

**COUNTY COUNCIL OF PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY, MARYLAND**  
**2020 Legislative Session**

Resolution No. CR-86-2020

Proposed by The Council Chair (by request – County Executive)

Introduced by Council Members Turner, Anderson-Walker, Ivey, Glaros, Taveras,  
Hawkins, Dernoga, Harrison, Streeter and Davis

Date of Introduction September 9, 2020

**RESOLUTION**

1 A RESOLUTION concerning

2 Fiscal Year 2021 Annual Transportation Plan for Maryland Public Transportation Programs and  
3 Americans with Disabilities Act Program

4 For the purpose of authorizing the Director of the Prince George’s County Department of  
5 Public Works and Transportation to file grant funding applications for Fiscal Year 2021 with the  
6 Maryland Transit Administration of the Maryland Department of Transportation under the  
7 Annual Transportation Plan (ATP), Maryland’s Public Transportation Programs (PTP), the  
8 American with Disabilities Act (ADA) Program and the Federal Transit Administration (FTA)  
9 under the Low or No Emission Vehicle Program (Low-No).

10 WHEREAS, the Maryland Transit Administration (MTA) is the designated recipient in  
11 Maryland for grants under the Federal Transit Act; and

12 WHEREAS, the Administrator of the MTA is authorized to make grants to counties and  
13 local governments for public transportation projects in small urbanized and rural areas, as well  
14 as, for specialized transportation projects statewide; and

15 WHEREAS, an application for financial assistance imposes certain obligations upon the  
16 applicant, which includes a local share of the costs for certain projects and/or programs; and

17 WHEREAS, the United States Department of Transportation, in accordance with the  
18 provisions of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, requires an application for assistance  
19 under the Federal Transit Act to give assurance that it will comply with the Title VI of the Civil  
20 Rights Act of 1964 and the United States Department of Transportation requirements thereunder;  
21 and

22 WHEREAS, the Prince George’s County Department of Public Works and Transportation

1 (DPW&T) has submitted applications to the FTA for financial assistance under Section 5339 for  
2 the Low-No Program; and

3 WHEREAS, DPW&T has submitted applications to the MDOT-MTA for financial  
4 assistance from the following state funding programs: (1) Section 5311 Funds; (2) the Large  
5 Urban Program State Funds; and (3) the ADA Operating Fund; and

6 WHEREAS, the County aims to utilize minority business enterprises to the fullest extent  
7 possible in connection with the programs and/or projects listed in the County's applications and  
8 shall establish and administer procedures to ensure that minority businesses have the maximum  
9 construction, supplies, equipment, consultant and other service contracts; and

10 WHEREAS, as a condition of awarding federal and state transportation funding through the  
11 ATP, PTP and ADA, the FTA and MTA require the governing body of Prince George's County,  
12 by resolution, to authorize the filing of the aforesaid applications.

13 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the County Council of Prince George's  
14 County, Maryland, that the filing of the aforesaid applications for Fiscal Year 2021 be endorsed.

15 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Prince George's County Executive is hereby  
16 requesting to endorse this Resolution, thereby indicating approval thereof.

17 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that copies of this resolution shall be sent to the Maryland  
18 Transit Administration of the Maryland Department of Transportation.  
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Adopted this 29th day of September, 2020.

COUNTY COUNCIL OF PRINCE  
GEORGE'S COUNTY, MARYLAND

BY: \_\_\_\_\_  
Todd M. Turner  
Council Chair

ATTEST:

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Donna J. Brown  
Clerk of the Council

BY: \_\_\_\_\_  
Angela D. Alsobrooks  
County Executive