

# HOUSE BILL 1390

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By: **St. Mary's County Delegation**

Introduced and read first time: February 12, 2014

Assigned to: Rules and Executive Nominations

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## A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **St. Mary's County – Public Officials – Salaries**

3 FOR the purpose of altering the salary of the Treasurer of St. Mary's County, the  
4 Sheriff of St. Mary's County, the Judges of the Orphans' Court for St. Mary's  
5 County, the President of the Board of County Commissioners of St. Mary's  
6 County, and the County Commissioners of St. Mary's County; providing for the  
7 application of this Act; and generally relating to the salaries of public officials of  
8 St. Mary's County.

9 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,  
10 Article – Local Government  
11 Section 16–203  
12 Annotated Code of Maryland  
13 (2013 Volume)

14 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,  
15 Article – Courts and Judicial Proceedings  
16 Section 2–309(t)  
17 Annotated Code of Maryland  
18 (2013 Replacement Volume and 2013 Supplement)

19 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,  
20 Article – Estates and Trusts  
21 Section 2–108(s)  
22 Annotated Code of Maryland  
23 (2011 Replacement Volume and 2013 Supplement)

24 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,  
25 The Public Local Laws of St. Mary's County  
26 Section 26–3A.  
27 Article 19 – Public Local Laws of Maryland

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EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.



1 (2007 Edition and February 2013 Supplement, as amended)

2 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF  
3 MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

4 **Article – Local Government**

5 16–203.

6 (a) The annual salary of the County Treasurer of St. Mary’s County is  
7 **[\$48,000]:**

8 **(1) \$50,000 FOR CALENDAR YEAR 2015;**

9 **(2) \$50,500 FOR CALENDAR YEAR 2016;**

10 **(3) \$51,005 FOR CALENDAR YEAR 2017; AND**

11 **(4) \$51,515 FOR CALENDAR YEAR 2018.**

12 (b) The County Treasurer of St. Mary’s County shall devote full time to the  
13 duties of office.

14 **Article – Courts and Judicial Proceedings**

15 2–309.

16 (t) (1) The annual salary of the Sheriff of St. Mary’s County shall be:

17 (i) **[\$76,000] \$100,000** for the calendar year **[2007] 2015;**

18 (ii) **[\$78,000] \$102,000** for the calendar year **[2008] 2016;**

19 (iii) **[\$80,000] \$104,040** for the calendar year **[2009] 2017;** and

20 (iv) **[\$82,000] \$106,120** for the calendar year **[2010] 2018.**

21 (2) The Sheriff shall devote full time to the duties of office.

22 **Article – Estates and Trusts**

23 2–108.

24 (s) (1) Each of the judges of the Court for St. Mary’s County shall receive  
25 an annual salary of:

- 1 (i) ~~[\$6,000]~~ **\$9,000** for the calendar year ~~[2007]~~ **2015**;
- 2 (ii) ~~[\$6,500]~~ **\$9,000** for the calendar year ~~[2008]~~ **2016**;
- 3 (iii) ~~[\$7,000]~~ **\$9,000** for the calendar year ~~[2009]~~ **2017**; and
- 4 (iv) ~~[\$7,500]~~ **\$9,000** for the calendar year ~~[2010]~~ **2018**.

5 (2) Each judge shall also be allowed \$1,000 annually for traveling  
6 expenses, payable quarterly.

7 **Article 19 – St. Mary’s County**

8 26–3.

9 A. Salaries.

10 (1) The President of the County Commissioners shall receive a salary  
11 of:

12 (a) ~~[Twenty–four thousand dollars (\$24,000.00) for]~~ **\$43,430**  
13 **FOR THE** calendar year ~~[1991]~~ **2015**;

14 (b) ~~[Twenty–five thousand dollars (\$25,000.00) for]~~ **\$43,864**  
15 **FOR THE** calendar year ~~[1992]~~ **2016**;

16 (c) ~~[Twenty–six thousand dollars (\$26,000.00) for]~~ **\$44,303**  
17 **FOR THE** calendar year ~~[1993]~~ **2017**; **AND**

18 (d) ~~[Twenty–seven thousand dollars (\$27,000.00) for]~~ **\$44,746**  
19 **FOR THE** calendar year ~~[1994;]~~ **2018**.

20 ~~[(e) Forty thousand dollars (\$40,000.00) for the calendar year~~  
21 ~~2007;~~

22 ~~(f) Forty–one thousand dollars (\$41,000.00) for the calendar~~  
23 ~~year 2008;~~

24 ~~(g) Forty–two thousand dollars (\$42,000.00) for the calendar~~  
25 ~~year 2009; and~~

26 ~~(h) Forty–three thousand dollars (\$43,000.00) for the calendar~~  
27 ~~year 2010.]~~

28 (2) Each other Commissioner shall receive a salary of:

1 (a) [Eighteen thousand dollars (\$18,000.00) for] **\$38,380 FOR**  
2 **THE** calendar year [1991] **2015**;

3 (b) [Nineteen thousand dollars (\$19,000.00) for] **\$38,764 FOR**  
4 **THE** calendar year [1992] **2016**;

5 (c) [Twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000.00) for] **\$39,152 FOR**  
6 **THE** calendar year [1993] **2017**; **AND**

7 (d) [Twenty-one thousand dollars (\$21,000.00) for] **\$39,544**  
8 **FOR THE** calendar year [1994;] **2018**.

9 [(e) Thirty-five thousand dollars (\$35,000.00) for calendar year  
10 2007;

11 (f) Thirty-six thousand dollars (\$36,000.00) for calendar year  
12 2008;

13 (g) Thirty-seven thousand dollars (\$37,000.00) for calendar  
14 year 2009; and

15 (h) Thirty-eight thousand dollars (\$38,000.00) for calendar year  
16 2010.]

17 (3) The Attorney to the County Commissioners shall receive an annual  
18 salary as determined by the Commissioners.

19 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That, pursuant to Article III, §  
20 35 of the Maryland Constitution, this Act may not be construed to extend or apply to  
21 the salary or compensation of the Treasurer of St. Mary's County, the Sheriff of St.  
22 Mary's County, the Judges of the Orphans' Court for St. Mary's County, the President  
23 of the Board of County Commissioners of St. Mary's County, or the County  
24 Commissioners of St. Mary's County while serving in a term of office beginning before  
25 the effective date of this Act, but the provisions of this Act concerning the salary or  
26 compensation of the Treasurer of St. Mary's County, the Sheriff of St. Mary's County,  
27 the Judges of the Orphans' Court for St. Mary's County, the President of the Board of  
28 County Commissioners of St. Mary's County, and the County Commissioners of St.  
29 Mary's County shall take effect at the beginning of the next following term of office.  
30 This limitation does not apply to an individual appointed or elected after the effective  
31 date of this Act to fill out an unexpired term.

32 SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect  
33 October 1, 2014.