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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Commissioners of St. Mary's County will hold a Public Hearing on September 17, 2015 at 6:30 p.m. at the Ridge Volunteer Fire Department Fire House located at 13820 Point Lookout Rd, Ridge, MD 20680 to consider a proposed Resolution that St. Mary's County become a code county and that, subject to approval at referendum, St. Mary's County shall operate under *Article XI-F* of the *Maryland Constitution*.

Citizens are encouraged to attend and participate in the public hearing.

Note that as a result of the evidence and comments made at the public hearing, amendments may be made to the proposed resolution.

Written comments, questions and suggestions may be submitted to: Commissioners of St. Mary's County, P.O. Box 653, Leonardtown, MD 20650.

A copy of the proposed Resolution is available at www.co.saint-marys.md.us under "Public Hearing Notices." The Commissioners invite public comments and participation.

COMMISSIONERS OF ST. MARY'S COUNTY

By: George R. Sparling, County Attorney

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Subject: To be Governed by the Provisions of Article 11-F of the Maryland Constitution

RESOLUTION

TO BE GOVERNED BY THE PROVISIONS OF ARTICLE 11-F OF THE MARYLAND CONSTITUTION

WHEREAS, pursuant to Article 11-F of the Maryland Constitution, a county may propose that the county become a code county and be governed by the provisions of Article 11-F of the Maryland Constitution, and

WHEREAS, the Commissioners of St. Mary's County, Maryland, finds that it is in the best interest of the health, safety and welfare of the citizens of St. Mary's County that St. Mary's County become a code county and be governed by the provisions of Article 11-F of the Maryland Constitution,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Commissioners of St. Mary's County, that, subject to approval at referendum, St. Mary's County shall operate under Article XI-F of the Maryland Constitution.

Those voting Aye: _____
Those voting Nay: _____
Those Abstaining: _____
Date of Adoption: _____

ATTEST:

COMMISSIONERS OF ST. MARY'S COUNTY

Rebecca B. Bridgett
County Administrator

James R. Guy, Commissioner President

Michael L. Hewitt, Commissioner

Approved as to form and legal sufficiency:

Tom Jarboe, Commissioner

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