

# **Prince George's County Council**

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# **Meeting Minutes - Draft County Council**

Mel Franklin, District 9, Chairman
Derrick Leon Davis, District 6, Vice Chair
Dannielle M. Glaros, District 3
Andrea C. Harrison, District 5
Mary A. Lehman, District 1
Obie Patterson, District 8
Deni L. Taveras, District 2
Karen R. Toles, District 7
Todd M. Turner, District 4

Robert J. Williams, Jr., Council Administrator

Tuesday, July 7, 2015

1:30 PM

**Council Hearing Room** 

# 1:00 P.M. - AGENDA BRIEFING - (ROOM 2027)

# 1:30 P.M. - CALL TO ORDER - (COUNCIL HEARING ROOM)

The meeting was called to order at 1:58 p.m. with nine members present at roll call.

**Present:** 

9 - Chairman Mel Franklin

Vice Chairman Derrick Davis

Council Member Dannielle Glaros

Council Member Andrea Harrison

Council Member Mary Lehman

Council Member Obie Patterson

Council Member Deni Taveras

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Council Member Karen Toles

Council Member Todd Turner

Also present:

Robert J. Williams, Jr. Council Administrator

William M. Hunt, Jr., Deputy Council Administrator

Redis C. Floyd, Clerk of the Council

Donna J. Brown, Deputy Clerk of the Council

Nathaniel Tutt, III, County Executive's Office

John Gwynn, Office of Law

Kathleen Canning, Legislative Officer

Karen Zavakos, Legislative Officer

Jacqueline Brown, Director, PZED Committee

Howard Stone, Interim Director, PSFM Committee

# **INVOCATION:**

The Invocation was provided by Reverend L.K. Floyd, Pastor, Heart Changers Baptist Church, Silver Spring, Maryland.

# **PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Council Member Patterson.

# **LEGISLATIVE DAY NO. 23**

#### 1. CONSENT AGENDA

#### **Approval of the Consent Agenda**

A motion was made by Vice Chairman Davis, seconded by Council Member Harrison, to approve the Consent Agenda. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye

9 - Franklin, Davis, Glaros, Harrison, Lehman, Patterson, Taveras, Toles and Turner

# (a) Approval of County Council Minutes

MIN 06232015 County Council Minutes dated June 23, 2015 and June 30, 2015.

*Attachment(s)*: 06232015.pdf

These minutes were approved

# **CONSENT AGENDA - (CONTINUED)**

# (b) First Reading of Bills (Presentation)

<u>CB-046-2015</u> AN ACT CONCERNING FIRE SAFETY CODE for the purpose of amending the

Prince George's County Fire Safety Code to adopt the standards of the National Fire Protection Association regarding increasing administrative fees for apartment buildings

related to fire safety.

Attachment(s): B2015046.doc

This Council Bill was presented by the Chairman, by request of the County Executive, and referred to the Public Safety and Fiscal Management Committee

CB-047-2015 AN ACT CONCERNING THE COUNTY FORECLOSURE REGISTRY for the

purpose of establishing an administrative fee for filing with the County Foreclosure Registry; increasing the amount of the civil penalty; and generally relating to foreclosure.

Attachment(s): B2015047.doc

This Council Bill was presented by Council Members Lehman, Glaros and Franklin and referred to the Transportation, Housing and the Environment

Committee

<u>CB-048-2015</u> <u>AN ORDINANCE CONCERNING M-X-T ZONE</u> for the purpose of extending the time

for abrogation of certain provisions of Section 27-547(b) of the Zoning Ordinance.

Attachment(s): B2015048.doc

This Council Bill was presented by Council Member Davis and referred to the Planning, Zoning and Economic Development Committee

#### (c) Introduction of Resolutions

<u>CR-033-2015</u> <u>A RESOLUTION CONCERNING PAYMENTS IN LIEU OF TAXES ("PILOT")</u>

AGREEMENT FOR BRINKLEY HILL for the purpose of approving the terms and conditions of a Payments in Lieu of Taxes ("PILOT") Agreement between Prince George's County, Maryland (the "County") and Princeles Hill Associates LLC (the "County")

(the "County") and Brinkley Hill Associates, LLC, (the "Owner").

**Sponsor(s)**: Franklin

Attachment(s): R2015033.doc

Council Resolution 33 approves the terms and conditions of a Payments in Lieu of Taxes Agreement between Prince George's County, Mayland and Brinkley Hill Associates, LLC for the purpose of operating a rental community containing

approximately sixty-four townhouse rental units and related facilities dedicated to providing housing for low to moderate income residents.

