



ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY OFFICE OF LAW

Legislative Summary

To: Members, Anne Arundel County Council

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Subject: Bill No. 8-23 – Personnel – Positions in the Classified Service

This summary was prepared by the Anne Arundel County Office of Law for use by members of the Anne Arundel County Council during consideration of Bill No. 8-23.

Background

Subsection 6-1-201(d) of the County Code sets forth the titles, pay grades, minimum qualifications, and work week for each position in the classified service. As defined in § 6-1-201(b), a “B” work week means 40 hours; a “C” work week means hours as required; and a “D” work week means hours as scheduled.

Section 6-1-110(a) of the County Code provides that “the number and classification of positions, including the number of positions in each classification, in an office or department of County government that are approved as part of the annual budget and appropriation ordinance, shall not be changed during a fiscal year except as approved by ordinance of the County Council.” There are exceptions, which are not applicable here.

Purpose

The purpose of Bill No. 8-23 is to modify the title of Park Ranger to Park Ranger I; add the job classification of Park Ranger II to the classified service; to specify the pay and minimum qualifications applicable to the Park Ranger II classification; to modify the salary for the Police Fleet Coordinator job classification; and to increase and decrease certain park ranger positions in the Department of Recreation and Parks.

Note: This Legislative Summary provides a synopsis of the bill as introduced. It does not address subsequent amendments to the bill.

Bill No. 8-23

SECTION 1.

In § 6-1-201(d)(8) of the County Code, the Grade and Work Week for the Police Fleet coordinator classification in the classified service is changed from NR13B to NR15B.

In § 6-1-201(d)(9), the Title of the job classification Park Ranger in the classified service is changed to Park Ranger I. The job classification Park Ranger II is added to the classified service, with the Grade and Work Week established as R2B and the Minimum Qualifications are listed.

In § 6-1-202(j), the new pay grade of R2 is added and the minimum and maximum annual salaries are established.

SECTION 2.

This section decreases twenty-two Park Ranger positions and increases twenty-two Park Ranger I positions in the Department of Recreation and Parks.

SECTION 3.

This section provides that the bill takes effect 45 days after it becomes law.

The Office of Law is available to answer any additional questions regarding this Bill.
Thank you.

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