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COUNTY COUNCIL FOR MONTGOMERY COUNTY, MARYLAND

By: Council President on behalf of the Committee to Study the Compensation of the County
Executive, County Council, Sheriff, and State's Attorney

AN ACT to:

- (1) modify the compensation of the County Executive, County Council, Sheriff, and State's Attorney; and
- (2) generally amend the law relating to compensation of elected officials.

By amending

Montgomery County Code
Montgomery County Code
Chapter 1A, Structure of County Government
1A-106

Chapter 2, Administration
Sections 2-7 and 2-123A

Boldface	<i>Heading or defined term.</i>
<u>Underlining</u>	<i>Added to existing law by original bill.</i>
[Single boldface brackets]	<i>Deleted from existing law by original bill.</i>
<u>Double underlining</u>	<i>Added by amendment.</i>
[[Double boldface brackets]]	<i>Deleted from existing law or the bill by amendment.</i>
* * *	<i>Existing law unaffected by bill.</i>

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

1 **Sec. 1. Sections 1A-106, 2-7, and 2-123A are amended as follows:**

2 **1A-106. Salaries of the County Executive and Councilmembers.**

3 (a) *Salary of County Executive.* Except as provided in subsection (c), the
4 County Executive must receive an annual salary of:

- 5 (1) [\$163,000 beginning on December 4, 2006;
6 (2) \$167,000 beginning on December 3, 2007;
7 (3) \$171,000 beginning on December 1, 2008; and
8 (4)] \$175,000 beginning on December 7, 2009; and
9 (2) \$180,250 beginning on December 3, 2012.

10 (b) *Salary of Councilmembers.*

11 (1) Except as provided in paragraph (2) and subsection (c), a
12 Councilmember must receive an annual salary of:

- 13 (A) [\$84,721 beginning on December 4, 2006; and
14 (B) \$89,721 beginning on December 3, 2007]
15 \$94,595 beginning on December 6, 2009;
16 (B) \$99,325 beginning on December 5, 2011; and
17 (C) \$104,291 beginning on December 3, 2012.

18 (2) The Council President must receive an additional amount equal
19 to 10% of the salary of other Councilmembers.

20 (c) *Annual adjustments.*

21 (1) Beginning on [December 1, 2008] December 2, 2013, the
22 salaries of the Councilmembers must be increased [each year on
23 the first Monday in December] by the lower of:

- 24 (A) the annual average percentage increase, if any, in the
25 Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers for the
26 Washington-Baltimore Metropolitan Area, or any

27 successor index, for the 12 months preceding [October]
28 September 1 of that year; or

29 (B) the amount of the general wage adjustment for members
30 of the Service, Labor, and Trades and the Office,
31 Professional, and Technical bargaining units established
32 in Section 33-105 for fiscal year 2014.

33 (2) Beginning on [December 6, 2010] December 2, 2013, the salary
34 of the County Executive must be increased [each year on the
35 first Monday in December] by the lower of:

36 (A) the annual average percentage increase, if any, in the
37 Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers for the
38 Washington-Baltimore Metropolitan Area, or any
39 successor index, for the 12 months preceding [October]
40 September 1 of that year; or

41 (B) the amount of the general wage adjustment for members
42 of the Service, Labor, and Trades and the Office,
43 Professional, and Technical bargaining units established
44 in Section 33-105 for fiscal year 2014.

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46 **2-7. Location of Sheriff's office; compensation of Sheriff; required use of**
47 **vehicle.**

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49 (b) *Salary.*

50 (1) Except as provided in paragraph (2), beginning on [December
51 4, 2006] December 6, 2010, the Sheriff must receive an annual
52 salary of [\$125,000] \$154,000.

53 (2) Beginning on [December 1, 2007] December 2, 2013, the
 54 Sheriff's salary must be increased [each year on the annual
 55 anniversary of the first day of the term of office] by the lower
 56 of:

57 (A) the annual average percentage increase, if any, in the
 58 Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers for the
 59 Washington-Baltimore Metropolitan Area, or any
 60 successor index, for the 12 months preceding [October]
 61 September 1 of that year; or

62 (B) the amount of the general wage adjustment for members
 63 of the Police bargaining unit as defined in Section 33-76
 64 for fiscal year 2014.

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66 **2-123A. Compensation of the State's Attorney.**

67 (a) Except as provided in subsection (b), beginning on [January 1, 2007]
 68 January 3, 2011, the State's Attorney must receive an annual salary of
 69 [\$160,000] \$199,000.

70 (b) Beginning on [January 7, 2008] January 6, 2014, the salary of the
 71 State's Attorney must be adjusted annually [on the first Monday in
 72 January] by the lower of:

73 (1) the annual average percentage increase, if any, in the Consumer
 74 Price Index for All Urban Consumers for the Washington-
 75 Baltimore Metropolitan Area, or any successor index, for the 12
 76 months preceding [October] September 1 of that year; or

77 (2) the amount of the general wage adjustment for members of the
 78 Service, Labor, and Trades and the Office, Professional, and

