

stitute, Walters Art Gallery, Baltimore Museum of Art, Wye Institute, the Greater Baltimore Arts Council, the Baltimore Symphony Orchestra, Center Stage, the Montgomery County Arts and Art Center, the Baltimore Civic Opera, and the School of Fine Arts of the University of Maryland. In addition, of course, all the colleges in the State have their departments that are devoted to the arts and music.

Already Dr. Charles Kent, President of the Peabody Institute, has taken a lead in the movement to create a State Arts Council, and a meeting has been set in the near future at which statewide representatives of the arts are asked to be present.

The House of Delegates now is suggesting that the State take some official part in these very worthwhile activities, and that it assist in every way the development and fostering of artistic endeavors throughout the State; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Delegates of Maryland, That the Governor of this State is requested to aid in the establishment of a State Arts Council that would take the lead throughout the State in supporting artistic endeavors including acting as the liaison agency for receiving and distributing Federal subsidies to the arts; and be it further

Resolved, That the Chief Clerk of the House of Delegates is instructed to send copies of this Resolution to the Governor of Maryland; Dr. Charles Kent, President, Peabody Institute; Mr. Charles J. Warner, Asst. Professor of Music, Hood College; Mr. Russell Wonderlic, President, Baltimore Civic Opera; Mr. Eugene Leake, President, Maryland Institute; Mr. Homer Ulrich, Chairman of Music Department, School of Fine Arts, University of Maryland; Mr. Harold Boxer, President, Montgomery County Arts Center; Mr. Richard Case, Member of the Board, Peabody Institute; Mr. Donald Shank, Director, Wye Institute; Mr. Lynn Poole, Assistant to the President, Johns Hopkins University; Mr. Bernard B. Perlman, President, Greater Baltimore Arts Council; Mr. Oleg Labanov, Manager, Baltimore Symphony; Mr. William Boucher, III, Executive Director, Greater Baltimore Committee; Mr. William Bushnell, Executive Director, Center Stage, Mr. Eugene F. Petty, Asst. Executive Director, Greater Baltimore Committee; and to each member of the Maryland Delegation in the Senate and the House of Representatives in the Congress of the United States.

Which was read and adopted.

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTION

House Resolution No. 15—By Delegates McGuirk and Conroy:

House Resolution requesting the Governor of Maryland and the Mayor of Baltimore City to redesignate a tract of land in Baltimore City surrounding the War Memorial Plaza as "War Memorial Plaza."

WHEREAS, The area bounded by Lexington, Gay, Fayette, and Holliday Streets has been known, recognized, and called War Memorial Plaza, or Memorial Plaza; and

WHEREAS, This Plaza is directly adjacent to the War Memorial Building; and

WHEREAS, Under Ordinance No. 517, Section 5, it reads "And Be it Further Ordained, That a joint Memorial other than a building, be,