

**COUNTY COUNCIL OF CECIL COUNTY, MARYLAND
LEGISLATIVE SESSION DAY 2014-04**

RESOLUTION NO. 08-2014

Title of Resolution: Appointment—Commission on Aging

Synopsis: A Resolution to confirm the County Executive's appointment of Leah Youse to the Cecil County Commission on Aging.

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

Introduced and ordered posted on: _____ **March 4, 2014** _____

Scheduled for consideration on: _____ **March 18, 2014** _____

Notice and title of Resolution having been posted by _____ at the County Administration Building, 200 Chesapeake Blvd., Elkton and consideration by the Council having been scheduled on _____ **March 18, 2014** _____.

By: _____
Council Manager

1 **WHEREAS**, Pursuant to Section 1321.57(a) of the Older Americans Act of 1965, the area agency shall
2 establish an advisory council that shall carry out advisory functions which further the area agency's mission of
3 developing and coordinating community-based systems of services for all older persons in the planning and
4 service area,

5 **WHEREAS**, Pursuant to Section 1321.57(b) of the Older Americans Act of 1965, the council shall include
6 individuals and representatives of community organizations who will help to enhance the leadership role of
7 the area agency in developing community-based systems of service;

8 **WHEREAS**, Pursuant to Chapter 10 Human Services, Section 201 of the Annotated Code of Maryland,
9 the Maryland Department of Aging was created as a principal executive department to administer programs
10 mandated by the federal government throughout the state through the Area Agencies on Aging;

11 **WHEREAS**, the Maryland Department of Aging has designated the Senior Services and Community
12 Transit of Cecil County as the Area Agency on Aging;

13 **WHEREAS**, the Cecil County Commission on Aging oversees the provision of services to seniors as the
14 advisory council to the Area Agency on Aging in Cecil County;

15 **WHEREAS**, the Commission on Aging identifies, assesses, and advocates for the needs of the growing
16 older adult population in Cecil County; encourages the development of services designed to address those
17 needs; and supports the mission of the Senior Services and Community Transit of Cecil County of developing
18 and coordinating community-based systems of services for all older adults in County;

19 **WHEREAS**, Pursuant to Section 412(b) of the Charter of Cecil County, the Executive shall appoint all
20 members of boards and commissions and that such membership shall be subject to confirmation by the
21 Council;

22 **WHEREAS**, The Commission on Aging recommends the appointment of Leah Youse to represent Cecil
23 County Public Library and fill the vacancy of Lee O'Brien;

24 **WHEREAS**, Article 4, Section 412 (b) of the Charter of Cecil County provides that the County Executive
25 shall appoint all members of boards and commissions, subject to confirmation by the Council;

26 **WHEREAS**, The County Executive approves the appointment of Leah Youse to fill the vacancy of Lee
27 O'Brien;

28 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED** that the County Council of Cecil County confirms the
29 appointment of Leah Youse to the Commission on Aging to fill the vacancy of Lee O'Brien, term to expire on
30 June 30, 2015.

