COUNTY COUNCIL OF CECIL COUNTY, MARYLAND LEGISLATIVE SESSION DAY 2017-07 RESOLUTION NO. 14-2017

Title of Resolution: Adoption of Income Tax Rate - FY 2018

Synopsis: A Resolution to levy and impose an income tax for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2017 and ending June 30, 2018; setting the tax rates, from 2.80% to 3.00%, for income and providing for the collection of income tax.

Introduced by: Council President at the request of the County Executive

Introduced and ordered posted on: April 4, 2017

Public Hearing scheduled on: May 23, 2017 at 7:00 p.m. at Elkton High School, 110 James St., Elkton, MD

Scheduled for consideration: June 6, 2017

By:		
	Council Manager	

PUBLIC HEARINGS

Notice of time and place of public hearing and title of this Resolution having been posted on <u>April 4, 2017</u> at the County Administration Building, 200 Chesapeake Blvd., Elkton, Maryland, and having been published on <u>May 10, 2017</u> and <u>May 17, 2017</u>. A public hearing was held on <u>May 23, 2017</u> and concluded on May 23, 2017.

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Explanation: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

Strike Through indicate language deleted.

<u>Underlining</u> indicates language added by amendment.

Double Strike Through indicates language deleted by amendment.

WHEREAS, Section 10-106 of the Tax General Article, Annotated Code of Maryland, requires 1 the governing body of each county to annually set the tax rate for the next taxable year; and 2 3 WHEREAS, Section 508 of the Charter of Cecil County requires that County Council shall levy the amount of taxes required by the Budget to ensure that the Budget is balanced so that proposed 4 revenues equal proposed expenditures. 5 WHEREAS, the County Executive requests that the County Council set the income tax rate for 6 Cecil County at 3.00% for the taxable year beginning July 1, 2017 and ending June 30, 2018, with the tax 7 rate to be effective January 1, 2018. 8 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNTY COUNCIL OF CECIL COUNTY, 9 MARYLAND, as follows: 10 That a County income tax for the taxable year beginning July 1, 2017 11 1. and ending June 30, 2018, is hereby levied and imposed on all 12 income, subject to ordinary taxation in Cecil County; and 13 That the rate of County taxation for such taxable year upon income is 2. 14 hereby fixed at 3.00 Percent. 15 AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED BY THE COUNTY COUNCIL OF CECIL COUNTY, MARYLAND, 16 that the County Executive and Director of Finance will cause the income tax to be collected in the 17 manner provided by law; 18 AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED BY THE COUNTY COUNCIL OF CECIL COUNTY, MARYLAND, 19 that in accordance with Section 10-106 of the Tax-General Article, Annotated Code of Maryland, the 20 income tax rate shall be effective January 1, 2018 and shall continue in effect until changed under the 21 laws of the State of Maryland and/or Cecil County. 22 AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED BY THE COUNTY COUNCIL OF CECIL COUNTY, MARYLAND, that 23 24 this Resolution shall take effect on July 1, 2017. INTRODUCED: April 4, 2017 ADOPTED: June 6, 2017 ATTEST: President of the Council

Council Manager