

Resolution No.: 16-1097
Introduced: July 21, 2009
Adopted: July 28, 2009

**COUNTY COUNCIL
FOR MONTGOMERY COUNTY, MARYLAND**

By: Council President at the Request of the County Executive

SUBJECT: Special Appropriation #10-277 to the FY10 Operating Budget
Montgomery County Government
Department of Health and Human Services
American Recovery and Reinvestment Act - Senior Nutrition, \$206,978

Background

1. Section 308 of the Montgomery County Charter provides that a special appropriation:
(a) may be made at any time after public notice by news release; (b) must state that the special appropriation is necessary to meet an unforeseen disaster or other emergency or to act without delay in the public interest; (c) must specify the revenues necessary to finance it; and (d) must be approved by no fewer than six members of the Council.
2. The County Executive has requested the following FY10 Operating Budget appropriation increases for the Department of Health and Human Services:

<u>Personnel</u> <u>Services</u>	<u>Operating</u> <u>Expenses</u>	<u>Capital</u> <u>Outlay</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Source</u> <u>of Funds</u>
\$0	\$206,978	\$0	\$206,978	Federal ARRA Grant funds

3. This increase is needed because the US Department of Health and Human Services, Administration on Aging has allocated ARRA funds to the Maryland Department of Aging (MDoA) for this purpose. MDoA has awarded these funds to the Area Agency on Aging. This appropriation will fund approximately 34,000 additional meals to County seniors, including 1,100 people who had not participated in the nutrition program before. This grant also includes contractual funds to allow two community-based senior nutrition sites to hire part-time staff. The funds are available to the County through September 2010. This is a formula grant.

4. The County Executive has requested a special appropriation to the FY10 Operating Budget in the amount of \$206,978 for American Recovery and Reinvestment Act funds for the Senior Nutrition program and specifies that the source of funds will be Federal ARRA Grant funds.
5. The public was notified by a news release.

Action

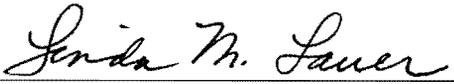
The County Council for Montgomery County, Maryland, approves the following actions:

1. A special appropriation to the FY10 Operating Budget of the Department of Health and Human Services is approved as follows:

<u>Personnel Services</u>	<u>Operating Expenses</u>	<u>Capital Outlay</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Source of Funds</u>
\$0	\$206,978	\$0	\$206,978	Federal ARRA Grant Funds

2. The County Council declares that this action is necessary to act without delay in the public interest, and that this appropriation is needed to meet the emergency.
3. Any funds appropriated in this resolution must not be spent for any purpose until two days after the Council has received from the County Executive a copy of the grant award letter from the Federal or state government which provides all funds to be spent.

This is a correct copy of Council action.



 Linda M. Lauer, Clerk of the Council