

In subsection (c)(1) and (2) of this section, the defined term "region" is substituted for the former references to the "tri-county area" and "area" for clarity.

In subsection (c)(1) and (3) of this section, the term "unit" is substituted for the former term "agency" for consistency within this article. See General Revisor's Note to article.

Defined terms: "Council" § 13-601

"Region" § 13-601

"State" § 9-101

13-603. MEMBERSHIP.

(A) COMPOSITION; APPOINTMENT.

THE COUNCIL CONSISTS OF:

(1) THE MEMBERS OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY REPRESENTING THE REGION, AS VOTING MEMBERS;

(2) THE COMMISSIONERS OF CALVERT, CHARLES, AND ST. MARY'S COUNTIES, AS VOTING MEMBERS;

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

(4) ONE VOTING MEMBER AT LARGE FROM EACH COUNTY, APPOINTED BY THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE COUNTY WITH THE CONCURRENCE OF THE MEMBERS OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY REPRESENTING THE COUNTY;

(5) ONE NONVOTING MEMBER FROM EACH COUNTY, APPOINTED JOINTLY BY THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION AND THE PLANNING AND ZONING COMMISSION OF THE COUNTY; AND

(6) ONE NONVOTING MEMBER APPOINTED BY THE DEPARTMENT AND THE DEPARTMENT OF PLANNING.

(B) TENURE; VACANCIES.

(1) AN EX OFFICIO MEMBER IS A MEMBER ONLY DURING THE MEMBER'S TERM OF OFFICE.

(2) A MEMBER AT LARGE SERVES AT THE PLEASURE OF THE ELECTED MEMBERS WHO REPRESENT THE SAME COUNTY.

(3) AT THE END OF A TERM, A MEMBER CONTINUES TO SERVE UNTIL A SUCCESSOR IS APPOINTED.

(4) EXCEPT FOR AN EX OFFICIO MEMBER, A MEMBER WHO IS APPOINTED AFTER A TERM HAS BEGUN SERVES ONLY FOR THE REST OF THE TERM AND UNTIL A SUCCESSOR IS APPOINTED.