

Bill No. 11-09  
Concerning: Fire and Rescue  
Commission - Compensation  
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## COUNTY COUNCIL FOR MONTGOMERY COUNTY, MARYLAND

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By: Council President Andrews, Council Vice-President Berliner,  
and Councilmembers Trachtenberg and Floreen

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**AN ACT** to:

- (1) abolish compensation for members of the Fire and Rescue Commission; and
- (2) generally amend the law regarding the Fire and Rescue Commission.

By amending

Montgomery County Code  
Chapter 21, Fire and Rescue Services  
Section 21-2

<b>Boldface</b>	<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:*

**Sec. 1. Section 21-2 is amended as follows:**

**21-2. Fire and Rescue Commission.**

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(c) *Compensation.* [Compensation for commission members is established by the County Council in the annual operating budget.] A Commission member [who is a County employee or employee of a local fire and rescue department] is not entitled to [the same] compensation for service as [any other] a Commissioner[, unless required by any federal or state wage and hour law to receive different compensation]. [Funds for these payments must be included in the budget of the Commission submitted to the Council. The Council must make any changes in compensation when it adopts the annual operating budget.] Commission members must be reimbursed for reasonable expenses for travel and dependent care, as [defined] appropriated in the operating budget.

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**Sec. 2. Applicability.** County Code Section 21-2(c), as amended by Section 1 of this Act, applies to any member of the Fire and Rescue Commission appointed after this Act takes effect.

*Approved:*

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Philip M. Andrews, President, County Council Date

*Approved:*

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Isiah Leggett, County Executive Date

*This is a correct copy of Council action.*

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Linda M. Lauer, Clerk of the Council Date