COUNTY COUNCIL OF PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY, MARYLAND SITTING AS THE DISTRICT COUNCIL

2018 Legislative Session

Resolution No.	CR-1-2018	
Proposed by	Council Members Glaros and Lehman	
Introduced by	Council Members Glaros, Lehman and Turner	
Co-Sponsors		
Date of Introduction	January 16, 2018	

RESOLUTION

A RESOLUTION concerning

The Enactment of a Certain Ordinance by the City of College Park

For the purpose of approving the enactment of Ordinance 17-O-1, concerning fences.

WHEREAS, on November 28, 2017, upon conducting a public hearing, the Mayor and Council of the City of College Park enacted Ordinance 17-O-1, concerning fences; and

WHEREAS, the Ordinance, which is attached hereto as Attachment A and incorporated as if set forth fully herein ("College Park Ordinance 17-O-1"), amended Chapter 87 of the College Park City Code, more specifically, § 87-23 concerning "Fences," and further related amendments for consistency in § 87-19 concerning "Appeals and Variances"; and

WHEREAS, § 25-303 of the Land Use Article, Annotated Code of Maryland, authorizes the City of College Park to impose stricter or additional conditions, restrictions, or limitations on fences than are required by State or County zoning laws on land within its corporate boundaries, whether zoned for residential or commercial use or adjacent to residential or commercial zones, for the purpose of preserving, improving, or protecting the general character and design of the municipal corporation; and

WHEREAS, Section 25-303 further provides that such municipal ordinance shall not be effective until approved by the County Council of Prince George's County, sitting as the District Council for that portion of the Maryland-Washington Regional District in Prince George's County; and

1	WHEREAS, in accordance with the prescriptions of Section 25-303, the City of College	
2	Park delivered certified copies of College Park Ordinance 17-O-1 to the District Council on	
3	November 29, 2017; and	
4	WHEREAS, upon reviewing the transmittal, the District Council has determined that	
5	College Park Ordinance 17-O-1 imposes stricter or additional conditions, restrictions, or	
6	limitations for fences than those currently imposed by the Zoning Ordinance of Prince George'	
7	County, Maryland, being also Subtitle 27 of the Prince George's County Code.	
8	NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the County Council of Prince George's	
9	County, Maryland, sitting as the District Council for that part of the Maryland-Washington	
10	Regional District in Prince George's County, Maryland, that College Park Ordinance 19-O-1, as	
11	represented in Attachment A to this Resolution, be and the same is hereby approved.	
	Adopted this <u>16th</u> day of <u>January</u> , 2018.	
	COUNTY COUNCIL OF PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY, MARYLAND, SITTING AS THE DISTRICT COUNCIL FOR THAT PART OF THE MARYLAND-WASHINGTON REGIONAL DISTRICT IN PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY, MARYLAND	
	BY: Dannielle M. Glaros Chair	
	ATTEST:	
	Redis C. Floyd Clerk of the Council	