

APPROVED

**COUNTY COUNCIL FOR MONTGOMERY COUNTY, MARYLAND**  
**MANAGEMENT AND FISCAL POLICY COMMITTEE**

Thursday, July 11, 1996  
10:15 A.M. to 11:45 A.M.  
Council Conference Room

PRESENT

Marilyn J. Praisner, Chair

William E. Hanna, Jr.

Neal Potter

**SUBJECT: Emergency Bill 21-96, Collective Bargaining - Firefighters**

Mr. Faden, Senior Legislative Attorney, reviewed for the Committee the issues contained in his memorandum and attachments, dated July 11, 1996.

**ACTION:** Recommended enactment of Bill 21-96 with amendments jointly proposed by the Office of Human Resources and the International Association of Firefighters Local 1664, as modified by the Committee; deferred other issues not unique to this bargaining unit for future legislation.

**SUBJECT: Review of Procurement Law and Executive Regulations**

**ACTION:** Reviewed information and recommendations provided in the Council Staff memorandum, dated July 10, 1996.

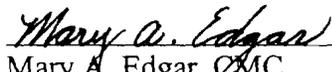
Requested that a letter be sent to those persons who testified in 1994 on the comprehensive provisions to the procurement law and regulations to solicit their comments on how the county's procurement system is working.

Requested Council staff review the law regarding the procurement of recycled materials and the recommendations included in the Office of Procurement's FY 95 report and return to the Committee with recommendations for any necessary changes.

Noted that the Council will continue to separately review the Minority, Female, and Disabled procurement law, and requested that the Executive submit or Council staff prepare legislation on behalf of the Committee to extend the sunset date for the MFD program to allow for an appropriate amount of time to review the evaluation report being prepared by the Executive's consultant.

Stated that the Committee would consider the Office of Procurement's recommended changes to the cost and price analysis law during its review of cost and price analysis in the FY 98 operating budget.

This is an accurate account of the meeting:

  
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Mary A. Edgar, CMC  
Secretary of the Council

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