PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY GOVERNMENT
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County Executive

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The Honorable Todd M. Turner
Council Chair
Prince George's County Council
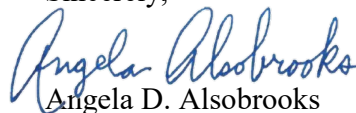County Administration Building
Upper Marlboro, Maryland 20772

Dear Council Chair Turner:

Enclosed for the County Council's consideration is a resolution for appropriating funding from grants in the amount of $410,254.55 for fiscal year 2020. This request for additional appropriation authority will support new and/or continuing grant program efforts of four agencies. The new funding includes $81,989 of grant resources dedicated to support the County's COVID-19 response. The agencies requesting additional appropriations are listed below:

- The Office of the State's Attorney will need an adjustment totaling $156,239 for two programs. Funding will support personnel costs to prosecute and imprison repeat offenders and emergency shelter assistance.

- The Department of Family Services will need an adjustment totaling $63,486 for four programs. Funding will provide residential living support to individuals at least 62 years of age, advocacy services to residents living in long-term care nursing homes and assisted living facilities, assistance to survivors of domestic violence to improve their safety and become self-sufficient and provide meals to residents aged 60 and over.

- The Department of Housing and Community Development will need an adjustment totaling $80,029.55 for two programs. Funding will support assistance to first-time homebuyers to purchase property in the county and victims of unfair banking practices.

- The Health Department will need an adjustment totaling $110,500 for two programs. Funding will support fees collected for dental services and clean needle exchange services.

The Council's favorable consideration of this legislation is greatly appreciated. If you have any questions, please contact my office or Stanley Earley, Director of the Office of Management and Budget, at (301) 952-3300.

Sincerely,

Angela D. Alsobrooks
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Enclosures