

County Council of Howard County, Maryland

2009 Legislative Session

Legislative Day No. 7

Resolution No. 56-2009

Introduced by: The Chairperson

A RESOLUTION appointing the members of the Compensation Review Commission; providing that the Commission shall by resolution adopted no later than December 15, 2009 set the compensation and allowances of the County Council to be elected in November 2010; providing that the Commission shall also make a recommendation concerning compensation and allowances of the County Executive to be elected in November 2010; and providing that the commission shall terminate on April 30, 2010.

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Introduced and read first time June 1, 2009.

By order Stephen M. LeGendre  
Stephen M. LeGendre, Administrator

Read for a second time at a public hearing on June 15, 2009.

By order Stephen M. LeGendre  
Stephen M. LeGendre, Administrator

This Resolution was read the third time and was Adopted , Adopted with amendments , Failed , Withdrawn , by the County Council on July 6, 2009.

Certified By Stephen M. LeGendre  
Stephen M. LeGendre, Administrator

NOTE: ~~[[text in brackets]]~~ indicates deletions from existing law; TEXT IN SMALL CAPITALS indicates additions to existing law; Strike-out indicates material deleted by amendment; Underlining indicates material added by amendment.

1 **WHEREAS**, a seven member Compensation Review Commission is established and is  
2 empowered to set compensation and allowances to be paid the members of the County  
3 Council pursuant to the authority of Article 25A, Section 5(AA) of the Annotated Code of  
4 Maryland and Section 202(d) of the Howard County Charter and Subtitle 1. Compensation  
5 Review Commission of Title 5 County Council of the Howard County Code; and

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7 **WHEREAS**, pursuant to Section 302(e) of the Howard County Charter, the Compensation  
8 Review Commission shall review the County Executive's compensation and allowances  
9 and make recommendations to the County Council regarding same.

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11 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the County Council of Howard County,  
12 Maryland, this 6<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2009 that the following residents of  
13 Howard County be and they are hereby appointed to the Compensation Review  
14 Commission:

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16 Philip Wright  
17 5161 Harpers Farm Road  
18 Columbia, MD 21044

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20 Howard M. Rensin  
21 P.O. Box 64  
22 Glenelg, MD 21737

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24 Allen Cornell  
25 15257 Bucks Run Drive  
26 Woodbine, MD 21797

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28 Craig Thompson  
29 2137 Grant Farm Court  
30 Marriottsville, MD 21104

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32 Steve Sass  
33 6425 River Run  
34 Columbia, MD 21044

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36 Mary Marker  
37 7131 Willow Brook Way  
38 Columbia, MD 21046-2607  
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1 Damani Ingram  
2 9193 Carriage House Lane  
3 Columbia, MD 21045  
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6 The Commission shall elect from its members a chairperson, a vice chairperson and such  
7 other officers as it shall deem appropriate.

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9 **AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the Commission shall by resolution submit its  
10 recommendations to the County Council not later than December 15, 2009 relative to the  
11 compensation and allowances of the County Executive and County Council to be elected in  
12 November 2010. The Commission may recommend an increase or decrease in the  
13 compensation and allowances paid to the County Executive and members of the County  
14 Council but in no event may compensation be less than provided in the Howard County  
15 Charter.

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17 **AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the Commission shall also submit its  
18 recommendation to the County Council concerning compensation and allowances of the  
19 County Executive to be elected in November 2010.

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21 **AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the commission shall hold public hearings  
22 which shall be advertised at least two weeks in advance in at least one newspaper of  
23 general circulation in Howard County. Notice of all meetings, public hearings and work  
24 sessions of the Commission shall also be posted on the County Council bulletin board at  
25 least two weeks in advance of such sessions.

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27 **AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the Commission shall terminate and cease to  
28 function on April 30, 2010.

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