



# Prince George's County Council

## Agenda Item Summary

**Meeting Date:** 10/22/2024

**Effective Date:**

**Reference No.:** CB-079-2024

**Chapter Number:**

**Draft No.:** 1

**Public Hearing Date:**

**Proposer(s):** Fisher

**Sponsor(s):** Fisher

**Item Title:** AN ACT CONCERNING HOUSING CODE for the purpose of establishing an investigation unit within the Department of Permitting, Inspections and Enforcement to aid in the investigation of certain Code violations; providing for certain staff and advisory and supervisory personnel; providing for certain reporting requirements; and generally regarding Housing Code enforcement.

**Drafter:** Kathy Canning, Legislative Attorney

**Resource Personnel:** Debra Carter, Council District 2

### LEGISLATIVE HISTORY:

Date:	Acting Body:	Action:	Sent To:
09/17/2024	County Council	presented and referred	COW
<p><b>Action Text:</b> This Council Bill was presented by Council Member Fisher and referred to the Committee of the Whole.</p>			
10/01/2024	COW	Held in Committee	
<p><b>Action Text:</b> A motion was made by Council Member Fisher, seconded by Vice Chair Harrison, that this Council Bill be held. The motion carried by the following vote:  <p style="margin-left: 40px;">Aye: 9 Ivey, Harrison, Dernoga, Blegay, Burroughs, Fisher, Olson, Oriadha and Watson</p> <p style="margin-left: 40px;">Absent: 1 Hawkins</p> </p>			
10/15/2024	COW	rescheduled to a later date	
<p><b>Action Text:</b> This Council Bill was rescheduled to a later date</p>			
10/22/2024	COW	Held in Committee	
<p><b>Action Text:</b> A motion was made by Council Member Fisher, seconded by Council Member Olson, that this Council Bill be held. The motion carried by the following vote:  <p style="margin-left: 40px;">Aye: 9 Ivey, Harrison, Dernoga, Blegay, Burroughs, Fisher, Olson, Oriadha and Watson</p> </p>			

Absent: 1 Hawkins

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**AFFECTED CODE SECTIONS:**

13-110

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**BACKGROUND INFORMATION/FISCAL IMPACT:**

This bill amends the Housing Code for the purpose of establishing an investigation unit within the Department of Permitting, Inspections and Enforcement to aid in the investigation of certain persistent and critical Housing Code violations. It provides that the Department of Permitting, Inspections and Enforcement work with a supervisor from the County Department of Environment and the Revenue Authority and provides for certain reporting requirements.

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**Document(s):** B2024079, CB-079-2024 PAFI, CB-079-2024 Public Comments 10012024 COW