

Expedited Bill No. 23-24  
Concerning: Contracts and Procurement  
– Minority Owned Business  
Purchasing Program – Extension of  
Sunset Date  
Revised: 12/10/2024 Draft No. 3  
Introduced: October 15, 2024  
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Executive: December 11, 2024  
Effective: December 11, 2024  
Sunset Date: None  
Ch. 23, Laws of Mont. Co. 2024

## COUNTY COUNCIL FOR MONTGOMERY COUNTY, MARYLAND

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Lead Sponsors: Councilmembers Jawando and Sayles  
Co-Sponsors: then-Council President Friedson, Councilmember Balcombe, then-Council Vice-President Stewart, and Councilmembers Albornoz, Fani-González, Mink, Katz, and Glass

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**AN EXPEDITED ACT** to:

- (1) extend the sunset date for the County’s minority owned business purchasing program;
- (2) require an evaluation and report regarding the need to extend the program; and
- (3) generally amend the law regarding procurement.

By amending

Montgomery County Code  
Chapter 11B, Contracts and Procurement  
Sections 11B-61 and 11B-64

<b>Boldface</b>	<i>Heading or a defined term.</i>
<u>Underlining</u>	<i>Added to existing law by original bill.</i>
<b>[Single boldface brackets]</b>	<i>Deleted from existing law by original bill.</i>
<u>Double underlining</u>	<i>Added by amendment.</i>
<b>[[Double boldface brackets]]</b>	<i>Deleted from existing law or the bill by amendment.</i>
* * *	<i>Existing law unaffected by bill.</i>

*The County Council for Montgomery County, Maryland, approves the following act:*

1           **Sec 1. Sections 11B-61 and 11B-64 are amended as follows:**

2   **Sec. 11B-61. Reports.**

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4           (b)   By July 1, [2023] 2029, the Director of the Office of Procurement must  
5                   submit a report to the County Council evaluating the need to extend the  
6                   minority owned business purchasing program.

7   **Sec. 11B-64. Sunset date.**

8           This Article is not effective after December 31, [2024] 2029.

9           **Sec 2. Expedited Effective Date.** The Council declares that this legislation  
10   is necessary for the immediate protection of the public interest. This Act takes effect  
11   on the date on which it becomes law.

Approved:



Kate Stewart, President, County Council

December 10, 2024

Date

Approved:



Marc Elrich, County Executive

December 11, 2024

Date

*This is a correct copy of Council action.*



Sara R. Tenenbaum, Clerk of the Council

December 11, 2024

Date