COUNTY COUNCIL OF BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND Legislative Session 2016, Legislative Day No. <u>22</u>

Bill No. <u>93-16</u>

Mrs. <u>Vicki Almond</u>, Chairwoman By Request of County Executive

By the County Council, December 19, 2016

A BILL ENTITLED

AN ACT concerning

The 2016-2017 Current Expense Budget Gifts and Grants Special Revenue Fund HMEP Grant Award

FOR the purpose of amending the 2016-2017 Current Expense Budget, by appropriating to the Gifts and Grants Special Revenue Fund monies derived from federal funds and made

available to the County through the Hazardous Materials Emergency Preparedness

(HMEP) grant from the Department of Homeland Security, Federal Emergency

Management Agency United States Department of Transportation.

WHEREAS, the Department of Homeland Security, Federal Emergency Management

Agency United States Department of Transportation has made an award of federal funds

available to the Baltimore County Fire Department, to be used to allow thirty employees to

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW. [Brackets] indicate matter stricken from existing law. Strike out indicates matter stricken from bill. Underlining indicates amendments to bill. attend a propane gas emergency mitigation training program, continuing their hazardous material training; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with Sections 306 and 712(a) of the Baltimore County Charter and Section 10-6-102 of the Baltimore County Code, 2015, as amended, the County Council may accept gifts and grants, appropriate same to the Gifts and Grants Special Revenue Fund and expend the same, said fund having been established solely for the purpose of accounting for certain monetary gifts and grants made available to the County for restricted purposes; and

WHEREAS, such fund remains open perpetually as a mechanism to account for the respective gift and grant appropriations and expenditures throughout the entire term of the grant period, including beyond the current expense budget fiscal year; now therefore

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE COUNTY COUNCIL OF BALTIMORE
 COUNTY, MARYLAND, pursuant to the power and authority conferred upon it by Sections 306
 and 712(a) of the Baltimore County Charter and Section 10-6-102 of the Baltimore County
 Code, 2015, as amended, that the Current Expense Budget for the fiscal year ending June 30,
 2017, be and is hereby amended by appropriating federal funds made available to the Baltimore
 County Fire Department, in the amount herein specified, to the following program:

7 005-016-1740 HMEP Grant Award \$4,115

8 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, that this Act, having been passed by
9 the affirmative vote of five members of the County Council, shall take effect January 30, 2017.

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