

THE COUNCIL MEMBERSHIP

2-101. COMPOSITION OF MEMBERS.

THE MEMBERSHIP OF THE COUNCIL CONSISTS OF:

(A) THE STATE SENATORS AND DELEGATES REPRESENTING CALVERT, CHARLES, AND ST. MARY'S COUNTIES;

(B) (1) THREE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS FROM EACH NONCHARTER COUNTY; OR

(2) THREE MEMBERS FROM EACH CHARTER COUNTY APPOINTED BY THE EXECUTIVE OF THAT COUNTY WITH THE ADVICE AND CONSENT OF THE COUNTY COUNCIL;

(C) ONE VOTING MEMBER APPOINTED BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE SOUTHERN MARYLAND MUNICIPAL ASSOCIATION;

(D) ONE VOTING MEMBER-AT-LARGE FROM EACH COUNTY RECOMMENDED BY THE COMMISSIONERS OF THOSE COUNTIES AND SUBJECT TO THE CONCURRENCE OF THE STATE SENATORS AND DELEGATES FROM EACH COUNTY; [[OR]] AND

(E) ONE NONVOTING MEMBER APPOINTED BY THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION AND THE PLANNING AND ZONING COMMISSION OF EACH COUNTY; AND

(F) ONE NONVOTING MEMBER APPOINTED BY THE MARYLAND DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AND THE MARYLAND STATE PLANNING DEPARTMENT.

2-102. RIGHT OF APPOINTMENT.

THE RIGHT OF APPOINTMENT MAY BE EXERCISED BY THE SENATORS, DELEGATES, AND COMMISSIONERS ONLY WITH RESPECT TO THE MEMBER-AT-LARGE FROM THE COUNTY OR COUNTIES FROM WHICH THEY HAVE BEEN ELECTED OR REPRESENT.

2-103. TERMS OF MEMBERS.

THE MEMBERS WHO HOLD MEMBERSHIP BY VIRTUE OF THEIR ELECTED OR APPOINTED POSITION HOLD OFFICE ONLY DURING THEIR TERM OF OFFICE. THE MEMBERS-AT-LARGE SERVE AT THE PLEASURE OF ELECTED MEMBERSHIP OF EACH COUNTY.

2-104. VACANCIES.

VACANCIES ON THE COUNCIL SHALL BE FILLED FOR THE DURATION OF THE UNEXPIRED TERM IN THE SAME MANNER AS PROVIDED FOR THE ORIGINAL APPOINTMENT.

2-105. COMPENSATION.

MEMBERS OF THE COUNCIL SERVE WITHOUT COMPENSATION.

2-201. JURISDICTION.