

PROPOSED

COUNTY COUNCIL OF ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY, MARYLAND

Legislative Session 2026, Legislative Day No. 11

Bill No. 46-26

Introduced by Ms. Hummer, Chair
(by request of the County Executive)

By the County Council, May 18, 2026

Introduced and first read on May 18, 2026
Public Hearing set for June 15, 2026
Bill Expires August 21, 2026

By Order: Kaley Schultze, Administrative Officer

A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE concerning: Current Expense Budget – Higher
2 Education Fund – Anne Arundel Community College – Transfers of Funds

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4 FOR the purpose of transferring appropriations of funds between certain offices,
5 departments, institutions, boards, commissions or other agencies in the general fund;
6 making this ordinance an emergency measure; and generally relating to transferring
7 and appropriations of funds in the current expense budget for the fiscal year ending
8 June 30, 2026.

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10 BY amending: Current Expense Budget

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12 WHEREAS, under Section 711(a) of the Charter, the County Executive may
13 authorize transfers of funds within the same department and within the same fund;
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16 WHEREAS, under Section 711(a) of the Charter, upon recommendation of the
17 County Executive, the County Council may transfer funds between offices,
18 departments, institutions, boards, commissions or other agencies of the County
19 government and within the same fund of the Current Expense Budget; and

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21 WHEREAS, Section 16-304 of the Education Article of the Annotated Code of
22 Maryland, requires that all appropriations to a community college must be by major
23 functions established by the Maryland Higher Education Commission, and that a
24 community college may not spend more on any major function than the amount
25 appropriated to that major function; and

1 WHEREAS, Section 16-304 further provides that requests for transfers between
2 major functions shall be submitted in writing to the local governing body for
3 approval; and

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5 WHEREAS, Anne Arundel Community College has requested a transfer of an
6 appropriated funds between major functions, the County Executive has
7 recommended the transfer, and the Controller has certified in writing that such
8 funds are available for transfer; now, therefore,

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10 SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the County Council of Anne Arundel County, Maryland,*
11 That the Current Expense Budget for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2026, is hereby
12 amended by transferring appropriations of funds in the amounts shown from:

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14	Higher Education Fund	
15	Anne Arundel Community College	
16	Instruction	\$ 150,000
17	Academic Support	\$ 400,000
18	Student Services	\$ 250,000

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20 and by transferring such funds as listed below in the respective amount set forth:

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22	Higher Education Fund	
23	Anne Arundel Community College	
24	Institutional Support	\$ 800,000

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26 SECTION 2. *And be it further enacted,* That this Ordinance is hereby declared to
27 be an emergency ordinance and necessary for the immediate preservation of the public
28 peace, health, safety, welfare, and property, and being passed by the affirmative vote of
29 five members of the County Council, the same shall take effect from the date it becomes
30 law.