



*Gregory J. Swain, County Attorney*

## MEMORANDUM

**To:** Council Members, Anne Arundel County Council

**From:** Lauren K. Troxell, Assistant County Attorney /s/

**Via:** Gregory J. Swain, County Attorney /s/

**Date:** September 6, 2022

**Subject:** Resolution No. 34-22, Pension Oversight Commission Appointment

---

### Legislative Summary

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 the Resolution No. 34-22 that appoints a County resident to the Pension Oversight Commission (“Commission”).

**Purpose.** The purpose of the resolution is to appoint County resident, Julius Jones to the Commission.

**Background.** Section 606(a) of the Charter provides that there is a Pension Oversight Commission that is independent of both the legislative and executive branches of the County government. The Charter further provides that the Pension Oversight Commission consists of nine members appointed by the County Executive and confirmed by resolution of the County Council. Pursuant to Section 606(b)(2) of the Charter, five members shall be residents of the County who are knowledgeable about pension administration and funding, do not hold an elective or appointed office with the County or the State of Maryland, and are not participants in any retirement plan that the Commission oversees. The term of a member of the Commission is four years.

**Proposed Legislation.** The terms of County resident, Susan Duncan, expired January 31, 2022. The proposed legislation approves the County Executive’s appointment to the Commission of County resident, Julius Jones, to serve an initial term that expires on July 7, 2026.

The Office of Law is available to answer any additional questions regarding the attached resolution. Thank you.

cc: Honorable Steuart Pittman, County Executive  
Dr. Kai Boggess-de Bruin, Chief of Staff  
Matthew Power, Chief Administrative Officer  
Peter Baron, Director of Government Relations  
Chris Trumbauer, Budget Officer  
Staci Gorden, Boards and Commissions Coordinator