PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY COUNCIL

COMMITTEE REPORT

2026 Legislative Session

Reference No.:	CR-093-2026
Draft No.:	1
Committee:	GOFP
Date:	Sept. 24, 2026
Action:	FAV

REPORT: Committee Vote: Favorably, 4-0-1 (Council Members Burroughs, Adams, Oriadha, and Blegay) Abstain: Ivey

The Government Operations and Fiscal Policy Committee convened on September 24, 2025, to consider CR-093-2026, a resolution concerning County Council Rules of Procedure for the purpose of amending the Rules of Procedure for the County Council to require the Council to conduct Countywide listening tours each year.

Council staff provided an overview of the legislation that would require each year, not later than March 1, that the Council conduct a community listening tour. Three public meetings held either in person or virtually would be convened to gather public input on local concerns and priorities. One meeting each shall be dedicated to hearing from residents of the north, central, and southern parts of the County.

Council Chair Oriadha, the sponsor of the legislation, expressed her intent, which is to create access to government for residents, and it includes an optional opportunity for Council Members to participate virtually or in person to give all areas of the county access to the County Council.

The Office of Law reports CR-093-2026 to be in proper legislative form with no legal impediments to its adoption.

The Office of the County Executive took no position on the resolution.

After discussion, the Government Operations and Fiscal Policy Committee reported CR-093-2026 out favorably, 4-0-1.