

COUNTY COUNCIL OF WICOMICO COUNTY, MARYLAND

2013 Legislative

Legislative Day No. 13

Resolution No. 88-2013

Introduced by: The President of the Council at the request of the County Executive

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE COUNTY EXECUTIVE TO ACCEPT A GRANT AWARD FROM THE MARYLAND DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES-PROGRAM OPEN SPACE IN THE AMOUNT OF ONE HUNDRED FIFTEEN THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$115,000) AND AN ADDITIONAL GRANT AWARD FROM THE MARYLAND WATERWAY IMPROVEMENT FUND IN THE AMOUNT OF THIRTY-FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$35,000).

WHEREAS, the Department of Recreation, Parks & Tourism desires to repair the bulkhead and catwalks at the Nanticoke Harbor; and

WHEREAS, the Nanticoke Harbor bulkhead repair project was approved in the fiscal year 2013 Capital Improvement Program (CIP) for a total project cost of \$130,000 to be funded in fund 32 Capital Project Account No. 32070060-540009-13122 with the expectation of fifty percent (50%) of the funding to be provided by the State; and

WHEREAS, in the Annual Operating Budget of fiscal year 2013 the County appropriated \$65,000 toward the Nanticoke Harbor bulkhead repair project for the local contribution; and

WHEREAS, the total project cost is now estimated to be \$360,000; and

WHEREAS, the Maryland Department of Natural Resources through Program Open Space administers funds made available to local communities for open and recreational areas; and

WHEREAS, the Department of Recreation, Parks & Tourism submitted an application for Program Open Space funds and has been awarded a grant in the amount of \$115,000 to repair the bulkhead and catwalks at the Nanticoke Harbor; and

WHEREAS, the Department of Recreation, Parks & Tourism is required to provide a \$12,778 match to this grant award and will be transferring \$12,778 from their Nanticoke Harbor escrow account #72070060-520260-72003 to the fund 32 Capital Project Account #32070060-540009-13122; and

WHEREAS, the Department of Recreation, Parks & Tourism submitted an application for Waterway Improvement funds and has been awarded a grant in the amount of \$100,000, which was greater than the \$65,000 requested in the application and approved in the Fiscal Year 2013 CIP; and

WHEREAS, the Waterway Improvement grant requires a one hundred percent (100%) match: with \$65,000 having been appropriated in fiscal year 2013 an additional \$35,000 will be

transferred from the Nanticoke Harbor escrow account #72070060-520260-72003 to the fund 32 Capital Project Account #32070060-540009-13122 to provide the full \$100,000 match; and

WHEREAS, the County Executive recommends the acceptance of the grant award from the Maryland Department of Natural Resources-Program Open Space and the award from the Maryland Waterway Improvement fund; and

WHEREAS, the remaining needed local contribution in the amount of \$32,222 is to be transferred from the Department of Recreation, Parks & Tourism Nanticoke Harbor escrow account #72070060-520260-72003 to the fund 32 Capital Project Account #32070060-540009-13122; and

WHEREAS, the Director of Finance has certified that the appropriations to be transferred are not encumbered and funds are available for transfer.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the County Council of Wicomico County, Maryland as follows:

1. The County Executive is authorized to accept the grant award from the Maryland Department of Natural Resources-Program Open Space in the amount of one hundred fifteen thousand dollars (\$115,000).
2. The County Executive is authorized to accept the additional thirty-five thousand dollars (\$35,000) grant award from the Maryland Waterway Improvement fund.

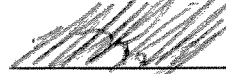
Done at Salisbury, Maryland, this 16th day of July, 2013.

ATTEST:



Matthew E. Creamer,
Council Administrator

COUNTY COUNCIL OF
WICOMICO COUNTY, MARYLAND



Matt Holloway,
Council President

CERTIFICATION

This Resolution was Adopted , Adopted with Amendments , Failed , Withdraw by the County Council on July 16, 2013.

Certified by



Matthew E. Creamer, Council Administrator