

Resolution No.: 18-608  
Introduced: September 27, 2016  
Adopted: September 27, 2016

**COUNTY COUNCIL  
FOR MONTGOMERY COUNTY, MARYLAND**

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Lead Sponsor: County Council

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**SUBJECT:** Repeal of Executive Regulation 01-05AM, *Medical Standards for Operational Members and Candidates of the Montgomery County Fire and Rescue Service*

**Background**

1. Executive Regulation 01-05AM requires all incumbent Montgomery County firefighters/rescues, career as well as volunteer, and candidates applying for those positions, to successfully complete a medical evaluation that complies with the provisions of the National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) 1582, Standard on Comprehensive Occupational Medical Program for Fire Departments, 2003 Edition, with the exceptions of Chapter 8 and Annex C.T. The Fire Chief has prepared a new Montgomery County Fire and Rescue Service (MCFRS) policy, *Medical Standards for Operational Members and Candidates of MCFRS*, to replace this regulation, which pre-dates the current structure of the MCFRS. As a result, Executive Regulation 01-05AM is obsolete and conflicts with the current structure of the MCFRS.
2. On August 9, 2016, the County Council received the Executive's request to repeal Executive Regulation 01-05AM, *Medical Standards for Operational Members and Candidates of the Montgomery County Fire and Rescue Service*.
3. The Public Safety Committee reviewed repeal request on September 19, 2016, and recommended approval.
4. Section 2A-15(f)(1) of the County Code provides that to repeal an adopted regulation, an issuer must use the procedure under which the regulation was adopted. Executive Regulation 01-05AM was adopted under Method (2). Under Method (2), if the Council does not approve or disapprove a regulation within 60 days after the Council receives the regulation, it is automatically approved and takes effect the day after the deadline for approval, or a later date specified in the regulation.

**Action**

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

Executive Regulation 01-05AM, *Medical Standards for Operational Members and Candidates of the Montgomery County Fire and Rescue Service*, is repealed.

This is a correct copy of Council action.

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Linda M. Lauer, Clerk of the Council