

202(d) thereof and enacting new Section 202(d) to stand in place of the Section so repealed, providing for the compensation of Councilmen and the manner of changing the compensation.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the County Council of Howard County, Maryland, (two-thirds of the members elected to the Council concurring) That Section 202(d) of the Howard County Charter be and it is hereby repealed, and that new Section 202(d) be and it is hereby enacted to stand in the place of the section repealed, the same if adopted by the legal and qualified voters of the County as herein provided to become a part of the Howard County Charter, and to read as follows:

202(d) Compensation

~~Councilmen shall receive compensation of not less than Six Thousand Dollars (\$6,000.00) per annum. The compensation of Councilmen may be changed by an affirmative vote of not less than two thirds of the members of the Council. Any increase or decrease in compensation which becomes law during one term of office shall not become effective before the next term.~~

EACH MEMBER OF THE COUNCIL, EXCEPT THE CHAIRMAN, SHALL BE PAID FOR THE PERFORMANCE OF PUBLIC DUTIES UNDER THIS CHARTER THE SUM OF SIX THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$6,000.00) PER ANNUM. THE CHAIRMAN OF THE COUNCIL SHALL BE PAID FOR THE PERFORMANCE OF PUBLIC DUTIES UNDER THIS CHARTER THE SUM OF SIX THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$6,500.00) PER ANNUM. SUCH SALARY SHALL BE IN FULL COMPENSATION FOR ALL SERVICES REQUIRED BY THIS CHARTER TO BE PERFORMED BY THE MEMBERS OF THE COUNCIL, BUT SHALL NOT PRECLUDE REASONABLE AND NECESSARY EXPENSES AS MAY BE PROVIDED IN THE BUDGET.

Section 2. And be it further enacted by the County Council of Howard County, Maryland, That the foregoing Section hereby proposed as an amendment to the Howard County Charter, at the next ensuing general election to be held in this State, shall be submitted to the legal and qualified voters of Howard County for their adoption or rejection in pursuance of directions contained in Article X of the Howard County Charter, and at the said general election the vote on the said proposed amendment to the Charter shall be by ballot, and upon each ballot there shall be printed the words "For the Charter Amendment" and "Against the Charter Amendment" as now provided by law, and immediately after said election all returns shall be made to the Executive of the vote for and against said proposed amendments, as directed by the said Article X of the Howard County Charter, and further proceedings had in accordance with said Article X.

This Act having been approved by two-thirds (2/3) of the members of the County Council, stands enacted this 6th day of July, 1970 in accordance with the provisions of Article X, Section 1001 of the Howard County Charter.

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Council Bill No. 23

An Act to add new Section 16.210 to Title 16, "Planning, Zoning and Sub-Division Control," subtitle "Zoning," to provide that final