

Harry Hughes  
Governor

House Bill No. 1093

AN ACT concerning

Washington County - Pensions - Fire and Rescue Personnel

FOR the purpose of authorizing the County Commissioners of Washington County to establish a pension benefits plan for volunteer fire and rescue personnel in the county; specifying certain provisions of the plan; making this Act contingent on the taking effect of another Act; and providing for its implementation by the County Commissioners.

BY adding to

The Public Local Laws of Washington County  
Section 23A-1 to be under the new subtitle  
"23A. Pensions"  
Article 22 - Public Local Laws of Maryland  
(1970 Edition and 1979 Supplement, as amended)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

Article 22 - Washington County

23A. PENSIONS

23A-1.

(A) UNDER THE AUTHORITY OF ARTICLE 25, § (3)(G) OF THE ANNOTATED CODE OF MARYLAND, THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS ARE AUTHORIZED TO ADOPT A PLAN OF PENSION BENEFITS FOR VOLUNTEER FIRE AND RESCUE PERSONNEL BASED ON LENGTH OF SERVICE.

(B) THE PLAN SHALL CONTAIN THE FOLLOWING PROVISIONS:

(1) PROVIDE BENEFITS FOR SERVICE FROM JULY 1, 1984;

(2) PROVIDE BENEFITS FOR NOT MORE THAN 800 VOLUNTEER FIRE AND RESCUE PERSONNEL;

(3) PROVIDE MAXIMUM BENEFITS OF \$100 PER MONTH ~~OF~~ SERVICE UPON ATTAINING THE AGE OF 65 YEARS WITH 25 YEARS OF SERVICE; AND