Prince George's County Council Agenda Item Summary

Meeting Date: 7/27/2004 **Reference No.:** CB-051-2004

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Proposer(s): Peters

Sponsor(s): Peters, Harrington, Dean

Item Title: An Act revising the Woodland Conservation and Tree Preservation policy document to

include the protection of wildlife habitats and to clarify permitted activities in Woodland

Conservation Areas

Drafter: Ralph E. Grutzmacher, Legislative Officer

Resource Personnel: Richard J. Santos, Legislative Aide

LEGISLATIVE HISTORY:

Date Presented:Executive Action:8/16/2004 SCommittee Referral:7/6/2004 - THEEffective Date:10/1/2004

Committee Action: 7/21/2004 - HELD

Date Introduced: 7/6/2004

Public Hearing: 7/27/2004 - 10:00 AM

Council Action (1) 7/27/2004 - ENACTED

Council Votes: MB:A, SHD:A, TD:-, CE:-, DCH:A, TH:A, TK:A, DP:A

Pass/Fail:

Remarks:

AFFECTED CODE SECTIONS:

25-117

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

BACKGROUND INFORMATION/FISCAL IMPACT:

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

The proposed amendments to the Woodland Conservation and Tree Preservation policy document will require that a Wildlife Habitat Conservation Policy be incorporated into the existing policy. In addition, certain limited vegetation management within a tree conservation area will be allowed to maintain the overall health of trees within the tree conservation area.

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INCLUSION FILES:

I-Wildlife Habitat Policy.doc, I-Woodland.pdf