PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY COUNCIL

COMMITTEE REPORT

2019 Legislative Session

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Action: FAV

REPORT:

Committee Vote: (In Favor: Hawkins, Ivey, Harrison and Taveras)

The Health, Human Services & Public Safety Committee met on April 15, 2019, to consider the appointments to the Prince George's County Commission for Women. County Executive staff provided an overview introducing the nominees to the Committee.

The Prince George's County Commission for Women serves to improve the quality of life for women and girls by advocating, initiating, and championing programs and legislation to strengthen families and communities. Staff support shall be provided by the Department of Family Services. Ms. Jackie Rhone, Family Services, attended in support of the Commission.

The Commission for Women candidates represent various businesses, government, legal and non-profit sectors and are diverse in their backgrounds. The nominees bring unique qualifications and passion and have demonstrated their commitment through their employment efforts and in the community. The nominees' appointments are 3-year staggered terms.

The Committee members thanked the nominees for their willingness to serve Prince George's County; making a difference within this vital area which speaks to the standard of living within our communities.

The Committee Chair indicated that the Public Hearing is scheduled for Tuesday, May 7, 2019.