

Resolution No.: 18-376  
Introduced: January 12, 2016  
Adopted: January 19, 2016

**COUNTY COUNCIL  
FOR MONTGOMERY COUNTY, MARYLAND**

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Lead Sponsor: Council President at the Request of the County Executive

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**SUBJECT:** Resolution to Support an Application Submitted by the Literacy Council of Montgomery County, Maryland, Inc. (LCMC) to the Community Investment Tax Credit Program for Acquiring Tax Credits

**Background**

1. The State of Maryland Department of Housing and Community Development (MDDHCD), has established the Community Investment Tax Credit Program.
2. The Community Investment Tax Credit Program (CITC) is a part of the Smart Growth initiative designed to promote efforts to support a variety of projects for special populations, to provide a source of funds for assistance, and to support projects undertaken by the nonprofit sector.
3. CITC provides tax credits to corporations that donate funds to nonprofit organizations that provide services and projects to special populations throughout the state.
4. The Literacy Council of Montgomery County, Maryland, Inc. (LCMC) is a nonprofit organization that provides educational services to all residents who seek to improve their basic literacy skills including immigrant populations who speak English as a second language. Adults with greater literacy skills are able to provide better support for their families and can participate more fully in society.
5. Montgomery County supports the provision of literacy services for immigrant populations and all residents and the benefits gained, including an improved quality of life and greater self-sufficiency.
6. The LCMC has applied to MDDHCD for an allocation of \$20,000 in tax credits to support its Adult Literacy Programs.

7. The County Executive and the County Council support the application of the Literacy Council of Montgomery County, Maryland, Inc. for \$20,000 in tax credits. This support is given as specified in COMAR 5.14.01.05B(10)(a).

**Action**

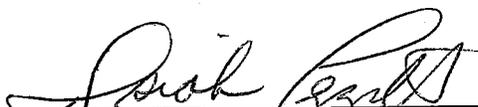
The County Council for Montgomery County, Maryland approves the following Resolution:

Montgomery County supports the application of the Literacy Council of Montgomery County, Maryland, Inc. for an allocation of \$20,000 in tax credit funds under the Community Investment Tax Credit Program to support its Adult Literacy Programs.

This is a correct copy of Council action:



Linda M. Lauer, Clerk of the Council

  
Isiah Leggett, County Executive

Feb 1, 2016  
Date