

COUNTY COUNCIL OF PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY, MARYLAND

2003 Legislative Session

Resolution No. CR-3-2003

Proposed by Council Member Hendershot

Introduced by Council Members Shapiro, Knotts, Harrington, Exum, Dean,
Peters and Dernoga

Co-Sponsors _____

Date of Introduction January 28, 2003

RESOLUTION

1 A RESOLUTION concerning

2 Military Leave

3 For the purpose of repealing the termination provisions of Section 4, Chapter 9, Laws of Prince
 4 George's County, Maryland 2002 (CB-1-2002) concerning military leave.

5 WHEREAS, on January 18, 2002, the County Executive submitted a proposed amendment
 6 to each Salary Schedule of the Salary Plan of the County, which was considered by the Council
 7 as CR-2-2002; and

8 WHEREAS, the proposed amendments became effective on March 20, 2002, in accordance
 9 with Section 903 of the County Charter; and

10 WHEREAS, the benefits provided in the amendments to the several Salary Schedules
 11 expressed in CR-2-2002 expire one calendar year from the date of its adoption; and

12 WHEREAS, amendments to Section 16-223 – Military Leave - of the County Code were
 13 enacted into law by CB-1-2002, and became effective on July 1, 2002; and

14 WHEREAS, Section 4 of CB-1-2002 provided that the leave donation program and the
 15 supplement to military pay for employees who are no longer in a military leave with pay status
 16 created by CB-1-2002 shall terminate on February 24, 2003; and

17 WHEREAS, the national emergency that was declared in response to the terrorist attacks
 18 upon the United States of America on September 11, 2001, continues and requires the
 19 mobilization of additional members of the National Guard of the United States or the Reserves to
 20 active duty that will extend beyond the expiration of military leave benefits provided in the
 21 amendments enacted by CB-1-2002; and

1 WHEREAS, it is necessary to continue the military leave benefits provided by CB-1-2002
2 and CR-2-2002 until legislation can be considered and enacted into law by the County Council
3 that permanently extends military leave benefits to employees ordered to extended active duty
4 for national emergencies; and

5 WHEREAS, Section 1017 of the County Charter provides that a resolution has the force
6 and effect of a law of a temporary or administrative character.

7 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the County Council of Prince George's
8 County, Maryland, that Section 4 of Chapter 9 of the Laws of Prince George's County, Maryland
9 2002 concerning the amendment of Section 16-223 – Military Leave – Prince George's County
10 Code, be and the same is hereby repealed:

11 [SECTION 4. BE IT FURTHER ENACTED that the leave donation program and the
12 supplement to military leave pay for employees who are no longer in a military leave with
13 pay status created by this Act shall terminated on February 24, 2003.]

Adopted this ____ day of _____, 2003.

COUNTY COUNCIL OF PRINCE
GEORGE'S COUNTY, MARYLAND

BY: _____
Peter A. Shapiro
Chair

ATTEST:

Redis C. Floyd
Clerk of the Council