

**COUNTY COUNCIL OF CECIL COUNTY, MARYLAND  
LEGISLATIVE SESSION DAY 2023-11**

**RESOLUTION NO. 34-2023**

**Title of Resolution:** Supplemental Appropriation – General Fund Balance – Law Enforcement Armored Rescue Vehicle and Crossover Utility Vehicle

**Synopsis:** A Resolution to amend the Annual Budget and Appropriation Ordinance for Cecil County, Maryland, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2023, in the amount totally \$417,000 from the General Fund Balance to Law Enforcement’s budget for the expenditure appropriation authority to purchase an Armored Rescue/Tactical (SRT) vehicle for \$400,000 and a Crossover Utility Vehicle (CUV) for \$17,000.

**Introduced by:** Council President on behalf of the County Executive

**Introduced and ordered posted on:** June 6, 2023

**Scheduled for consideration on:** June 20, 2023

**By:** \_\_\_\_\_  
Council Manager

Notice of time and title of Resolution having been posted by June 6, 2023 at the County Administration Building, 200 Chesapeake Blvd., Elkton and consideration by the County Council of Cecil County having been scheduled on June 20, 2023.

**By:** \_\_\_\_\_  
Council Manager

**Explanation:** CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING ORDINANCE.  
Strike through indicate matter deleted from existing ordinance.  
Underlining indicates language added by amendment.  
Double Strike through indicates language deleted by amendment.

Resolution 34-2023  
Supplemental Appropriation – General Fund Balance –  
Law Enforcement Armored Rescue Vehicle and Crossover Utility Vehicle

1           **WHEREAS**, in accordance with Section 505 of the Cecil County Charter, on April 1, 2022, the County  
2 Executive submitted a proposed budget to the County Council for Fiscal Year 2023; and

3           **WHEREAS**, in accordance with Section 506 of the Cecil County Charter, the County Council held public  
4 hearings on the proposed budget submitted by the County Executive for Fiscal Year 2023; and

5           **WHEREAS**, in accordance with Section 507(b) of the Cecil County Charter, on June 7, 2022, the Budget  
6 for Cecil County was adopted for Fiscal Year 2023; and

7           **WHEREAS**, additional funding is being requested for the purchase of an Armored Rescue/Tactical  
8 (SRT) vehicle for the protection of public safety officers for \$400,000. The vehicle will be utilized for response  
9 to barricaded suspects, execution of high-risk warrants, rescue of injured persons during an active shooter  
10 or riot incident and evacuation of dangerous areas during environmental emergencies. The purchase will  
11 make Cecil County Law Enforcement self-sufficient, not rely on neighboring jurisdictions when dangerous  
12 situations arise and when time is of the essence. Furthermore, additional funding is being requested for the  
13 purchase of a Crossover Utility Vehicle (CUV) for \$17,000. This vehicle is needed to assist with off-road  
14 searches as well as events held in the county where the use of on-road vehicles is not feasible; and

15           **WHEREAS**, such appropriation is necessary to provide funding for said expenditures.

16           **NOW THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED** that the Annual Budget and Appropriation Ordinance for  
17 Cecil County, Maryland for Fiscal Year 2023 is hereby amended for the supplemental appropriation in the  
18 amount totaling \$417,000 from the County general fund balance to the Law Enforcement Department.

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

**INTRODUCED: June 6, 2023**

**ADOPTED: \_\_\_\_\_**

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President of the Council

ATTEST:

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Council Manager