

COUNTY COUNCIL OF PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY, MARYLAND
2025 Legislative Session

Resolution No. CR-068-2025

Proposed by Council Member Olson

Introduced by Council Members Olson, Watson, Blegay, Hawkins, Ivey, Dernoga, Fisher
and Oriadha

Co-Sponsors _____

Date of Introduction May 27, 2025

RESOLUTION

1 A RESOLUTION concerning

2 Stop Sign Monitoring – Town of University Park

3 For the purpose of providing County Council approval of locations for stop sign monitoring
 4 systems in the Town of University Park, and generally regarding stop sign monitoring systems.

5 WHEREAS, the Town of University Park seeks County Council approval for installing
 6 Stop Sign Enforcement Cameras pursuant to the Md. Transportation Article, Sec. 21-
 7 707.1(c)(2)(i) and Sec 21-707.1(c)(2)(ii), and Prince George's County Code, Sec 26-
 8 120.02(c)(2)(B) and Sec. 26-120.02(c)(2)(C), and Attachment 2; and

9 WHEREAS, Md. Transportation Article, Sec 21-707.1(c)(2)(i) provides that an agency may
 10 use stop sign monitoring systems on highways located in a school zone maintained by a local
 11 jurisdiction, if authorized by the governing body of the local jurisdiction, Attachment 2 - Town
 12 of University Park Ordinance 24-0-08, and Attachment 4 – Official Minutes of the Town of
 13 University Park – Public Hearing Regarding Ordinance 24-0-08; and

14 WHEREAS, Md. Transportation Article, Sec. 21-707.1(c)(2)(ii) provides that a stop sign
 15 monitoring system may only be used at a location approved by the Prince George's County
 16 Council; and

17 WHEREAS, Prince George's County Code, Sec. 26-120.02(c)(2)(B) provides that stop sign
 18 monitoring systems may only be used at a location approved by the Prince George's County
 19 Council and Sec. 26-120.02(c)(2)(C) provides that Council approval of the location of stop sign
 20 monitoring systems used by municipalities shall be made by Council resolution upon receipt of a
 21 letter requesting such approval; and

1 WHEREAS, the County Council is in receipt of the Town of University Park’s request
2 letter (Attachment 1) and supporting documents, including traffic violation data from 25 high-
3 risk intersections near school zones, demonstrating a critical need for automated enforcement;
4 and

5 WHEREAS the Town of University Park’s Police Department conducted a pilot program
6 and documented numerous stop sign violations, with some intersections exceeding 80% violation
7 rates.

8 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the County Council of Prince George's
9 County, Maryland, that the County Council hereby approves the locations for stop sign
10 monitoring systems for the Town of University Park, as set forth in Attachment 1, which is made
11 a part of this Resolution as a part thereof and a part herein.

12 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that Attachment 1, Attachment 2, Attachment 3, and
13 Attachment 4 are made a part of this Resolution as a part thereof and a part herein.

Adopted this ____ day of _____, 2025.

COUNTY COUNCIL OF PRINCE
GEORGE'S COUNTY, MARYLAND

BY: _____
Edward P. Burroughs III
Chair

ATTEST:

Donna J. Brown
Clerk of the Council