

COUNTY COUNCIL OF WICOMICO COUNTY, MARYLAND LEGISLATIVE SESSION, 2022 BILL No. 2022-01

Introduced: February 1, 2022

BY: The Council President

AN ACT to amend Chapter 18 of the Wicomico County Code, titled "Compensation and Allowance Commission", Section 3 titled "Compensation for County Council members", to provide for the compensation of members of the Wicomico County Council.

WHEREAS, the County Council of Wicomico County has heretofore received the report of the County Council Compensation and Allowance Commission for Wicomico County, dated December 21, 2021, as provided for in Chapter 18 of the Wicomico County Code, and, as a result of said report, deems it advisable to adjust the compensation to be paid to the members of the Wicomico County Council, commencing with the County Council elected in 2022;

SECTION I: BE IT ENACTED AND ORDAINED BY THE COUNTY COUNCIL OF WICOMICO COUNTY, MARYLAND, IN LEIGSLATIVE SESSION, that Chapter 18, Section 3 of the Wicomico County Code titled "Compensation for County Council members" be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

CHAPTER 18

Compensation and Allowance Commission

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§ 18-3 Compensation for County Council members.

Commencing with the installation of the County Council elected at the general election in November of 1994-2022, compensation to be paid to the members of the Wicomico County Council will be (\$16,000) TWENTY-ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$21,000) a year to each member of the Council; (\$17,000.00) TWENTY-THREE THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$23,000) a year to the Vice-President of the Council while serving in that capacity; and (\$18,000.00) TWENTY-FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$25,000) a year to the President of said Council while serving in that capacity. In addition to the above compensation, each member shall receive allowances for traveling and any other necessary expenses actually incurred in the exercise of his official duties. Such allowances for traveling and any other necessary expenses incurred by the members of the Wicomico County Council in the exercise of their official duties shall be provided for in the annual operating budget of Wicomico County.

SECTION II: BE IT FURTHER ENACTED THAT this Bill shall be known as Bill No. 2022-01 of Wicomico County, Maryland and shall take effect sixty (60) days after its final passage, unless a proper Petition for Referendum thereof shall be filed prior to said date, in which event, the Bill shall not take effect until the expiration of thirty (30) days following the approval of this Bill by a majority of the qualified voters of the County voting in any such referendum.

Certified correct as passed and adopted by the County Council of Wicomico County, Maryland, this 1st day of March, 2022.

COUNTY COUNCIL OF WICOMICO COUNTY, MARYLAND

2022 Legislative Session

Legislative Day No. 02

LEGISLATIVE BILL NO. 2022-01

INTRODUCED BY: President of the Council	
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Introduced and read first time on <u>February 1, 2022</u> . Ordered po 6:00 p.m.	aura Hurley, Council Administrator
PUBLIC HEARING: Having been posted and notice of time and paccording to the Charter, the Bill was read for a second time at	
<u>CERTIFICATION:</u> The undersigned hereby certifies that this Bill will will be with the many land, on the 1st day of March, 2022.	was Approved and Adopted by the County Council of Across H was H was Harring Harris Harring
Presented to the Acting County Executive for approval this 200	day of Mouch, 2022 at 9:50 a.m. (5 days §411
Acting County Executive	PPROVED 3/3/2022 Oate:
BY THE COUNCIL:	Date:
Option One: This Bill, having been approved by the Acting County Executive and returned to the Council, becomes law on Morch 3, 2022 and effective on: and effective on: (60 days §311)	
Option Two: This Bill, having received neither the approval nor 21 days of its presentation, stands enacted on (60 days §311)	
Option Three: This Bill, being exempt from the Executive Veto s becomes effective on (Charter Section	
ENROLLMENT: Legislative Bill No. 2022-01 is herewith submitted to the County Council of Wicomico County for enrollment as being the text as finally passed. Laura Hurley, Council Administrator	

WICOMICO COUNTY, MARYLAND

BY: John T. Cannon, President

BY: Laura Hurley, Secretary

I HEREBY CERTIFY that copies of the above Bill are available to the public, the press and other news media at the time of its introduction.

Laura Hurley, Secretary

Explanation:

CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

Strike out indicates material deleted from law.

CAPITAL - STRIKE OUT indicates matter stricken from Bill by Amendment.

Underlining indicates Amendments to Bill.