

Resolution No.: 16-19  
Introduced: January 16, 2007  
Adopted: January 16, 2007

**COUNTY COUNCIL  
FOR MONTGOMERY COUNTY, MARYLAND**

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By: County Council

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**SUBJECT:** Extension of time for Council action on Memorandum of Agreement between Montgomery County Government and Montgomery County Volunteer Fire and Rescue Association (MCVFRA)

**Background**

1. County Code Section 21-6 establishes a process for Local Fire and Rescue Departments (LFRD's) to select an authorized representative to represent their interests, and requires the Fire Chief to negotiate in good faith with the authorized representative on certain issues affecting LFRD's and their volunteers.
2. The LFRD's selected the Montgomery County Volunteer Fire and Rescue Association (MCVFRA) as their authorized representative.
3. On November 8, 2006, the Council received from the County Executive a Memorandum of Agreement between Montgomery County Government and Montgomery County Volunteer Fire and Rescue Association.
4. Code Section 21-6(p) requires the Executive to submit to the Council any element of an agreement that requires an appropriation of funds, may have a future fiscal impact, is inconsistent with any County law or regulation, or requires the enactment or adoption of any County law or regulation. Section 21-6(q) directs the Council to notify the parties within 60 days if it disapproves an agreement in whole or in part. The Council may by resolution extend the time for action.
5. Under Section 21-6(q), the deadline for Council action was January 6, 2007.

**Action**

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

The time for Council action on the Memorandum of Agreement between Montgomery County Government and Montgomery County Volunteer Fire and Rescue Association is extended, *nunc pro tunc*, until March 31, 2007.

This is a correct copy of Council action.



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Linda M. Lauer, Clerk of the Council