

Resolution No.: 20-1020  
Introduced: January 13, 2026  
Adopted: January 27, 2026

**COUNTY COUNCIL  
FOR MONTGOMERY COUNTY, MARYLAND**

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Lead Sponsor: Council President at the Request of the County Executive

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**SUBJECT:** Supplemental Appropriation #26-48 to the FY26 Operating Budget  
Montgomery County Government  
Department of Health and Human Services  
Homeless Solutions Grant, \$1,346,171 (Source of Funds: State Grant)

**Background**

1. Section 307 of the Montgomery County Charter provides that any supplemental appropriation shall be recommended by the County Executive who shall specify the source of funds to finance it. The Council shall hold a public hearing on each proposed supplemental appropriation after at least one week's notice. A supplemental appropriation that would comply with, avail the County of, or put into effect a grant or a Federal, State or County law or regulation, or one that is approved after January 1 of any fiscal year, requires an affirmative vote of six Councilmembers. A supplemental appropriation for any other purpose that is approved before January 1 of any fiscal year requires an affirmative vote of seven Councilmembers. The Council may, in a single action, approve more than one supplemental appropriation. The Executive may disapprove or reduce a supplemental appropriation, and the Council may reapprove the appropriation, as if it were an item in the annual budget.
2. The County Executive has requested the following FY26 Operating Budget appropriation increases for the Department of Health and Human Services:

<u>Personnel Services</u>	<u>Operating Expenses</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Source of Funds</u>
\$0	\$1,346,171	\$1,346,171	State Grant

3. The supplemental appropriation will make available to the department a Homeless Solutions Grant awarded to Montgomery County by the Maryland Department of Housing and Community Development. This increase is needed because it will assist homeless prevention, rapid re-housing, street outreach, maintenance, staffing, administration, and operation of homeless shelters and post-shelter transitional units, including costs for case

management and client services, and assistance to sheltered persons to facilitate their transition to permanent housing and independent living.

- 4. The County Executive recommends a supplemental appropriation to the FY26 Operating Budget in the amount of \$1,346,171 for the Homeless Solution Grant and specifies that the source of funds will be State Grant.
- 5. Notice of public hearing was given, and a public hearing was held.

**Action**

The County Council for Montgomery County, Maryland approves the following resolution:

A supplemental appropriation to the FY26 Operating Budget of the Department of Health and Human Services is approved as follows:

<u>Personnel Services</u>	<u>Operating Expenses</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Source of Funds</u>
\$0	\$1,346,171	\$1,346,171	State Grant

This is a correct copy of Council action.




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Sara R. Tenenbaum  
Clerk of the Council