

COUNTY COUNCIL OF BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND
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Resolution No. 55-16

Mrs. Vicki Almond, Chairwoman
By Request of County Executive

By the County Council, May 2, 2016

A RESOLUTION to authorize the County to accept a gift of money from the State of Maryland Department of Public Safety and Correctional Services, Emergency Number Systems Board; and

WHEREAS, the State of Maryland Department of Public Safety and Correctional Services, Emergency Number Systems Board, has determined to authorize up to \$161,081.52 for the Baltimore County Emergency Communications Center (9-1-1 Center) for 9-1-1 Phone System Enhancements that will allow Baltimore County's Back-up 9-1-1 Center to receive Baltimore City 9-1-1 emergency calls in the event the Baltimore City 9-1-1 phone system is off-line or non-operational; and

WHEREAS, all County contracts for the expenditure of funds provided by the State of Maryland Department of Public Safety and Correctional Services, Emergency Number Systems Board, for the 9-1-1 Phone System Enhancements will allow for payments by the State of Maryland Department of Public Safety and Correctional Services, Emergency Number Systems Board, directly to the contractor(s); and

WHEREAS, Section 306 of the Baltimore County Charter vests in the County Council the power to accept gifts and grants;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNTY COUNCIL OF BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND, that the County is authorized to accept the gift of funds totaling not more than \$161,081.52 from the State of Maryland Department of Public Safety and Correctional Services, Emergency Number Systems Board, for the Baltimore County Emergency Communications Center (9-1-1 Center), and the Board can make payments directly to any contractor who is to be paid from said funds; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that this Resolution shall take effect from the date of its passage by the County Council.