

ORDINANCE NO. ORD-2026-06

AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING THE SALARIES OF CERTAIN ELECTED OFFICIALS FOR WASHINGTON COUNTY, MARYLAND

RECITALS

Pursuant to Md. Code Annotated, *Local Gov't* §28-201 through §28-209, the Board of County Commissioners of Washington County, Maryland constituted the Salary Study Commission to study and make recommendations on the salaries of certain elected officials.

The Salary Study Commission held a public hearing and received testimony concerning the studied offices. Thereafter, the Commission issued its report and made recommendations to the Board concerning the salaries of the offices.

The Board discussed the recommendations of the Salary Study Commission and believes it to be in the best interests of the citizens of the County for the Board to establish, as required by law, salaries for certain elected offices, commencing with the next term of office.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED AND ORDAINED by the Board of County Commissioners of Washington County, Maryland, pursuant to Md. Code Annotated, *Local Gov't* §28-209(a), that the following annual salaries are established:

Board of County Commissioners	
President	\$44,000
Member	\$41,000
Board of Education	
President	\$15,100
Member	\$14,600


Orphans' Court	\$8,400
Treasurer	\$6,000
Board of Liquor License Commissioners	
President	\$15,100
Member	\$12,500

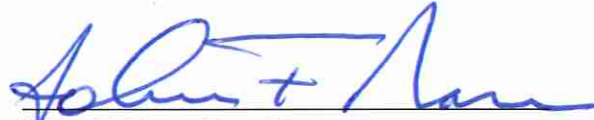
BE IT FURTHER ENACTED AND ORDAINED that the each judge of the Orphans' Court is entitled to an annual expense stipend of \$500, in accordance with Board policies concerning expenses and reimbursements.

Adopted and effective this 17<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2026.

ATTEST:

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
OF WASHINGTON COUNTY, MARYLAND

  
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