

**COUNTY COUNCIL OF CECIL COUNTY, MARYLAND
LEGISLATIVE SESSION DAY 2023-17**

BILL NO. 2023-09

Title of Bill: Supplemental Appropriation – Grant Funds to Capital Projects – Construct Elkton West Sanitary Sewer Subdistrict.

Synopsis: A Bill to amend the Annual Budget and Appropriation Ordinance for Cecil County, Maryland, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2024, to record \$3,550,101 in grant funding from the Maryland Department of the Environment for the Construct Elkton West Sanitary Sewer Subdistrict capital project.

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

Introduced and ordered posted on: September 19, 2023

Public hearing schedule on: October 3, 2023 at 7:00 pm

Consideration scheduled on: October 17, 2023

By: _____
Council Manager

PUBLIC HEARING

Notice of time and place of public hearing and title of Bill having been posted by September 19, 2023 at the County Administration Building, 200 Chesapeake Blvd., Elkton and having been published according to the Charter on September 20 and September 27, 2023 a public hearing was held on October 3, 2023 and concluded on October 3, 2023.

By: _____
Council Manager

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1 **WHEREAS**, in accordance with Section 505 of the Cecil County Charter, on April 1, 2023, the County
2 Executive submitted a proposed budget to the County Council for Fiscal Year 2024; 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 2024; and

5 **WHEREAS**, in accordance with Section 507(b) of the Cecil County Charter, on June 06, 2023, the
6 Budget for Cecil County was adopted for Fiscal Year 2024; and

7 **WHEREAS**, the County Executive is requesting to record \$3,550,101 in grant funding from the
8 Maryland Department of the Environment for the Construct Elkton West Sanitary Sewer Subdistrict capital
9 project; and

10 **WHEREAS**, additional funds are required to complete the project because construction costs have
11 risen; and

12 **WHEREAS**, Section 506 of the Charter of Cecil County requires that no final budget action may be
13 taken by the County Council until after a public hearing or hearings have been held in open public session;
14 and

15 **WHEREAS**, County Council has caused notice of a public budget hearing to be held on October 3,
16 2023, on the recommended appropriation to be published in a newspaper of general circulation in Cecil
17 County.

18 **NOW THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED BY THE COUNTY COUNCIL OF CECIL COUNTY,**
19 **MARYLAND**, that the Annual Budget and Appropriation Ordinance for Cecil County, Maryland, for Fiscal Year
20 2024 is hereby amended for the supplemental appropriation; and by amending the Budget to appropriate
21 additional expenditure authority within the Construct Elkton West Sanitary Sewer Subdistrict capital project
22 budget in the amount of \$3,550,101 from grant funding from the Maryland Department of the Environment.

23 **AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED BY THE COUNTY COUNCIL OF CECIL COUNTY, MARYLAND**, that this
24 Bill shall take effect 60 calendar days from the date that it becomes law.

CERTIFICATION

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the above Bill was posted for the public on the public bulletin board with the date, time, and location of the public hearing meeting, copies were made available for the public, a copy was distributed to the press, and a copy was made available on the Cecil County website.

BY: Council Manager