COUNTY COUNCIL OF ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY, MARYLAND

Legislative Session 2015, Legislative Day No. 33

Resolution No. 47-15

Introduced by Mr. Peroutka, Mr. Walker, Mr. Grasso and Mr. Fink

By the County Council, September 8, 2015

1 2	Resolution providing notice of intent to decrease participation and phase-out of funding Charitable Organizations through the Government Grant Program in the Anne
3	Arundel County Expense Budget through the Chief Administrative Office.
4 5	WHEREAS the County Council is presented each year with a Council Surgery
6	WHEREAS, the County Council is presented each year with a Current Expense Budget for the Chief Administrative Office that includes a list of charitable
7	organizations who have applied for and qualified for receipt of Government
8	Grants provided by the County; and
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10	WHEREAS, the County Council acknowledges that the Government Grant
11 12	Program of the Chief Administrative Office has become an important source of
13	revenue for certain charitable organizations; and
14	WHEREAS, the County Council recognizes that the Government Grant Program
15	has, in providing the grants, moved forward with funding programs that are
16	separate from the key functions of government and better suited to be funded
17	and managed through private contributions rather than taxpayer dollars; and
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19	WHEREAS, the County Council provides notice by way of this Resolution that,
20 21	in Fiscal Year 2017, organizations that have not received Government Grants
22	from Anne Arundel County in Fiscal Year 2016 will not receive funds from the Government Grant Program of the Chief Administrative Office in future years;
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25	WHEREAS, the County Council further provides that those organizations
26	receiving government grants in Fiscal Year 2016 should expect a 50% reduction
27	in grant funds in Fiscal Year 2017; and
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29 30	WHEREAS, the County Council further states that, beginning in Fiscal Year
31	2018, the Government Grant Program of the Chief Administrative Office will not receive funding from the County Council in the Fiscal Year 2018 Expense
32	Budget for Anne Arundel County or any fiscal year thereafter; now, therefore,
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35	Resolved by the County Council of Anne Arundel County, Maryland, That the

County Council provides notice of its intent to decrease participation and phase-out

funding of charitable organizations through the Government Grant Program in the Anne

Arundel County Expense Budget through the Chief Administrative Office.

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Be it further resolved, That the County Council further recommends to the County Administration that notice of this Resolution be provided within 30 days of the approval of this Resolution to all recipients of grants through the Government Grant Program.

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Be it further resolved, That a copy of this Resolution be forwarded to County Executive Steven R. Schuh.

READ AND PASSED this 21st day of September, 2015

By Order:

Elizabeth E. Jones

Administrative Officer

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT RESOLUTION NO. 47-15 IS TRUE AND CORRECT AND DULY ADOPTED BY THE COUNTY COUNCIL OF ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY.

Jerry Walker Chairman