHINGTON REGIONAL  
DISTRICT IN PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY,  
MARYLAND

BY: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mel Franklin  
Chairman

ATTEST:

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Redis C. Floyd  
Clerk of the Council