This Resolution was introduced by Council Member Franklin and referred to the Public Safety and Fiscal Management Committee

CR-034-2015

<u>A RESOLUTION CONCERNING PUBLIC SAFETY SURCHARGE</u> for the purpose of adjusting the public safety surcharge for Fiscal Year 2016, beginning July 1, 2015, as required by State law.

**Sponsor(s)**: Lehman and Turner

Attachment(s): R2015034.docx

Council Resolution 34 adjusts the public safety surcharge to reflect a 0.2% decrease in the Consumer Price Index for all Urban Customers (CPI-U). The CPI-U decrease results in a surcharge decrease of \$5 for permits issued the Developed Tier and other circumstances and \$15 for permits for all other buildings.

This Resolution was introduced by Council Members Turner and Lehman and referred to the Committee of the Whole

CR-035-2015

<u>A RESOLUTION CONCERNING SCHOOL FACILITIES SURCHARGE</u> for the purpose of adjusting the school facilities surcharge for Fiscal Year 2016, beginning July 1 2015, as required by State law.

Attachment(s): R2015035.docx

Council Resolution 35 adjusts the school facilities surcharge to reflect a 0.2% decrease in the Consumer Price Index for all Urban Customers (CPI-U). The CPI-U decrease results in a surcharge decrease of \$18 for permits issued for buildings between Interstate Highway 495 and the District of Columbia and other circumstances and \$31 for permits for all other buildings.

This Resolution was introduced by Council Members Turner, Lehman and Taveras and referred to the Committee of the Whole

## 2. CONSIDERATION OF ITEMS REMOVED FROM CONSENT AGENDA

There were no items considered.

#### 3. PROPOSED CORRESPONDENCE/ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER'S REPORT

There were no items considered.

# 4. PUBLIC HEARINGS: -(COUNCIL HEARING ROOM)

**APPT-051** 

Appointment of the following individuals to the **Fire Commission** for Prince George's County:

# Mr. Brian F. Dougherty

Appointment: Sworn Member Replacing: Jonathan P. Bigony Term Expiration: July 1, 2017

#### Mr. James Robert "Bobby" Breen

Reappointment: Volunteer Member Term Expiration: July 1, 2017

# Mr. William H. "Buddy" King

Reappointment: Volunteer Member Term Expiration: July 1, 2017

#### Mr. Randy S. Kuenzli

Reappointment: Voluteer Member Term Expiration: July 1, 2017

#### Mr. William C. Taylor

Reappointment: Resident Member Term Expiration: July 1, 2017

Council Member Patterson, as Chair of the Public Safety and Fiscal Management Committee, provided a verbal report of the actions and recommendations of the committee. Pursuant to proper notice, the public hearing was convened at 2:07 p.m. Nathaniel Tutt, III, Council Liaison, introduced the nominees to the Council and spoke to their character and credentials. Each nominee was present but declined to speak. All persons wishing to speak having done so, the public hearing was declared held.

A motion was made by Council Member Harrison, seconded by Vice Chairman Davis, that this Appointment be confirmed. The motion carried by the following vote:

**Aye** 9 - Franklin, Davis, Glaros, Harrison, Lehman, Patterson, Taveras, Toles and Turner

# **PUBLIC HEARINGS: -(CONTINUED)**

**APPT-050** 

Appointment of the following individuals to the **Cable Television Commission** for Prince George's County:

#### Ms. Brenda L. Beitzell - (unable to attend)

Appointment

Replacing: Malcom Augustine

Public Member

Term Expiration: 12/3/2018

#### Mr. Samson T. Afolabi - (unable to attend)

Reappointment CPA Member

Term Expiration: 12/3/2018

#### Ms. Doris E. McMillon

Reappointment

Cable Industry Member

Term Expiration: 12/3/2018

## Mr. Michael Thompson

Municipal Member

Term Expiration: 12/3/2018

Council Member Patterson, as Chair of the Public Safety and Fiscal Management Committee, provided a verbal report of the actions and recommendations of the committee. Pursuant to proper notice, the public hearing was convened at 2:10 p.m. Nathaniel Tutt, III, Council Liaison, introduced the nominees to the Council and spoke to their character and credentials. Michael Thompson was present but declined to speak. Brenda Beitzell, Samson Afolabi and Doris McMillon were unable to attend. All persons wishing to speak having done so, the public hearing was declared held.

