

COUNTY COUNCIL OF BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND  
Legislative Session 2015, Legislative Day No. 8

Bill No. 31-15

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Mrs. Cathy Bevins, Chair  
By Request of County Executive

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By the County Council, April 20, 2015

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A BILL  
ENTITLED

AN ACT concerning

The 2014-2015 Current Expense Budget  
Gifts and Grants Special Revenue Fund  
Baltimore County Elevation Project - MEMA

FOR the purpose of amending the 2014-2015 Current Expense Budget, by appropriating to the Gifts and Grants Special Revenue Fund monies derived from federal funds made available to the County through the Federal Emergency Management Agency through the Maryland Emergency Management Agency (MEMA) for the Hazard Mitigation Grant Program (HMGP) and non-federal funds made available by five (5) homeowners (Homeowners).

WHEREAS, MEMA has made an award of funds available to the Baltimore County Department of Planning and Homeowners have agreed to provide the required 25% match funds to be used to elevate five (5) Baltimore County residential structures; and

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EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.  
[Brackets] indicate matter stricken from existing law.  
~~Strike out~~ indicates matter stricken from bill.  
Underlining indicates amendments to bill.

WHEREAS, in accordance with Section 306 and Section 712(a) of the Baltimore County Charter and Section 10-6-102 of the Baltimore County Code, 2003, as amended, the County Council may accept gifts and grants, appropriate same to the Gifts and Grants Special Revenue Fund and expend the same, said fund having been established solely for the purpose of accounting for certain monetary gifts and grants made available to the County for restricted purposes; and

WHEREAS, such fund remains open perpetually as a mechanism to account for the respective gift and grant appropriations and expenditures throughout the entire term of the grant period, including beyond the current expense budget fiscal year; now therefore

1           SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE COUNTY COUNCIL OF  
2 BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND, pursuant to the power and authority conferred  
3 upon it by Sections 306 and 712(a) of the Baltimore County Charter and Section 10-6-  
4 102 of the Baltimore County Code, 2003, as amended, that the Current Expense Budget  
5 for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2015, be and is hereby amended by appropriating  
6 Federal funds made available through a grant from MEMA and non-federal funds from  
7 Homeowners to the Baltimore County Department of Planning in the amount herein  
8 specified to the following program:

9           005-067-1551   Baltimore County Elevation Project – MEMA   \$592,923

10           SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, that this Act, having been  
11 passed by the affirmative vote of five members of the County Council, shall take effect  
12 June 3, 2015.