

COUNTY COUNCIL OF ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY, MARYLAND

Legislative Session 2016, Legislative Day No. 3

Resolution No. 3-16

Introduced by Mr. Grasso

By the County Council, February 1, 2016

1 RESOLUTION urging the Maryland General Assembly to introduce and support an  
2 oversight committee to monitor the Anne Arundel County Board of License  
3 Commissioners

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5 WHEREAS, Article 2B, § 15-101 of the Annotated Code of Maryland provides  
6 for a term of two years for each member of the Anne Arundel County Board of  
7 License Commissioners (“the Board”) with no limitation on the number of terms  
8 an individual may serve; and

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10 WHEREAS, the Commissioners appointed to the Board have served multiple  
11 terms without change; and

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13 WHEREAS, during these many, continuous terms, the Board has become  
14 entrenched, leading to ethics violations and inconsistent enforcement and  
15 application of County liquor laws; and

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17 WHEREAS, it is in the best interest of the citizens of the County to appoint an  
18 oversight committee to review and monitor the actions of the Board; and

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20 WHEREAS, the County Council supports legislation that would create an  
21 oversight body for a limited duration to review and monitor the actions of the  
22 Board; now, therefore, be it

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24 *Resolved by the County Council of Anne Arundel County, Maryland,* that it hereby  
25 urges the Anne Arundel County General Assembly Delegation to introduce and support  
26 legislation in the Maryland General Assembly to create a limited duration oversight  
27 committee to review and monitor the actions of the Anne Arundel County Board of  
28 License Commissioners, and, be it further

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30 *Resolved,* That a copy of this Resolution be sent to the Anne Arundel County House  
31 Delegation and to County Executive Steven R. Schuh.