

COUNTY COUNCIL OF BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND  
Legislative Session 2019, Legislative Day No. 8

Bill No. 20-19

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Mr. Tom Quirk, Chairman  
By Request of County Executive

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By the County Council, April 15, 2019

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A BILL  
ENTITLED

AN ACT concerning

Income Tax

FOR the purpose of increasing the county income tax imposed by the State; and generally relating to income taxes.

By repealing and reenacting, with amendments

Section 11-4-501  
Subtitle 5. Income Tax  
Title 4. Various Taxes  
Article 11. Taxation  
Baltimore County Code, 2015

WHEREAS, Baltimore County is authorized by law to increase tax rates; and

WHEREAS, the tax increase proposed in this Act was advertised once each week in two newspapers of general circulation in the county for two weeks; and

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EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.  
[Brackets] indicate matter stricken from existing law.  
~~Strike out~~ indicates matter stricken from bill.  
Underlining indicates amendments to bill.

WHEREAS, the County Council held a hearing on the tax increased in this Act on April 30, 2019; now, therefore

1 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE COUNTY COUNCIL OF BALTIMORE  
2 COUNTY, MARYLAND, that the Laws of Baltimore County shall read as follows:

3 Article 11. Taxation

4 § 11-4-501.

5 Beginning January 1, [2002] 2020, and for each year thereafter, there is an income tax of  
6 [2.83%] 3.20% of the Maryland taxable income of the residents of the county.

7 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, that this Act shall take effect 45 days  
8 from the date of enactment.