

**COUNTY COUNCIL OF CECIL COUNTY, MARYLAND
LEGISLATIVE SESSION 2024-18**

RESOLUTION NO. 49-2024

Title of Resolution: Support of the Maryland Two Fifty Commission

Synopsis: A Resolution to in support of the Maryland Two Fifty Commission and the appointment of Councilwoman Rebecca Hamilton as the Cecil County Council representative.

Introduced by: Council President Gregory and Councilwoman Hamilton

Introduced and order posted on: October 1, 2024

Consideration scheduled on: October 15, 2024

By: _____
Council Manager

Notice of time and title of Resolution having been posted by October 1, 2024 at the County Administrative Building, 200 Chesapeake Blvd, Elkton, and consideration by the County Council of Cecil County having been scheduled on October 15, 2024.

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.

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1 **WHEREAS**, Governor Wes Moore created the Maryland Two Fifty Commission by Executive Order on July
2 3, 2023, to develop, encourage and execute an inclusive observance of the 250th anniversary of the founding of
3 our nation that recognizes all Marylanders' struggle for life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness before, during,
4 and after the American Revolution; and

5 **WHEREAS**, this anniversary invites us to reflect on the ongoing evolution of American democracy,
6 Maryland's integral role in that process, and the impact of Marylanders on our nation's past, present, and future;
7 and

8 **WHEREAS**, the Maryland Two Fifty Commission seeks to engage all Marylanders and all communities
9 statewide through signature and officially recognized events, programs, and projects through 2026; and

10 **WHEREAS**, by adoption of the Maryland Two Fifty Commission's three themes of history, civics, and
11 service in our community, we aspire to deepen public understanding of our complex history, strengthen public
12 appreciation for service to our country and community, and inspire public engagement in civic life; and

13 **WHEREAS**, County Council supports the Maryland Two Fifty Commission and is appointing Rebecca
14 Hamilton as the Council representative on the Commission to serve as the contact for the County Council for this
15 historic event and report back to Council on the upcoming activities; and

16 **NOW THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED BY THE COUNTY COUNCIL OF CECIL COUNTY, MARYLAND**
17 that the County Council hereby endorses the Maryland Two Fifty Commission and its themes of history, civics,
18 and service, in our community, and designates Rebecca Hamilton as our point of contact for the Cecil County
19 Council and will notify the Maryland Two Fifty Commission of this resolution.

20 **AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED BY THE COUNTY COUNCIL OF CECIL COUNTY, MARYLAND**, that this
21 Resolution shall take effect on the date of its passage by the County Council of Cecil County, Maryland.

INTRODUCED: October 1, 2024

ADOPTED:

President of the Council

ATTEST:

Council Manager