

~~(D)~~ (E) (1) FROM AMONG ITS MEMBERS, THE HEARING BOARD SHALL ELECT A CHAIRPERSON.

(2) (I) A MAJORITY OF THE MEMBERS THEN SERVING ON THE HEARING BOARD IS A QUORUM.

(II) A MAJORITY OF THE AUTHORIZED MEMBERSHIP OF THE HEARING BOARD IS NEEDED TO TAKE ACTION.

(3) THE HEARING BOARD SHALL MEET AT LEAST ONCE EACH MONTH AND MAY MEET MORE OFTEN IF NEEDED.

~~(E)~~ (F) THE COMPENSATION OF THE HEARING BOARD MEMBERS FOR THE PERFORMANCE OF THEIR DUTIES SHALL BE:

(1) FOR THE CHAIRPERSON, \$55 PER MEETING ATTENDED, NOT TO EXCEED \$1,300 IN A FISCAL YEAR REGARDLESS OF THE NUMBER OF MEETINGS ATTENDED; AND

(2) FOR OTHER HEARING BOARD MEMBERS, \$50 PER MEETING ATTENDED, NOT TO EXCEED \$1,200 IN A FISCAL YEAR REGARDLESS OF THE NUMBER OF MEETINGS ATTENDED.

~~(F)~~ ~~(1) THE COUNTY COUNCIL SHALL EMPLOY AN ADMINISTRATOR FOR THE BOARD WHO SHALL BE IN THE CLASSIFIED SERVICE OF THE COUNTY.~~

(G) (1) THE DIRECTOR OF THE COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF INSPECTIONS, LICENSES, AND PERMITS SHALL PROVIDE A SINGLE ADMINISTRATOR TO SERVE BOTH THE HEARING BOARD AND THE LIQUOR BOARD, AND MAY PROVIDE OTHER STAFFING TO THE BOARDS AS NECESSARY TO CARRY OUT THE DUTIES OF THE BOARDS.

(2) THE CHIEF OF THE HOWARD COUNTY POLICE DEPARTMENT SHALL PROVIDE A SWORN MEMBER OF THE HOWARD COUNTY POLICE DEPARTMENT AS AN INSPECTOR TO ASSIST THE HEARING BOARD AND THE LIQUOR BOARD IN CARRYING OUT ~~ITS~~ THEIR RESPONSIBILITIES AND IN ENFORCING THE LAW.

~~(3) THE COUNTY COUNCIL MAY PROVIDE OTHER COUNTY EMPLOYEES TO THE BOARD IF THE COUNTY COUNCIL DETERMINES THAT ADDITIONAL STAFF IS NECESSARY FOR THE BOARD TO CARRY OUT ITS RESPONSIBILITIES.~~

~~(G)~~ (H) THE HEARING BOARD SHALL PROPOSE REASONABLE REGULATIONS TO ENABLE IT TO DISCHARGE ITS DUTIES, INCLUDING THE ISSUANCE OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES LICENSES, AND SHALL SUBMIT PROPOSED REGULATIONS TO THE COUNTY COUNCIL LIQUOR BOARD FOR APPROVAL.

~~(H)~~ (I) (1) THE HEARING BOARD AND THE LIQUOR BOARD SHALL SUBMIT ~~AN ANNUAL BUDGET REQUEST~~ ANNUAL BUDGET REQUESTS TO THE COUNTY COUNCIL NOT LATER THAN JANUARY 15 IN EACH YEAR FOR THE ENSUING FISCAL YEAR.

(2) A BUDGET REQUEST SHALL INCLUDE: