

Resolution No.: 15-1555
Introduced: July 25, 2006
Adopted: July 25, 2006

**COUNTY COUNCIL
FOR MONTGOMERY COUNTY, MARYLAND**

By: County Council

SUBJECT: Designation of Full-time member who serves as Chairman or Vice-Chairman of the Maryland-National Capital Park and Planning Commission; Appointment of Chair of Montgomery County Planning Board; Authorization of Supplemental Salary and Leave

Background

1. Derick Berlage's term as a member of the Maryland-National Capital Park and Planning Commission expired on June 14, 2006. As a member of the Maryland-National Capital Park and Planning Commission, Mr. Berlage was designated by the Council to serve as Chairman or Vice Chairman of the Commission and as Chairman of the Montgomery County Planning Board.
2. Article 28, §2-104, of the Maryland Code authorizes the Council to designate a member to serve on a full-time basis if the member has been designated to serve as Chairman or Vice Chairman of the Commission.
3. Article 28, §2-104, of the Maryland Code states that "for any member designated by Montgomery County to serve on a full-time basis, the County Council, with approval of the County Executive, may authorize whatever supplementary salary as may be appropriate".
4. Article 28, §2-102, of the Maryland Code provides that the term of office of each member of the Commission is four years and in Montgomery County a person may not be appointed for three consecutive, full terms.
5. Current Commission members are: Derick Berlage, Chairman (Democrat); Allison Bryant (Republican); Wendy Collins Perdue (Democrat); John Robinson (Democrat); and Meredith K. Wellington (Republican).
6. The designation of a full-time Commissioner and Chairman of the Planning Board is before the Council for approval.

Action

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

1. Supplementary Salary Authorization

The Chairman of the Montgomery County Planning Board must receive a salary of \$150,000 including the mandatory salary provided under State law. The salary must be adjusted on the annual anniversary of the first day of the term of office by a percentage which is 75 percent of the percentage increase in the Washington-Baltimore Metropolitan Area Consumer Price Index of all urban consumers for May from the preceding May.

2. Leave

The Montgomery County Planning Board Chairman must accrue leave on the basis of four weeks per year for vacation and personal leave.

3. Designation as Full-time member and as Chairman or Vice-Chairman

Royce Hanson, 18932 North Meadow Fence Road, Montgomery Village, Maryland 20886, is designated as Chairman or Vice-Chairman of the Maryland-National Capital Park and Planning Commission. In that capacity Royce Hanson is designated to serve as Chairman of the Montgomery County Planning Board until June 14, 2010.

4. Effective Date

The effective date of the supplementary salary and leave authorized in this resolution is the date that the resolution is approved by the County Executive.

This is a correct copy of Council action.



Linda M. Lauer, Clerk of the Council

Approved:


Douglas M. Duncan, County Executive

7/27/06
Date