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December 16, 2013

COUNTY COUNCIL OF ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY, MARYLAND

Legislative Session 2013, Legislative Day No. 41

Bill No. 98-13

Introduced by Mr. Ladd, Mr. Walker and Mr. Fink

By the County Council, November 18, 2013

Introduced and first read on November 18, 2013
Public Hearing set for and held on December 16, 2013
Bill AMENDED and VOTED on December 16, 2013
Bill Expires February 21, 2014

By Order: Elizabeth E. Jones, Administrative Officer

A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ORDINANCE concerning: Personnel - Anne Arundel County Fire Department

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3 FOR the purpose of placing certain exempt positions in the Anne Arundel County Fire
4 Department by adding certain positions to the exempt service and deleting positions in the
5 classified service; providing for the pay, pension benefits, and financial disclosure
6 requirements applicable to the positions added to the exempt service; providing for the
7 manner of appointing an Assistant Fire Chief and a Fire Chief of Staff; and generally
8 relating to personnel.

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10 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments: §§ 5-3-103(a)(2)(ii); 5-4-102(9); 6-2-101(a);
11 and 6-2-103 (as amended by Bill No. 72-13)
12 Anne Arundel County Code (2005, as amended)

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14 BY renumbering: § 7-6-101(a)(27) through (87) to be § 7-6-101(a)(29) through (89),
15 respectively (as amended by Bill No. 72-13)
16 Anne Arundel County Code (2005, as amended)

17 BY adding: §7-6-101(a)(25) and (26)
18 Anne Arundel County Code (2005, as amended)

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20 SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the County Council of Anne Arundel County, Maryland,*
21 That § 7-6-101(a)(27) through (87) of the Anne Arundel County Code (2005, as amended)

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS indicate new matter added to existing law.
[Brackets] indicate matter stricken from existing law.
Underlining indicates amendments to bill.
~~Strikeover~~ indicates matter stricken from bill by amendment.

1 (and as amended by Bill No. 72-13) is hereby renumbered to be § 7-6-101(a)(29) through
2 (89), respectively.

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4 SECTION 2. *And be it further enacted*, That Section(s) of the Anne Arundel County
5 Code (2005, as amended) read as follows:

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7 **ARTICLE 5. PENSIONS**

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9 **TITLE 3. EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT PLAN**

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11 **5-3-103. Participants.**

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13 (a) **Generally.** The participants in the plan are the following permanent full-time and
14 permanent part-time employees who work at least 50% of the amount of time specified for
15 the position:

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17 (2) appointed officials and elected officials, except for:

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19 (ii) a Fire Chief OR ASSISTANT FIRE CHIEF who elects to be a participant in the
20 Fire Service Retirement Plan; and

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22 **TITLE 4. FIRE SERVICE RETIREMENT PLAN**

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24 **5-4-102. Participants.**

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26 The participants in the plan are the following paid employees of the County who
27 are making contributions to the plan and are classified as:

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29 (9) BY ELECTION, Assistant Fire Chief; and

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32 **ARTICLE 6. PERSONNEL**

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34 **TITLE 2. EXEMPT SERVICE**

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36 **6-2-101. Exempt pay and benefit plan.**

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38 (a) **Pay grades.** The following officers and employees in the exempt service of the County
39 are entitled to compensation at the indicated pay grade:

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42 Fire Chief E8

43 FIRE CHIEF, ASSISTANT E7

44 FIRE CHIEF OF STAFF E5

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1 **6-2-103. Additional exempt positions.**

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3 In addition to the positions established in § 802 of the Charter for the exempt service,
4 there are the following positions in the exempt service whose number and classification are
5 approved as part of the annual budget and appropriation ordinance, that may not be changed
6 during a fiscal year except as approved by ordinance of the County Council:

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9 (20) Police Chief of Staff (civilian)[.];

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11 (21) ASSISTANT FIRE CHIEF; AND

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13 (22) FIRE CHIEF OF STAFF (CIVILIAN).

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15 **ARTICLE 7. PUBLIC ETHICS**

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17 **TITLE 6. FINANCIAL DISCLOSURE**

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19 **7-6-101. Persons required to file statements.**

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21 (a) **Generally.** Each of the following and each candidate for County Executive or the
22 County Council shall file with the Ethics Commission the statements provided for in this title:

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25 (27) THE ASSISTANT FIRE CHIEF

26 (28) THE FIRE CHIEF OF STAFF

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30 SECTION 3. *And be it further enacted, That, upon the recommendation of the County*
31 *Executive,* the exempt positions of Assistant Fire Chief and Fire Chief of Staff replace two
32 classified positions of Fire Division Chief that are vacant, thereby reducing the number of
33 authorized positions of Fire Division Chief from 11 positions to 9 positions.

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35 SECTION 4. *And be it further enacted, That, upon the recommendation of the County*
36 *Executive,* in accordance with § 6-2-103 of the Anne Arundel County Code (2005, as
37 amended) this Ordinance shall approve an increase in the Exempt Service of an Assistant Fire
38 Chief and a Fire Chief of Staff approved in these classifications as part of the Annual Budget
39 and Appropriation Ordinance.

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41 SECTION 5. *And be it further enacted, That this Ordinance shall take effect 45 days from*
42 *the date it becomes law.*

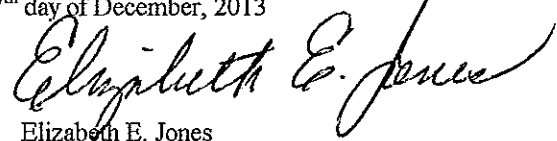
READ AND PASSED this 16th day of December, 2013

By Order:



Elizabeth E. Jones
Administrative Officer

PRESENTED to the County Executive for her approval this 17th day of December, 2013



Elizabeth E. Jones
Administrative Officer

APPROVED AND ENACTED this 20th day of December, 2013



Laura Neuman
County Executive

EFFECTIVE DATE: February 3, 2014

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS IS A TRUE AND CORRECT COPY OF BILL NO.
98-13, THE ORIGINAL OF WHICH IS RETAINED IN THE FILES
OF THE COUNTY COUNCIL.



Elizabeth E. Jones
Administrative Officer