

COUNTY COUNCIL OF ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY, MARYLAND

Legislative Session 2020, Legislative Day No. 32

Resolution No. 54-20

Introduced by Ms. Pickard, Chair
(by request of the County Executive)

By the County Council, December 7, 2020

1 RESOLUTION approving the nomination of a member to the Anne Arundel County
2 Human Relations Commission

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4 WHEREAS, Section 3-5A-101 of the County Code provides that there is a Human
5 Relations Commission to be known as the Anne Arundel County Human Relations
6 Commission (“Commission”); and

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8 WHEREAS, Section 3-5A-102 of the County Code provides that the purpose of the
9 Commission is to promote and enhance the ability of all Anne Arundel County
10 residents to pursue their lives free of discrimination; and

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12 WHEREAS, Section 3-5A-103 of the County Code provides that the Commission
13 shall consist of 11 voting members, all of whom shall be residents of the County,
14 nominated by the County Executive and approved by resolution of the County
15 Council; and

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17 WHEREAS, Section 3-5A-103 of the County Code further provides that seven of
18 the members shall be residents of the County, with one from each councilmanic
19 district and recommended by the County Council member of the district; four
20 members shall be recommended by the County Executive; at least four members
21 shall reflect the ethnic and minority diversity of the residents of the County; and at
22 least one member shall be trained in or have experience with mediation; and

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24 WHEREAS, Section 3-5A-104 provides that vacancies shall be filled for an
25 unexpired term in the manner of original appointment; and

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27 WHEREAS, Georgia Noone-Sherrod, a member recommended by the County
28 Executive, was approved to serve an initial two year term commencing on
29 November 18, 2019 and ending on November 17, 2021 via Resolution No. 49-19;
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32 WHEREAS, Georgia Noone-Sherrod resigned and her position remains vacant; and

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34 WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 3-5A-103(a)(2) of the County Code, the County
35 Executive has recommended and nominated, subject to approval by the County
36 Council, Joseph Clapsaddle, a resident of the County, serve the remainder of a term
37 ending November 17, 2021; and

1 WHEREAS, the County Council, after public hearing, finds that Joseph Clapsaddle
2 meets the eligibility requirements under Section 3-5A-103 of the County Code and
3 is qualified to serve on the Commission; now, therefore, be it
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5 *Resolved by the County Council of Anne Arundel County, Maryland,* That it hereby
6 approves the nomination to the Anne Arundel County Human Relations Commission of
7 Joseph Clapsaddle, to serve as recommended by the County Executive, for the remainder
8 of a term ending November 17, 2021; and be it further
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10 *Resolved,* That a copy of this Resolution be sent to Steuart Pittman, County Executive;
11 Kaley Schultze, Boards and Commissions Coordinator and Legislative Assistant; and
12 nominee Joseph Clapsaddle.

READ AND PASSED this 7th day of December, 2020.

By Order:



JoAnne Gray
Administrative Officer

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT RESOLUTION NO. 54-20 IS TRUE AND CORRECT AND DULY
ADOPTED BY THE COUNTY COUNCIL OF ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY.



Sarah F. Lacey
Chair