

COUNTY COUNCIL OF PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY, MARYLAND

2018 Legislative Session

Bill No. CB-41-2018

Chapter No. 14

Proposed and Presented by Council Member Glaros

Introduced by Council Members Glaros, Davis, Lehman, Turner, Taveras, Franklin and Patterson

Date of Introduction July 2, 2018

CHARTER AMENDMENT

1 AN ACT concerning

2 Amendment of Section 1106, Charter of Prince George's County

3 For the purpose of proposing an amendment to Section 1106 of the Charter of Prince George's  
4 County to provide for the establishment of a Charter Review Commission, not later than one year  
5 prior to the beginning of each fourth year of a term, for the purpose of undertaking a  
6 comprehensive study of the Charter and to provide that the Charter Review Commission shall  
7 commence its work at the discretion of the Chair of the Commission.

8 BY proposing an amendment to:

9 Section 1106,

10 Charter of Prince George's County, Maryland.

11 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED by the County Council of Prince George's County,  
12 Maryland, that the following amendment to Section 1106, Charter of Prince George's County,  
13 Maryland, is hereby proposed:

14 Section 1106. Charter Review.

15 [On or before July 1, 2005, and] Establishing not later than one year prior to the beginning  
16 of each fourth year of a term [thereafter], the County Council and the County Executive shall  
17 appoint, by resolution, a Charter Review Commission for the purpose of undertaking a  
18 comprehensive study of the Charter and recommending changes, where appropriate. The Charter  
19 Review Commission shall commence its work at the discretion of the Chair of the Commission.

20 SECTION 2. BE IT FURTHER ENACTED that a copy of this Act be transmitted to the  
21 County Executive for publication and that a copy also be transmitted to the Board of Supervisors

1 of Elections for submission of the proposed amendment to the voters of this County at the 2018  
2 General Election pursuant to Section 1105 of the Charter.

3 SECTION 3. BE IT FURTHER ENACTED that the question of adoption of this proposed  
4 Charter Amendment shall be submitted to the voters of the County at the General Election  
5 occurring on November 6, 2018, and shall be placed on the ballot in the following form:  
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7 PROPOSED CHARTER AMENDMENT

8 To provide for the establishment of a Charter Review Commission, not  
9 later than one year prior to the beginning of each fourth year of a term,  
10 for the purpose of undertaking a comprehensive study of the Charter and  
11 to provide that the Charter Review Commission shall commence its work  
12 at the discretion of the Chair of the Commission.  
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14 Adopted this 24<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2018, by an affirmative vote of two-thirds of the  
15 members of the full County Council.

COUNTY COUNCIL OF PRINCE  
GEORGE'S COUNTY, MARYLAND

BY: \_\_\_\_\_  
Dannielle M. Glaros  
Chair

ATTEST:

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Redis C. Floyd  
Clerk of the Council

KEY:  
Underscoring indicates language added to existing law.  
[Brackets] indicate language deleted from existing law.  
Asterisks \*\*\* indicate intervening existing Code provisions that remain unchanged.  
**APPROVED BY A MAJORITY OF THE VOTERS AT THE REFERENDUM ON 11/6/2018.**  
**EFFECTIVE: 12/7/2018**