

(II) THE PROPOSED OPERATING BUDGET SHALL THEN BE FORWARDED TO THE DEPARTMENT OF BUDGET AND FISCAL PLANNING FOR CONSIDERATION.

(3) (I) PROVISION SHALL BE MADE IN THE STATE BUDGET FOR THE ENSUING FISCAL YEAR FOR AN APPROPRIATION TO PARTIALLY SUPPORT THE COUNCIL.

(II) THE STATE'S CONTRIBUTION UNDER THIS SECTION IS SUBJECT TO ANNUAL REVIEW BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

(B) (1) THE COUNCIL AND ITS ACTIVITIES MAY BE FINANCED COOPERATIVELY BY THE STATE OF MARYLAND AND ALLEGANY, GARRETT, AND WASHINGTON COUNTIES AND MAY AVAIL ITSELF OF ADDITIONAL FUNDS FROM ANY OTHER PUBLIC OR PRIVATE SOURCE.

(2) THE COMMISSIONERS OF ALLEGANY, GARRETT, AND WASHINGTON COUNTIES ANNUALLY SHALL APPROPRIATE SUMS FOR THE USE OF THE COUNCIL.

(3) THE APPROPRIATED SUMS SHALL BE USED FOR THE PURPOSE OF FOSTERING COOPERATIVE PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT IN THE TRI-COUNTY REGION.

(4) THE COMMISSIONERS OF ALLEGANY, GARRETT, AND WASHINGTON COUNTIES MAY APPROPRIATE ANY OTHER MONEYS AS IS NECESSARY AND APPROPRIATE.

(5) OTHER POLITICAL SUBDIVISIONS OR SPECIAL PURPOSE DISTRICTS MAY APPROPRIATE MONEYS AS IS NECESSARY AND APPROPRIATE.

TITLE 3. GENERAL DEVELOPMENT PLAN

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(A) THE COUNCIL SHALL PREPARE, ADOPT, AND FROM TIME TO TIME REVISE OR AMEND A PLAN FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF THE REGION WITH THE FOLLOWING OBJECTIVES:

(1) THE PLAN SHALL GUIDE A COORDINATED, ADJUSTED, EFFICIENT, AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT OF THE REGION WHICH SHALL IN ACCORDANCE WITH PRESENT AND FUTURE NEEDS AND RESOURCES BEST PROMOTE THE HEALTH, SAFETY, ORDER, CONVENIENCE, PROSPERITY, AND WELFARE OF THE CITIZENS.

(2) THE PLAN SHALL RECOGNIZE ANY STATE COMPREHENSIVE PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT ACTIVITIES AND REFLECT THE PLANS AND PROGRAMS OF THE PARTICIPATING GOVERNMENTAL UNITS.

(3) THE PLAN MAY PROVIDE FOR PATTERNS OF URBANIZATION AND THE USES OF LAND AND RESOURCES FOR TRADE, INDUSTRY, RECREATION, FORESTRY, AGRICULTURE, AND TOURISM, AND CREATE CONDITIONS FAVORABLE TO THE DEVELOPMENT OF HUMAN RESOURCES, AND OTHERWISE PROMOTE THE GENERAL WELFARE OF THE CITIZENS.