

RESOLUTION NO. RS-2022-05

DESIGNATING THE WASHINGTON COUNTY ARTS COUNCIL AS THE OFFICIAL ARTS
AGENCY AND COUNCIL FOR THE COUNTY

RECITALS

Maryland was one of the first states in the nation to create a state council for the arts when the General Assembly enacted legislation declaring it "the policy of the State to strive to create a nurturing climate for the arts" and formally recognized that the arts are a vital part of Maryland's culture and heritage.

Soon thereafter, the Washington County Arts Council ("WCAC") was created on October 25, 1967, to aid and advise the cultural arts in Washington County, Maryland, and to integrate the arts into the local community.

The WCAC was incorporated in 1968, making it one of the first art agencies in the State.

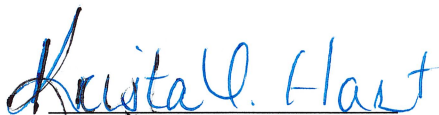
The Board desires to affirm the important role that WCAC serves by promoting cultural arts in the County and enriching the cultural life of County residents and visitors.

The Board believes that the WCAC should be designated as the official arts council for Washington County, Maryland.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF WASHINGTON COUNTY, MARYLAND, that the WCAC is hereby designated as the official arts agency and council for Washington County, Maryland.

Adopted this 25th day of January, 2022.

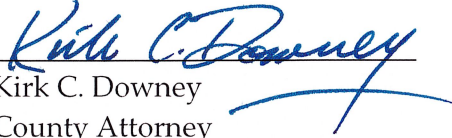
ATTEST:


Krista L. Hart, Clerk

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
OF WASHINGTON COUNTY, MARYLAND

BY: 
Jeffrey A. Cline, President

Approved as to form
and legal sufficiency:


Kirk C. Downey
County Attorney