

**COUNTY COUNCIL OF CECIL COUNTY, MARYLAND
LEGISLATIVE SESSION DAY 2021-14**

RESOLUTION NO. 42-2021

Title of Resolution: Appointment - Council Attorney – MacLeod Law Group and Victor R. Jackson, LLC

Synopsis: A Resolution to appoint Charles MacLeod and MacLeod Law Group LLC, and Victor R. Jackson, LLC as council attorneys for general legal opinions and advisor, beginning July 1, 2021.

Introduced by: Council President Meffley and Council Members

Introduced and ordered posted on: July 20, 2021

Scheduled for consideration on: August 3, 2021

By: _____
Council Manager

Notice and title of Resolution having been posted by (date) at the County Administration Building, 200 Chesapeake Blvd., Elkton and consideration by the Council having been scheduled on (date).

By: _____
Council Manager

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1 **WHEREAS**, Section 411 of the Charter of Cecil County provides that the County Attorney shall be the
2 chief legal officer of the County, and be a legal advisor to the Cecil County Council; and

3 **WHEREAS**, the County Executive appointed Lawrence Scott as County Attorney, which was confirmed
4 by the County Council on December 8, 2020; and

5 **WHEREAS**, the County Attorney represents the County Executive, all departments and other
6 instrumentalities of the County Government in Cecil County; and

7 **WHEREAS**, Section 213 of the Charter of Cecil County provides that the County Council may by
8 resolution, at its discretion and subject to the provisions of its budget or supplementary appropriations,
9 employ legal advisors as it deems necessary to perform its functions; and

10 **WHEREAS**, the County Council solicited expressions of interest for an attorney to provide legal services
11 to the County Council; and

12 **WHEREAS**, the Council wishes to appoint Charles MacLeod and MacLeod Law Group, LLC., and
13 Victor R. Jackson, LLC as Council Attorneys.

14 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED THAT THE COUNTY COUNCIL OF CECIL COUNTY,**
15 **MARYLAND**, designates Charles MacLeod and MacLeod Law Group, LLC, and Victor R. Jackson, LLC as Council
16 Attorneys as of July 1, 2021.

17 **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT THE COUNTY COUNCIL OF CECIL COUNTY, MARYLAND**, that all
18 provisions of this Resolution shall take effect on the date the Resolution is adopted by the Council.

19 **AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT THE COUNTY COUNCIL** authorizes the Council President to sign
20 the agreement with Charles MacLeod and MacLeod Law Group, LLC., and Victor R. Jackson, LLC on behalf of
21 the County Council.

INTRODUCED: July 20, 2021

ADOPTED: _____

President of the Council

ATTEST:

Council Manager