

COUNTY COUNCIL OF ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY, MARYLAND

Legislative Session 2016, Legislative Day No. 30

Resolution No. 33-16

Introduced by Mr. Walker and Mr. Trumbauer

By the County Council, June 6, 2016

1 RESOLUTION urging the Board of Trustees of the Public Library Association of  
2 Annapolis and Anne Arundel County, Inc. to name the Crofton library after the late  
3 Councilman John J. Klocko, III.  
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5 WHEREAS, John J. Klocko, III served with distinction as Councilman for the  
6 Seventh Councilmanic District of Anne Arundel County from December 5, 1994  
7 until his untimely death on October 5, 2002; and  
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9 WHEREAS, before and after his election, Mr. Klocko worked diligently to secure  
10 funding for the Crofton library and was instrumental in seeing the library project  
11 through to completion; and  
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13 WHEREAS, with the cooperation and support of County Executives John Gary  
14 and Janet Owens and Mr. Klocko's colleagues on the County Council, the Crofton  
15 library was funded and built; and  
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17 WHEREAS, the County Council, in 2002, unanimously urged the Board of  
18 Trustees of the Anne Arundel County Library to name the Crofton library in his  
19 honor; and  
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21 WHEREAS, the Board of Trustees of the Public Library Association of Annapolis  
22 and Anne Arundel County, Inc. recently adopted a naming program for County  
23 libraries, a program that was included in a Lease with Anne Arundel County that  
24 was approved by the County Council in Bill No. 29-16; and  
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26 WHEREAS, members of the County Council and citizens of the County still wish  
27 to honor Mr. Klocko's service and dedication to his community, district, and  
28 County and to pay tribute to the memory of the man who so strongly advocated  
29 for the construction of this treasure for the community; now, therefore, be it  
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31 *Resolved by the County Council of Anne Arundel County, Maryland,* That the Board  
32 of Trustees of the Anne Arundel County Library is urged to name the library branch  
33 located in Crofton, Maryland after Councilman John J. Klocko, III; and, be it further  
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35 *Resolved,* that a copy of this resolution shall be sent to the Board of Trustees of the  
36 Anne Arundel County Library and to County Executive, Steven R. Schuh.