

Resolution No:	<u>20-1105</u>
Introduced:	<u>April 21, 2026</u>
Adopted:	<u>May 5, 2026</u>

**COUNTY COUNCIL
FOR MONTGOMERY COUNTY, MARYLAND**

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

SUBJECT: Supplemental Appropriation #26-43 to the FY26 Operating Budget
Montgomery County Government – Department of Transportation
Streets and Roads – Roadside Trees-Protection, \$100,050

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 Transportation:

<u>Personnel Services</u>	<u>Operating Expenses</u>	<u>Capital Outlay</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Source of Funds</u>
\$0	\$100,050	\$0	\$100,050	Street Tree Planting Fund

3. This increase is needed to authorize the expenditure of funds received during FY25. Street Tree Planting Fund revenues can only be used to plant trees in the right-of-way of a public road in the County. These funds were not previously appropriated because the program was new and revenue levels are uncertain.

4. The County Executive recommends a supplemental in the amount of \$100,050 and specifies the source of funds as Street Tree Planting Fund.

5. Notice of public hearing was given, and a public hearing was held.

Action

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

A supplemental appropriation to the FY26 Operating Budget of the Department of Transportation is approved as follows:

<u>Personnel Services</u>	<u>Operating Expenses</u>	<u>Capital Outlay</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Source of Funds</u>
\$0	\$100,050	\$0	\$100,050	Street Tree Planting Fund

This is a correct copy of Council action.



Sara R. Tenenbaum
Clerk of the Council

OPERATING BUDGET
SUPPLEMENTAL OR SPECIAL APPROPRIATION REQUEST SUMMARY

1. Please fill in the following table:

Agency	County Government
Department	Department of Transportation
Fund (County Government only)	Street Tree Planting Fund
Fiscal year	FY26
Supplemental or Special	Supplemental
Operating or Capital budget	Operating

2. What is the amount and source of funding?

Source of funding (Please list sources)	Amount
Street Tree Planting Fund	\$100,050
Total request	\$100,050

3. Is the request one-time or continuing? If continuing and funded by a grant, what will you do when the grant ends? One-time

Please provide a brief description, justification, expected outcomes, and how the outcomes will be measured. This supplemental is for Street Tree Planting Fund to plant trees in the right-of-way of a public road in the County in accordance to the Bill no. 41-12 Streets and Roads – Roadside Trees – Protection effective March 1, 2014.

4. Please explain why you did not request this during the annual budget process.

Street Tree Planting Fund to plant trees in the right-of-way of a public road in the County for the previous Fiscal Year, FY25, needs County Council approved appropriation.

5. For your agency, what is the current fiscal year budget for the relevant fund and what is the latest estimate? (do not fill out if the appropriation is funded entirely by a non-County grant)

Budget for current fiscal year for the relevant fund	\$75,000
+ Supplemental/special appropriations already approved	\$0
= Revised budget for current fiscal year	\$175,050
Latest estimate of spending for current year	\$175,050

6. County Government only: For your department or fund, whichever is applicable, what is the current fiscal year budget and what is the latest estimate? (do not fill out if the appropriation is funded entirely by a non-County grant)

Budget for current fiscal year for the department:	\$75,000
+ Supplemental/special appropriations already approved	\$0
= Revised budget for current fiscal year	\$175,050
Latest estimate of spending for current year	\$175,050