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## THE PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY GOVERNMENT

## Office of Audits and Investigations

October 27, 2015

## MEMORANDUM

TO: Robert J. Williams, Jr.

Council Administrator

William M. Hunt

**Deputy Council Administrator** 

THRU: David H. Van Dyke

**County Auditor** 

FROM: Inez N. Claggett

Legislative Auditor

RE: Fiscal Impact Statement

CR-68-2015 State of Maryland Sustainable Communities Program

Pursuant to your request, we have reviewed CR-68-2015 to estimate its fiscal impact on Prince George's County, Maryland.

CR-68-2015 provides approval for the Sustainable Community application and proposed Action Plan for participation in the Maryland Department of Housing and Community Development's (MDHCD) Sustainable Communities Program. Designation of Glassmanor-Oxon Hill Transforming Neighborhood Initiative Area as a sustainable community by MDHCD would allow the area to be eligible for concentrated access to State revitalizing funding to potentially fund some or all of the financing for the actions defined in the Action Plan. The proposed Action Plan focuses on building a healthy economy, increasing employment options, improving roadway and pedestrian facilities, and the enhancement of the quality of life of residents in neighborhoods within the Glassmanor-Oxon Hill Transforming Neighborhood Initiative Area. Attachment A to the proposed Resolution contains the Sustainable Community Application which provides details of the associated Action Plan.

County Council approval is required pursuant to State law governing the Maryland Sustainable Communities Program.

Adoption of CR-68-2015 should promote sustainable economic vitality and should not have an adverse fiscal impact on the County.

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If you require additional information, or have questions about this fiscal impact statement, please call me.