

# Howard County Council



## Honorary Resolution Howard County Library System's 75<sup>th</sup> Diamond Anniversary

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Howard County Library System's timeless mission of delivering high-quality public education for all has charted its course from its beginning in a portable school building in Ellicott City in 1940 to six branches throughout the county by 2015; and

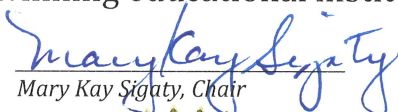
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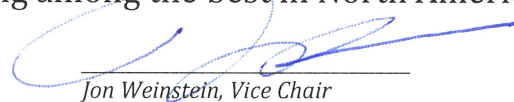
The System's extraordinary team of innovative educators and support staff strive to exceed expectations by designing and delivering a curriculum for students of all ages that comprises Three Pillars: Self-Directed Education, Research Assistance & Instruction, and Instructive & Enlightening Experiences; and

### WHEREAS,

Last year, customers visited Howard County's six branches 3 million times and borrowed over 7 million items, underscoring the major return on the community's investment in the Howard County Library System;

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** on this 24th day of October, 2015, that the County Council of Howard County, Maryland commemorates the 75th Anniversary of the Howard County Library System and commends the many staff and volunteers who have made this library system an award-winning educational institution, ranking among the best in North America.

  
Mary Kay Sigaty, Chair

  
Jon Weinstein, Vice Chair

  
Calvin Ball, Council Member

  
Greg Fox, Council Member

  
Jennifer Terrasa, Council Member

