

because SG § 2-1238 requires the use of words that are neutral as to gender to the extent practicable.

No other changes are made.

Defined term: "Council" § 13-401

13-407. EXECUTIVE BOARD — ESTABLISHED.

THE COUNCIL SHALL ESTABLISH AN EXECUTIVE BOARD.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section formerly was Art. 41, § 15-104(c)(1).

No changes are made.

Defined term: "Council" § 13-401

13-408. EXECUTIVE BOARD — MEMBERSHIP; CHAIR.

(A) SPECIFIED MEMBERS.

THE EXECUTIVE BOARD SHALL INCLUDE:

- (1) THE CHAIR OF THE COUNCIL;
- (2) THE GOVERNOR OR THE GOVERNOR'S DESIGNEE;
- (3) THE SECRETARY OR THE SECRETARY'S DESIGNEE;
- (4) THE SECRETARY OF AGRICULTURE OR THE DESIGNEE OF THE SECRETARY OF AGRICULTURE;
- (5) THE SECRETARY OF HEALTH AND MENTAL HYGIENE OR THE DESIGNEE OF THE SECRETARY OF HEALTH AND MENTAL HYGIENE;
- (6) THE SECRETARY OF HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT OR THE DESIGNEE OF THE SECRETARY OF HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT;
- (7) THE SECRETARY OF NATURAL RESOURCES OR THE DESIGNEE OF THE SECRETARY OF NATURAL RESOURCES;
- (8) THE DIRECTOR OF THE UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND COOPERATIVE EXTENSION SERVICE OR THE DIRECTOR'S DESIGNEE;
- (9) TWO REPRESENTATIVES OF THE MARYLAND MUNICIPAL LEAGUE, SELECTED FROM RURAL REGIONS OF THE STATE;
- (10) TWO REPRESENTATIVES OF THE MARYLAND ASSOCIATION OF COUNTIES, SELECTED FROM RURAL REGIONS OF THE STATE;
- (11) ONE REPRESENTATIVE OF EACH OF THE RURAL REGIONAL PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT COUNCILS IN THE STATE;
- (12) ONE REPRESENTATIVE OF EACH OF THE RESOURCE, CONSERVATION, AND DEVELOPMENT COUNCILS IN THE STATE;