

COUNTY COUNCIL OF ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY, MARYLAND

Legislative Session 2016, Legislative Day No. 5

Resolution No. 6-16

Introduced by Mr. Fink, Chairman
(by request of the County Executive)

By the County Council, March 7, 2016

A RESOLUTION ENTITLED
Charter Amendment – Compilation of Laws

1 RESOLUTION proposing an amendment to the Charter of Anne Arundel County
2 removing the requirement of recodifying the Anne Arundel County Code at least every ten
3 years

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5 *Be it resolved by the County Council of Anne Arundel County, Maryland, That the*
6 *following amendment to the Anne Arundel County Charter is proposed for submission to the*
7 *qualified voters of the County at the General Election in November 2016:*

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9 **Article X. Miscellaneous**

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11 **Sec. 1007. Compilation of laws.**

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13 (a) **Code of Laws.** At its first annual legislative session and at intervals [not greater than
14 every ten years] thereafter, the County Council shall provide for a compilation and
15 codification of all public local laws of the County, all ordinances of the County Council and all
16 resolutions heretofore adopted by the County Commissioners having the force and effect of
17 law in effect at such times, other than those of a temporary or special character. Each such
18 codification shall be submitted to the County Council, and if adopted by ordinance, shall be
19 known as “The Anne Arundel County Code”. It shall be published in book form, together
20 with this Charter, Local Government Article, §§ 1-702 through 1-706, 9-102, 9-201 through
21 9-207, 10-102, 10-202 through 10-206, 10-302 through 10-330 and 18-301 of the Annotated
22 Code of Maryland (1957 Edition) as amended, an index, and such appropriate notes, citations,
23 annotations and appendices as may be determined by the Office of Law.

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25 (b) **Cumulative Supplement.** As soon as practicable after August 15th of each year, the
26 County Attorney shall cause to be prepared and published a cumulative supplement to the
27 Anne Arundel County Code, with an index and such appropriate notes, citations, annotations
28 and appendices as he may deem desirable or as may be required by the County Council.

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS indicate new matter added to existing law.
[Brackets] indicate matter stricken from existing law.

1 *And be it further resolved*, That the following question is adopted for submittal to the
2 qualified voters of the County at the General Election in November 2016 for their adoption
3 or rejection:
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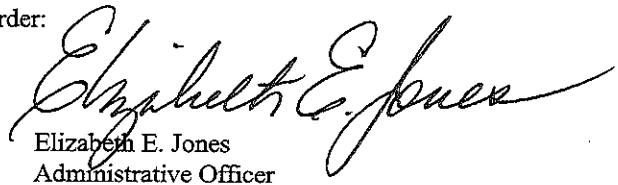
5 “To amend the Anne Arundel County Charter to remove the requirement of recodifying
6 the Anne Arundel County Code at least every ten years.”
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8 *And be it further resolved*, That this question shall be designated as Question “___” on
9 the ballot at the General Election in November 2016.
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11 *And be it further resolved*, That if the majority of qualified votes cast in the election are
12 for the Charter Amendment, this amendment shall stand adopted from and after the 30th
13 day following the election.

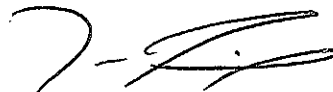
READ AND PASSED this 4th day of April, 2016

By Order:



Elizabeth E. Jones
Administrative Officer

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT RESOLUTION NO. 6-16 IS TRUE AND CORRECT AND DULY ADOPTED
BY THE COUNTY COUNCIL OF ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY.



Derek J. Fink
Chairman