

Councilmembers should bring their packet from the July 11 Worksession.

M E M O R A N D U M

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TO: Health and Human Services Committee

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SUBJECT: **Worksession 2:** Bill 12-16, Human Rights and Civil Liberties – County Minimum Wage – Amount - Annual Adjustment

Bill 12-16, Human Rights and Civil Liberties – County Minimum Wage – Annual Adjustment, sponsored by Lead Sponsor Councilmember Elrich, and Co-Sponsors Councilmembers Leventhal, Riemer, Navarro and Hucker, was introduced on April 12. A public hearing on the Bill was held on June 21.

Bill 12-16 would:

- increase the County minimum wage by a certain amount;
- require the Chief Administrative Officer to adjust the County minimum wage rate each year; and
- generally amend the laws governing the minimum wage.

Continuation of Discussion from July 11 HHS Committee Worksession

The Health and Human Services (HHS) Committee began its consideration of Bill 12-16 at its worksession on July 11. At that worksession the Committee discussed the first four issues identified in the packet for that worksession.¹ At this worksession, the Committee will continue its discussion of the issues identified in that packet, beginning on page 10.

¹ The packet for the July 11 worksession can be accessed at:
http://www.montgomerycountymd.gov/council/Resources/Files/agenda/cm/2016/160711/20160711_HHS1.pdf