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House Bill 1511  
Appropriations

(Delegates Malone and DeBoy)

Budget and Taxation

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**Baltimore County - Arbutus Community Center Loan of 2000**

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This bill changes the name of the Baltimore County – Arbutus Community Center Loan of 2000 to the Baltimore County – Arbutus Community Facility Loan of 2000. The bill also: (1) authorizes the proceeds to be used for construction of the Arbutus Community Facility; and (2) extends the deadline, from June 1, 2004 to June 1, 2006, for the County Executive and County Council of Baltimore County, as grantee, to provide matching funds for the project.

The bill takes effect June 1, 2004.

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**Fiscal Summary**

**State Effect:** None. Altering the purpose of the project and extending the deadline for the provision of matching funds would not materially affect State finances.

**Local Effect:** Baltimore County would have additional time to have its match certified by the Board of Public Works.

**Small Business Effect:** None.

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**Analysis**

**Current Law:** Chapter 317 of 2000, as amended by Chapter 168 of 2002, authorized up to \$250,000 in matching funds for the acquisition, renovation, repair, reconstruction, and capital equipping of an existing building in Arbutus, Baltimore County, for the Arbutus Community Center.

**Background:** Baltimore County allocated funds sufficient to meet the required match for the project in its fiscal 2002 budget. The building that the county originally intended to use for the project has been deemed unsuitable. The county now intends to construct a new building to house the facility on county-owned land in the Arbutus area.

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### **Additional Information**

**Prior Introductions:** None.

**Cross File:** SB 910 (Senators Stone and Kasemeyer) (By Request – Baltimore County Administration) – Budget and Taxation.

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