A motion was made by Council Member Lehman, seconded by Vice Chairman Davis, that this Appointment be confirmed. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye 8 - Franklin, Davis, Glaros, Lehman, Patterson, Taveras, Toles and

Turner

**Absent** Harrison

# 5. PUBLIC HEARINGS/BILLS ELIGIBLE FOR THIRD READING – (ENACTMENT)

CB-020-2015

AN ORDINANCE CONCERNING SPECIFIC TEMPORARY USES -EMPLOYMENT OR TRAINING CENTER- R-R (RURAL RESIDENTIAL) ZONE for the purpose of providing for employment or training center as a permitted temporary use in the R-R Zone, under certain circumstances.

**Sponsor(s):** Patterson, Toles and Franklin

Attachment(s): B2015020.doc

CB-020-2015 Report

Pursuant to proper notice, the public hearing was convened at 2:11 p.m. There were no speakers. All persons wishing to speak having done so, the public hearing was declared held.

The public hearing was held for this Council Bill.

A motion was made by Vice Chairman Davis, seconded by Council Member Harrison, that the Council Rules of Procedure be suspended to allow for an effective date on the date of enactment of this Bill. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye

9 - Franklin, Davis, Glaros, Harrison, Lehman, Patterson, Taveras, Toles and Turner

A motion was made by Council Member Patterson, seconded by Vice Chairman Davis, that this Council Bill be enacted. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye

9 - Franklin, Davis, Glaros, Harrison, Lehman, Patterson, Taveras, Toles and Turner

# PUBLIC HEARINGS/BILLS ELIGIBLE FOR THIRD READING - (CONTINUED)

<u>CB-024-201</u>5

<u>AN ORDINANCE CONCERNING RESIDENTIAL ZONES</u> for the purpose of permitting artist's studio, barber shop, beauty shop, and medical practitioner's office in certain residential zones under certain circumstances.

**Sponsor(s):** Harrison and Franklin

Attachment(s): B2015024.doc

CB-024-2015 Report

Pursuant to proper notice, the public hearing was convened at 2:12 p.m. There were no speakers. All persons wishing to speak having done so, the public hearing was declared held.

The public hearing was held for this Council Bill.

A motion was made by Council Member Harrison, seconded by Vice Chairman Davis, that this Council Bill be amended (1). The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye

9 - Franklin, Davis, Glaros, Harrison, Lehman, Patterson, Taveras, Toles and Turner

A motion was made by Vice Chairman Davis, seconded by Council Member Harrison, that the Council Rules of Procedure be suspended to allow for an effective date on the date of enactment of this Bill. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye

9 - Franklin, Davis, Glaros, Harrison, Lehman, Patterson, Taveras, Toles and Turner

A motion was made by Council Member Harrison, seconded by Vice Chairman Davis, that this Council Bill be enacted. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye

9 - Franklin, Davis, Glaros, Harrison, Lehman, Patterson, Taveras, Toles and Turner

# PUBLIC HEARINGS/BILLS ELIGIBLE FOR THIRD READING - (CONTINUED)

### CB-026-2015

# AN ORDINANCE CONCERNING ASSISTED LIVING FACILITIES, CONGREGATE LIVING FACILITIES, AND NURSING OR CARE HOMES IN

<u>THE MIXED USE ZONES</u> for the purpose of permitting Assisted Living Facilities, Congregate Living Facilities, and Nursing or Care Homes in the M-X-T (Mixed Use - Transportation Oriented) and M-X-C (Mixed Use Community) Zones, subject to certain requirements.

**Sponsor(s):** Harrison and Turner

Attachment(s): B2015026.doc

CB-026-2015 Report

Pursuant to proper notice, the public hearing was convened at 2:16 p.m. Anthony G. Brown, Esq., spoke in support. All persons wishing to speak having done so, the publi hearing was declared held.

The public hearing was held for this Council Bill.

A motion was made by Council Member Harrison, seconded by Council Member Turner, that this Council Bill be enacted. The motion carried by the following vote:

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9 - Franklin, Davis, Glaros, Harrison, Lehman, Patterson, Taveras, Toles and Turner

# CB-035-2015

# AN ORDINANCE CONCERNING APPROVED COMPREHENSIVE PLANS, FUNCTIONAL PLANS AND DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT PLANS - MINOR

<u>AMENDMENT PROCESS</u> for the purpose of providing a minor plan amendment process for approved comprehensive plans, functional plans, development district plans, and associated approved Development District Overlay (D-D-O) Zones.

**Sponsor(s)**: Taveras

Attachment(s): B2015035.doc

Pursuant to proper notice, the public hearing was convened at 2:20 p.m. There were no speakers. All persons wishing to speak having done so, the public hearing was declared held.

