



Resolution

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WHEREAS, the County Commissioners of Queen Anne's County, Maryland have introduced County Ordinance No. 08-17, An Act Concerning the Establishment of the Recordation Tax Rate for Queen Anne's County, Maryland ("the Recordation Tax Ordinance");

AND WHEREAS, the Recordation Tax Ordinance, if adopted will increase the recordation tax rate in Queen Anne's County from \$3.30/\$500.00 to \$4.95/\$500.00.

AND WHEREAS, the County Commissioners desire to designate the application of funds generated by this increase in recordation tax to certain purposes and uses;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF QUEEN ANNE'S COUNTY, MARYLAND this 5 day of August, 2008 as follows:

A. Upon adoption and implementation of the Recordation Tax Ordinance the funds generated by the increase in the recordation tax rate shall be applied, apportioned and used as follows:

1. Of the additional tax of \$1.65/\$500.00 of consideration (i) \$1.00 of such additional tax shall be paid toward the funding of a Queen Anne's County PDR (Purchase of Development Rights) program to be instituted in Queen Anne's County; (ii) \$0.50 of such additional tax shall be paid toward the construction and/or renovation of the Queen Anne's County Circuit Court House and (iii) \$0.15 of such additional tax shall be paid to the existing Critical Workforce Program in Queen Anne's County administered by the Department of Housing and Community Services.

AS WITNESS the hands and seals of the County Commissioners of Queen Anne's County, Maryland the day and year above written.

ATTEST:

THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF
QUEEN ANNE'S COUNTY

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