

Resolution No.:	18-837
Introduced:	June 13, 2017
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**COUNTY COUNCIL
FOR MONTGOMERY COUNTY, MARYLAND**

Lead Sponsor: County Council

SUBJECT: Appointment of Inspector General

Background


1. Section 2-151 of the County Code establishes the Office of Inspector General to: review the effectiveness and efficiency of programs and operations of County government and independent County agencies; prevent and detect fraud, waste, and abuse in government activities; and propose ways to increase the legal, fiscal, and ethical accountability of County government departments and County-funded agencies.
2. Section 2-151 specifies that the Inspector General is appointed for a term of four years and must be professionally qualified, by experience or education, in auditing, government operations, or financial management, and must be selected solely on the basis of professional ability and personal integrity, without regard to political affiliation.
3. Resolution 17-106, adopted April 26, 2011, appointed Edward L. Blansitt III as Inspector General to fill the unexpired term of the previous Inspector General through June 30, 2013. Resolution 17-785, adopted June 25, 2013, reappointed Mr. Blansitt to his first full term through June 30, 2017.

Action

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

Edward L. Blansitt III is reappointed to a second term as Inspector General, in County pay grade 40, effective July 1, 2017, until June 30, 2021, or until a successor has been appointed.

This is a correct copy of Council action.



Linda M. Lauer, Clerk of the Council