The public hearing was held for this Council Bill.

A motion was made by Council Member Taveras, seconded by Vice Chairman Davis, that the Council Rules of Procedure be suspended to allow for an effective date on the date of enactment of this Bill. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye

9 - Franklin, Davis, Glaros, Harrison, Lehman, Patterson, Taveras, Toles and Turner

A motion was made by Council Member Taveras, seconded by Vice Chairman Davis, that this Council Bill be enacted. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye

9 - Franklin, Davis, Glaros, Harrison, Lehman, Patterson, Taveras, Toles and Turner

#### 6. INTRODUCTION AND ADOPTION OF RESOLUTIONS

#### CR-036-2015

A RESOLUTION CONCERNING THE STATE OF MARYLAND COMMUNITY INVESTMENT TAX CREDIT PROGRAM for the purpose of approving the project submitted by the Housing Initiative Partnership, Inc. ("HIP") to the Maryland Department of Housing and Community Development for participation in the Department's Community Investment Tax Credit Program.

Attachment(s): R2015036.doc

Council Resolution 36 approves the application submitted by the Housing Initiative Partnership, Inc. for funding through the Community Investment Tax Credit Program for expansion of the "Bounce Back" financial literacy and forclosure prevention program.

This Resolution was introduced by Council Members Taveras, Glaros, Turner and Lehman

A motion was made by Council Member Taveras, seconded by Vice Chairman Davis, that the Council Rules of Procedure be suspended to allow for the immediate adoption of this Resolution. The motion carried by the following vote:

**Aye** 9 - Franklin, Davis, Glaros, Harrison, Lehman, Patterson, Taveras, Toles and Turner

A motion was made by Council Member Taveras, seconded by Vice Chairman Davis, that this Resolution be adopted. The motion carried by the following vote:

**Aye** 9 - Franklin, Davis, Glaros, Harrison, Lehman, Patterson, Taveras, Toles and Turner

# INTRODUCTION AND ADOPTION OF RESOLUTIONS

#### CR-037-2015

A RESOLUTION CONCERNING THE STATE OF MARYLAND COMMUNITY INVESTMENT TAX CREDIT PROGRAM for the purpose of approving the project submitted by Doctors Community Hospital to the Maryland Department of Housing and Community Development for participation in the Department's Community Investment Tax Credit Program.

Attachment(s): R2015037.doc

Council Resolution 37 approves the application submitted by Doctors Community Hospital for funding through the Community Investment Tax Credit Program for implementation of its Health Services Programs in State-identified Priority Funding Area as described in the Attachment "A" of the legislation.

This Resolution was introduced by Council Members Glaros, Turner, Lehman, Harrison, Franklin, Taveras, Davis and Patterson

A motion was made by Vice Chairman Davis, seconded by Council Member Glaros, that the Council Rules of Procedure be suspended to allow for the immediate adoption of this Resolution. The motion carried by the following vote:

**Aye** 9 - Franklin, Davis, Glaros, Harrison, Lehman, Patterson, Taveras, Toles and Turner

A motion was made by Council Member Glaros, seconded by Vice Chairman Davis, that this Resolution be adopted. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye 9 - Franklin, Davis, Glaros, Harrison, Lehman, Patterson, Taveras, Toles and Turner

CR-038-2015

<u>A RESOLUTION CONCERNING M-X-T ZONE</u> for the purpose of extending the time for abrogation of certain provisions of Section 27-547(b) of the Zoning Ordinance.

Council Resolution 38 extends the time for abrogation of certain provisions of Section 27-547(b) of the Zoning Ordinance, permitting limited industrial uses in the M-X-T Zone under certain circumstances.

This Resolution was introduced by Council Member Davis

A motion was made by Vice Chairman Davis, seconded by Council Member Turner, that the Council Rules of Procedure be suspended to allow for the immediate adoption of this Resolution. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye 7 - Franklin, Davis, Glaros, Lehman, Patterson, Taveras and Turner

**Abstain** 2 - Harrison and Toles

A motion was made by Vice Chairman Davis, seconded by Council Member Turner, that this Resolution be adopted. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye 7 - Franklin, Davis, Glaros, Lehman, Patterson, Taveras and Turner

**Abstain** 2 - Harrison and Toles

# REQUESTS BY THE GENERAL PUBLIC TO ADDRESS THE COUNCIL

There were no requests.

# **ADJOURN**

Submitted by:

The meeting was adjourned at 2:25 p.m.

Prepared by:

Donna J. Brown, Deputy Clerk of the Council

Redis C. Floyd, Clerk of the Council