COUNTY COUNCIL OF PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY, MARYLAND 2016 Legislative Session

Resolution No.	CR-28-2016
Proposed by	Council Members Turner, Glaros, Lehman and Taveras
Introduced by	Council Members Turner, Glaros, Lehman, Taveras, and Franklin
Co-Sponsors	
Date of Introduc	ction May 10, 2016
	RESOLUTION
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	Bike to Work Day 2016
For the purpose of	of expressing the County Council's support for declaring May 20, 2016 as Bike
to Work Day in I	Prince George's County as part of National Bike to Work Week in the
Washington, D.C	C. metropolitan region.
WHEREAS	, the National Capital Region Transportation Planning Board (TPB) is the
metropolitan planning organization for the Washington, D.C. metropolitan region; and	
WHEREAS	, the TPB, through its Commuter Connections program and in conjunction with
Washington Area Bicyclist Association (WABA), promotes and organizes the annual Bike to	
Work Day event throughout the Washington, D.C. metropolitan area; and	
WHEREAS, on April 20, 2016 the TPB approved a resolution proclaiming May 20, 2016	
as Bike to Work Day in the metropolitan Washington, D.C. and encouraged TPB member	
jurisdictions to a	dopt similar resolutions; and
WHEREAS	, Bike to Work Day encourages Washington, D.C. metropolitan area residents
to use bicycling as an alternative form of transportation to and from work, by registering at	
www.biketoworkmetrodc.org, and advocates for increased bicycle safety; and	
WHEREAS	, Bike to Work Day is part of the National Bike to Work Week, occurring
during the week of May 16, 2016 through May 20, 2016; and	
WHEREAS, Bike to Work Day is now celebrated in many jurisdictions in the Washington,	
D.C. region with over 80 pit stops, including pit stops in Bowie - Old Town, Bowie - Town	
Center, Capitol Heights, College Park - City Hall (Morning), College Park - Metro (Afternoon),	
Greenbelt, Hyattsville, Oxon Hill, Port Towns - Edmonston (Morning), Port Towns - Edmonston	

1 (Afternoon), Suitland, and the University of Maryland; and 2 WHEREAS, the Prince George's County Council is committed to promoting improved air quality, reduced traffic congestion, conservation of energy and the use of transportation 3 alternatives in the County and Region. 4 5 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the County Council of Prince George's County, Maryland, hereby supports and proclaims May 20, 2016 as Bike to Work Day in Prince 6 7 George's County. 8 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that all residents of the County are encouraged to use 9 bicycling as a transportation alternative to work on Friday, May 20, 2016. BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that copies of this Resolution be sent by the Clerk of the 10 11 Council to the Metropolitan Washington Council of Governments and the National Capital Region Transportation Planning Board. 12 Adopted this 10th day of May, 2016. COUNTY COUNCIL OF PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY, MARYLAND BY: Derrick Leon Davis Chairman ATTEST: Redis C. Floyd Clerk of the Council