## THE PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY GOVERNMENT

## Office of Audits and Investigations

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## MEMORANDUM

TO: Robert J. Williams, Jr.

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Legislative Auditor

RE: Fiscal Impact Statement

CR-74-2015 Nonprofit Assistance Fund

Pursuant to your request, we have reviewed CR-74-2015 to estimate its fiscal impact on Prince George's County, Maryland.

CR-74-2015 provides approval of Champ Housing Recovery, Inc.'s (Champ Housing Recovery) application to the Maryland Department of Housing and Community Development (MDHCD) for participation in MDHCD's newly established Nonprofit Assistance Fund Program. The application requests Nonprofit Assistance Funds of \$50,000 to support a Roof Renovation Project.

According to MDHCD, "The Nonprofit Assistance Fund (NAF) aims to strengthen the ability of locally based nonprofits to bring reinvestment and economic revitalization to their communities. NAF supports operating expenses of community development organizations mobilizing housing and neighborhood reinvestment and implementing projects that result in the physical and economic revitalization of their community."

Champ Housing Recovery is a local nonprofit organization which provides recovery from alcoholism and drug addiction services to men, through a group home or transition house environment. NAF funds will be used to support the replacement and restoration of the Champ Housing Recovery Bowie facility's roof to include the installation of drywall and flooring, along with exterior and interior painting (the "Project"). Additional details of the Project are included as Attachment A to the Resolution.

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State law requires the approval of the local governing body for all Programs seeking financial support from the Nonprofit Assistance Fund. CR-71-2015 provides the requisite local governing body approval.

Adoption of CR-74-2015 should not have a negative fiscal impact on the County and does not request the use of County resources.

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