

COUNTY COUNCIL OF CECIL COUNTY, MARYLAND
LEGISLATIVE SESSION

BILL NO. 2023-02

Title of Bill: Expedited- Supplemental Appropriation – Fund Balance to Capital Projects - Real Estate Activities Account.

Synopsis: A Bill to amend the Annual Budget and Appropriation Ordinance for Cecil County, Maryland, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2023, to transfer \$1,000,000 (one million) from the General Fund Balance to Capital Improvement Budget to set up a Real Estate Activities Account. This bill was requested to be Expedited.

Introduced by: Council President on behalf of the County Executive

Introduced and order posted on: February 7, 2023

Public Hearing schedule on: March 7, 2023 at 7:00 pm

Consideration scheduled on: ~~March 21, 2023~~ March 7, 2023

By:


Council Manager

Notice of time and place of public hearing and title of bill having been posted by February 7, 2023 at the County Administrative Building, 200 Chesapeake Blvd, Elkton, and having been published according to the Charter on (dates), a public hearing was held on (date) and concluded on (date)

By:


Council Manager

Explanation: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING ORDINANCE.
~~Strike through~~ indicate matter deleted from existing ordinance.
Underlining indicates language added by amendment.
~~Double Strike through~~ indicates language deleted by amendment.

Supplemental Appropriation – Fund Balance to Capital Projects - Various Real Estate Purchases

1 **WHEREAS**, in accordance with Section 505 of the Cecil County Charter, on April 1, 2022, the
2 County Executive submitted a proposed budget to the County Council for Fiscal Year 2023; and

3 **WHEREAS**, in accordance with Section 506 of the Cecil County Charter, the County Council held
4 public hearings on the proposed budget submitted by the County Executive for Fiscal Year 2023; and

5 **WHEREAS**, in accordance with Section 507(b) of the Cecil County Charter, on June 7, 2022, the
6 Budget for Cecil County was adopted for Fiscal Year 2023; and

7 **WHEREAS**, the County Executive is requesting a transfer of \$1,000,000 from General Fund
8 Balance to Capital Improvement Budget to set up a Real Estate Activities Account; and

9 **WHEREAS**, Section 506 of the Charter of Cecil County requires that no final budget action may
10 be taken by the County Council until after public hearing or hearings have been held in open public
11 session; and

12 **WHEREAS**, Section 514 of the Charter of Cecil County requires that Council approves any
13 amendment to the Annual Budget and Appropriation Ordinance to provide funds for a Capital Project
14 not previously appearing in the Capital Budget for the fiscal year; and

15 **WHEREAS**, County Council has caused notice of a public budget hearing to be held on March 7,
16 2023, on the recommended appropriation to be published in a newspaper of general circulation in Cecil
17 County.

18 **NOW THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED BY THE COUNTY COUNCIL OF CECIL COUNTY,**
19 **MARYLAND**, that the Annual Budget and Appropriation Ordinance for Cecil County, Maryland for Fiscal
20 Year 2023 is hereby amended for the supplemental appropriation and by amending the Current Budget
21 to appropriate \$1,000,000 (one million) of additional expenditures in the Capital Project Budget to set
22 up a Real Estate Activities Account.

23 **AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that this Bill shall take effect 60 calendar days from the date
24 that it becomes law.

CERTIFICATION

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the above Bill was posted for the public on the public bulletin board with the date, time, and location of the public hearing meeting, copies were made available for the public, a copy was distributed to the press, and a copy was made available on the Cecil County website.

Supplemental Appropriation – Fund Balance to Capital Projects - Various Real Estate Purchases



BY: Council Manager

BILL NO: 2023-02

Title of Bill: Expediated - Supplemental Appropriation – Fund Balance to Capital Projects – Real Estate Activities Account is hereby submitted to the County Council of Cecil County, Maryland for enrollment as being the text as finally passed.

CERTIFIED TRUE AND CORRECT

ENROLLED



Council Manager



Council President

Date: March 8, 2023

Date: March 8, 2023

BY THE COUNCIL

Read the third time.

Passed – LSD 2023-05

Failed of Passage – LSD _____

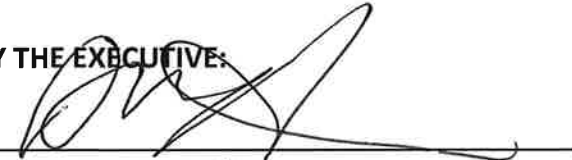
BY: 
Council Manager

SEALED WITH THE COUNTY SEAL AND PRESENTED TO THE COUNTY EXECUTIVE for approval this

8th day of March, 2023 at 9:00 am/pm.
(10 business days from adoption per Charter 306)

BY: 
Council Manager



BY THE EXECUTIVE:

Cecil County Executive

APPROVED Date: 3-9-23

VETOED Date: _____
(10 business days from presentation per Charter 306)

BY THE COUNCIL

Bill No. 2023-02 having been approved by the Executive and returned to the Council becomes law on

March 9, 2023 with an effective date of May 8, 2023.
(60 calendar days after enactment unless otherwise specified per Charter 307)

BY: 
Council Manager



CECIL COUNTY, MARYLAND DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE

FISCAL IMPACT NOTE

SUMMARY OF LEGISLATION

SPONSOR: Council President at the request of the County Executive

BILL NO. 2023-02 – Supplemental Appropriation and Budget Transfer – General Funds to Capital Projects - Real Estate Activities Account.

SYNOPSIS: A Bill to amend the Annual Budget and Appropriation Ordinance for Cecil County, Maryland, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2023, to transfer \$1,000,000 from the General Fund Balance to Capital Improvement Budget to set up a Real Estate Activities Account.

FISCAL IMPACT SUMMARY: The approval of this bill will have a net fiscal impact on the fund balance of \$1,000,000.

FISCAL ANALYSIS:

The approval of this bill will have a net fiscal impact on the fund balance of \$1,000,000.