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Public Hearing October 19, 2020  
Council Action January 4, 2021  
Executive Action January 5, 2021  
Effective Date January 5, 2021

## County Council of Howard County, Maryland

2020 Legislative Session

Legislative Day No. 14

### Transfer of Appropriation Ordinance

#### No. 1 - Fiscal Year 2021

Introduced by: The Chairperson at the request of the County Executive

AN ACT transferring a total of \$54,652,000 from C0214, Category Contingency Fund, to capital project C0364, New Cultural Center, for Fiscal Year 2021.

Introduced and read first time October 5, 2020. Ordered posted and hearing scheduled.

By order

Diane Schwartz Jones  
Diane Schwartz Jones, Administrator

Having been posted and notice of time & place of hearing & title of Bill having been published according to Charter, the Bill was read for a second time at a public hearing on October 19, 2020.

By order

Diane Schwartz Jones  
Diane Schwartz Jones, Administrator

This Bill was read the third time on January 4, 2021 and Passed , Passed with amendments \_\_\_\_\_, Failed \_\_\_\_\_.

By order

Diane Schwartz Jones  
Diane Schwartz Jones, Administrator

Sealed with the County Seal and presented to the County Executive for approval this 5<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2021 at 1:30 pm a.m./p.m.

By order

Diane Schwartz Jones  
Diane Schwartz Jones, Administrator

Approved by the County Executive January 5, 2021

Calvin Ball  
Calvin Ball, County Executive

NOTE: [[text in brackets]] indicates deletions from existing law; TEXT IN SMALL CAPITALS indicates additions to existing law; ~~Strike-out~~ indicates material deleted by amendment; Underlining indicates material added by amendment.

1           **WHEREAS**, Section 609 of the Howard County Charter authorizes and empowers  
2 the Howard County Council to make interproject transfers of appropriations between  
3 capital projects in the capital budget and such transfers may be authorized by legislative  
4 act of the Council upon request of the Executive; and

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6           **WHEREAS**, on May 27, 2020, the County Council adopted Council Bill No. 25-  
7 2020 that adopted the Annual Budget and Appropriation Ordinance for Fiscal Year 2021;  
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10           **WHEREAS**, Council Bill No. 25-2020 moved funding in the amount of  
11 \$61,652,000 from capital project C0364, New Cultural Center, to capital project C0214,  
12 Category Contingency Fund for the purpose of allowing additional time to analyze the  
13 project; and

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15           **WHEREAS**, a summer workgroup held a series of public meetings to conduct  
16 further analysis of the project and, during those meetings, \$7,000,000 in savings was  
17 identified; and

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19           **WHEREAS**, funding that was placed into the Category Contingency Fund can be  
20 moved to the New Cultural Center minus the identified cost savings; and

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22           **WHEREAS**, the Director of Finance has indicated that the funds are available for  
23 transfer from the respective projects.

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25           ***Section 1. Be It Enacted by the County Council of Howard County, Maryland, that,***  
26 *subject to the provisions of Maryland law, the Howard County Charter, and the Howard*  
27 *County Code relating to the budgetary and fiscal procedures, the amount hereafter*  
28 *specified is hereby approved, appropriated, and authorized to be disbursed for the general*  
29 *County purposes specified and in sums itemized for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2020*  
30 *and ending June 30, 2021, as hereinafter indicated:*

1 **Donor Project:**

2 C-0214 – Category Contingency Fund

3	Appropriation Fiscal 2021 before transfer	\$133,204,000	
4	Less amount transferred to C0364	<u>\$ 54,652,000</u>	(Other)
5	Appropriation Fiscal 2021 after transfer	\$ 78,552,000	

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7 **Recipient Project:**

8 C-0364 – New Cultural Center


9	Total Appropriation Fiscal 2021 before transfer	\$ 1,500,000	
10	Plus amount transferred from C-0214	<u>\$ 54,652,000</u>	(Other GO)
11	Appropriation Fiscal 2021 after transfer	\$ 56,152,000	

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13 ***Section 2. And Be It Further Enacted by the County Council of Howard County,***  
14 ***Maryland that this Transfer of Appropriation Ordinance shall be effective upon its***  
15 ***enactment.***

BY THE COUNCIL

This Bill, having been approved by the Executive and returned to the Council, stands enacted on \_\_\_\_\_, 2020.

  
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Diane Schwartz Jones, Administrator to the County Council

BY THE COUNCIL

This Bill, having been passed by the yeas and nays of two-thirds of the members of the Council notwithstanding the objections of the Executive, stands enacted on \_\_\_\_\_, 2020.

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Diane Schwartz Jones, Administrator to the County Council

BY THE COUNCIL

This Bill, having received neither the approval nor the disapproval of the Executive within ten days of its presentation, stands enacted on \_\_\_\_\_, 2020.

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Diane Schwartz Jones, Administrator to the County Council

BY THE COUNCIL

This Bill, not having been considered on final reading within the time required by Charter, stands failed for want of consideration on \_\_\_\_\_, 2020.

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Diane Schwartz Jones, Administrator to the County Council

BY THE COUNCIL

This Bill, having been disapproved by the Executive and having failed on passage upon consideration by the Council stands failed on \_\_\_\_\_, 2020.

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Diane Schwartz Jones, Administrator to the County Council

BY THE COUNCIL

This Bill, the withdrawal of which received a vote of two-thirds (2/3) of the members of the Council, is withdrawn from further consideration on \_\_\_\_\_, 2020.

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Diane Schwartz Jones, Administrator to the County Council