

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF CHARLES COUNTY, MARYLAND

2024 Legislative Session

Bill 2024-04

REVISED 9-1-1 MAINTENANCE AND OPERATIONS

Introduced by Charles County Commissioners

FOR the purpose of Amending the local law concerning the maintenance and operations of 9-1-1 to ensure consistency with the amended State enabling legislations that allows for an increase in the 9-1-1 fee to cover projected operational costs for the following fiscal year. BY amending: Chapter 236 – Fees Article II, 911 Fee Section 236-2 – Switched local exchange access service, *Code of Charles County, Maryland*.

Date introduced: 02 / 07 / 2024

Public Hearing: 03 / 19 / 2024 Virtual and In-Person @ 6:00 p.m.

Commissioners Action: 03 / 19 / 2024

Commissioner Votes: RBC: Y, GB: Y, TC: Y, AS: Y, RP: Y

Pass/Fail: Pass

Effective Date: 05 / 03 / 2024

Remarks: _____

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[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.

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5 Bill No. 2024-04

6 Chapter. No. 236

7 Introduced by Charles County Commissioners

8 Date of Introduction: February 7, 2024

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10 BILL

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18 consistency with the amended State enabling legislations that allows for an increase in the 9-1-1
19 fee to cover projected operational costs for the following fiscal year.

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23 Chapter 236 – Fees

24 Article II, 911 Fee

25 Section 236-2 – Switched local exchange access service

26 *Code of Charles County, Maryland*

27 *(2023 Edition)*

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29 NOW, therefore,


1 **SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF CHARLES**
2 **COUNTY, MARYLAND,** that the Laws of Charles County, Maryland read as follows:
3 236-2. Switched local exchange access service
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5 There is hereby imposed an additional charge of **\$0.75** [\$0.25] per month **PER SWITCHED**
6 **LOCAL EXCHANGE ACCESS SERVICE OR CMRS OR OTHER 9-1-1-ACCESSIBLE**
7 **SERVICE** not to exceed **\$2.50** [\$0.75] to be applied to all current bills for 9-1-1 [911] telephone
8 service within Charles County, Maryland, under the authority of **AND IN ACCORDANCE**
9 **WITH PUBLIC SAFETY ARTICLE §1-311** [Article 41, § 18-105c] of the Annotated Code of
10 Maryland.

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12 **SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, THAT THIS ACT SHALL TAKE**
13 **EFFECT SIXTY-FIVE (65) DAYS FROM THE DATE IT BECOMES LAW.**

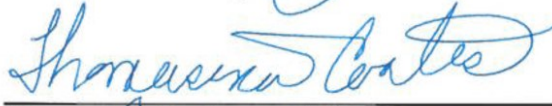
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15 ADOPTED this 19th day of March 2024.
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17 **COUNTY COMMISSIONERS**
18 **CHARLES COUNTY, MARYLAND**

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22 Reuben B. Collins, II, Esq., President

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39 ATTEST:

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43 Carol A. DeSoto, Clerk to the Commissioners

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