

COUNTY COUNCIL OF ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY, MARYLAND

Legislative Session 2026, Legislative Day No. 17

Resolution No. 32-26

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

By the County Council, September 21, 2026

1 RESOLUTION confirming the appointment of a County resident and a member of the
2 classified service to serve on the Pension Oversight Commission for Anne Arundel County

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4 WHEREAS, Section 606(a) of the Charter provides that there shall be a Pension
5 Oversight Commission that is independent of both the legislative and executive
6 branches of the County government; and

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8 WHEREAS, Section 606(b)(1) of the Charter provides that the Pension Oversight
9 Commission shall consist of nine members appointed by the County Executive and
10 confirmed by resolution of the County Council; and

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12 WHEREAS, Section 606(b)(2) provides that five members of the Pension
13 Oversight Commission shall be residents of the County with knowledge of pension
14 administration and funding who do not hold elective or appointed office with the
15 County or the State and are not participants in a County pension plan; and

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17 WHEREAS, Section 606(b)(3) of the Charter provides that one member shall be a
18 member of a class represented by the employee organization that represents the
19 majority of classified employees other than uniformed police officers and
20 professional fire fighters; and

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22 WHEREAS, Section 606(c) of the Charter provides that the term of a member shall
23 be four years and that a member appointed after a term has begun shall serve for
24 the rest of the term; and

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26 WHEREAS, Section 606(c)(4) of the Charter provides that a person may not serve
27 for more than two terms as a member of the Pension Oversight Commission; and

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29 WHEREAS, Julius M. Jones, Jr., a County resident meeting the requirements of
30 Section 606(b)(2) of the Charter, completed an initial term of membership on the
31 Pension Oversight Commission on July 7, 2026, and, subject to confirmation by
32 the County Council, has been reappointed to a term ending on July 6, 2030; and

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34 WHEREAS, Michael Kropp (a member of a class represented by the employee
35 organization that represents the majority of classified employees other than
36 uniformed police officers and professional fire fighters) was appointed to a term
37 commencing on July 1, 2024, and expiring on June 30, 2028; and

1 WHEREAS, Michael Kropp has resigned effective October 15, 2026, and, subject
2 to confirmation by the County Council, the County Executive has appointed Derek
3 Hormel (a member of a class represented by the employee organization that
4 represents the majority of classified employees other than uniformed police officers
5 and professional fire fighters) to the remainder of the term ending June 30, 2028;
6 and

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8 WHEREAS, the County Council, finds that Julius M. Jones, Jr. and Derek Hormel
9 meet the eligibility requirements under Section 606 of the Charter and are qualified
10 to serve on the Pension Oversight Commission; now, therefore, be it

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12 *Resolved by the County Council of Anne Arundel County, Maryland,* That it hereby
13 confirms the reappointment of Julius M. Jones, Jr. to the Pension Oversight Commission
14 for a term ending on June 30, 2030, and the appointment of Derek Hormel to the Pension
15 Oversight Commission for the remainder of a term ending on June 30, 2028; and be it
16 further

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18 *Resolved,* That a copy of this Resolution be sent to County Executive Steuart Pittman,
19 and to Vincent Carbonaro, Chair, Pension Oversight Commission.

READ AND PASSED this 5th day of October, 2026

By Order:



Kaley Schultze
Administrative Officer

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT RESOLUTION NO. 32-26 IS TRUE AND CORRECT AND DULY
ADOPTED BY THE COUNTY COUNCIL OF ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY.



Julie K. Hummer
Chair