

**COUNTY COUNCIL OF CECIL COUNTY, MARYLAND
LEGISLATIVE SESSION DAY 2017-13**

RESOLUTION NO. 29-2017

Title of Resolution: Appointments—Planning Commission - A. Chad Johnston and Peter Kirsh

Synopsis: A Resolution to confirm the reappointment by the County Executive of A. Chad Johnston and the appointment of Peter Kirsh, who is replacing Ken Wiggins to the Planning Commission; term to expire on August 15, 2020.

Introduced by: Council President on behalf of the County Executive

Introduced and ordered posted on: July 11, 2017

Scheduled for consideration on: July 18, 2017

By: _____
Council Manager

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By: _____
Council Manager

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1 **WHEREAS**, a local jurisdiction may establish by local law a planning commission with the powers and
2 duties set forth in this division, pursuant to the Land Use Article of the Annotated Code of Maryland, Section
3 2-101; and

4 **WHEREAS**, the Cecil County Planning Commission was established and consists of six members plus an
5 alternate who shall serve in the absence of a regular member; and a member of the County Council who
6 serves as an ex-officio, non-voting member; pursuant to the Cecil County Zoning Ordinance, Section 295;
7 Article XVI.; and

8 **WHEREAS**, each Planning Commission member serve three year terms and must be a resident of Cecil
9 County; and

10 **WHEREAS**, the duties of the Planning Commission are to review, evaluate, and approve or disapprove
11 plans for subdivisions in accordance with the Zoning Ordinance and Subdivision Regulations; and to review
12 and make recommendations to the Cecil County Council regarding proposed changes or amendments to the
13 Comprehensive Plan, Chesapeake Bay Critical Area Program, Zoning Ordinance, Subdivision regulations, Road
14 Code, Master Water and Sewer Plan, acquisition and development of lands for open space or recreation
15 purposes, historic sites or districts, land use or development arising from state or federal programs or policies,
16 Forest Conservation Regulations; and to review the Capital Improvement Program annually; and to make
17 recommendations to the Board of Appeals regarding applications for special exceptions; and

18 **WHEREAS**, Article 4, Section 412 (b) of the Charter of Cecil County provides that the County Executive
19 shall appoint all members of boards and commissions, subject to confirmation by the Council; and

20 **WHEREAS**, The County Executive has approved the reappointment of A. Chad Johnston and the
21 appointment of Peter Kirsh to the Planning Commission term to expire August 15, 2020.

22 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED THAT THE COUNTY COUNCIL OF CECIL COUNTY,**
23 **MARYLAND** confirms the reappointment of A. Chad Johnston and the appointment of Peter Kirsh to the
24 Planning Commission; term to expire August 15, 2020.

25 **AND, BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that this Resolution shall take effect on the date of its passage by the
26 County Council of Cecil County, Maryland.

INTRODUCED: July 11, 2017

ADOPTED: _____

President of the Council

ATTEST:

Council Manager