

COUNTY COUNCIL OF ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY, MARYLAND

Legislative Session 2019, Legislative Day No. 9

Resolution No. 18-19

Introduced by Mr. Volke

By the County Council, May 1, 2019

A RESOLUTION ENTITLED

1 Charter Amendment – Budgetary and Fiscal Procedures – Income Tax  
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3 RESOLUTION proposing an amendment to the Charter of Anne Arundel County to  
4 place a limit on the local income tax rate in the County  
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6 *Be it resolved by the County Council of Anne Arundel County, Maryland, That the*  
7 *following amendment to the Anne Arundel County Charter is proposed for submission to*  
8 *the qualified voters of the County at the General Election in November 2020:*  
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10 **Article VII. Budgetary and Fiscal Procedures**  
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12 **Sec. 710. Reproduction of budget; effective date; tax levy; appropriations.**  
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14 (E) **Income Tax.** FROM AND AFTER JULY 1, 2021, THE ANNUAL COUNTY INCOME TAX  
15 ON MARYLAND TAXABLE INCOME EARNED BY RESIDENTS OF THE COUNTY MAY NOT  
16 EXCEED 2.50% OR ANY MAXIMUM SET BY STATE LAW THAT IS LESS THAN 2.50%.  
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18 *And be it further resolved, That the following question is adopted for submittal to the*  
19 *qualified voters of the County at the General Election in November 2020 for their adoption*  
20 *or rejection:*  
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22 “To amend the Anne Arundel County Charter to provide that from and after July 1, 2021,  
23 the annual County income tax on Maryland taxable income earned by residents of the  
24 County may not exceed 2.50% or any maximum set by State law that is less than 2.50%.”  
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26 *And be it further resolved, That this question shall be designated as Question “\_\_” on*  
27 *the ballot at the General Election in November 2020.*  
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29 *And be it further resolved, That if the majority of qualified voters cast in the election*  
30 *are for the Charter Amendment, this amendment shall stand adopted from and after the 30<sup>th</sup>*  
31 *day following the election.*