

# BALTIMORE COUNTY

The legal origin of Baltimore County is not known, but it was in existence by January 12, 1659/60 when a writ was issued to the sheriff of the county. The County name was derived from the name of the Proprietary's Barony in Ireland in the county of Longford.



Form of Government: Charter since 1956

### COUNTY BUDGET

Funds	FY1992 (actual)	FY1993 (actual)	FY1994 (approp.)
County . . .	\$ 901,499,287	\$ 904,257,939	\$ 938,532,615
State . . . .	\$ 190,871,700	\$ 208,652,121	\$ 234,304,705
Federal . . .	\$ 21,927,077	\$ 18,151,100	\$ 23,195,159
Total Funds	\$1,114,298,145	\$1,134,837,137	\$1,196,032,479
<b>Staff</b>			
Authorized . . . .	19,713.72	19,354.85	18,960.68
Contractual (FTE) . . . . .			
Total Staff . . . . .	19,713.72	19,354.85	18,960.68

## ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICES

### COUNTY EXECUTIVE

*Elected by Voters:*  
Roger B. Hayden (Republican), 1994

Old Courthouse, Mezzanine  
400 Washington Ave.  
Towson, MD 21204 (410) 887-2450  
fax: (410) 887-5781

### COUNTY COUNCIL

*Elected by Voters:*  
Douglas B. Riley (R), *Dist. 4, Chairperson*, 1994  
Berchie Lee Manley (R), *Dist. 1* . . . . . 1994  
Melvin G. Mintz (D), *Dist. 2* . . . . . 1994  
C. A. (Dutch) Ruppertsberger III (D), *Dist. 3* . . . . . 1994  
Vincent R. Gardina (D), *Dist. 5* . . . . . 1994  
William A. Howard IV (R), *Dist. 6* . . . . . 1994  
Donald C. Mason (D), *Dist. 7* . . . . . 1994  
*Meetings: 1st & 3rd Mondays, 7:30 p.m.*

Old Courthouse, 2nd floor  
400 Washington Ave.  
Towson, MD 21204 (410) 887-3196  
fax: (410) 887-5791

### ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER

*Appointed by County Executive:*  
Merreen E. Kelly  
(410) 887-2460

## COMMUNITY SERVICES

### SENIOR CITIZEN INFORMATION & ASSISTANCE OFFICE

Dept. of Aging  
611 Central Ave.  
Towson, MD 21204 (410) 887-2594

### SOCIAL SERVICES BOARD

*Appointed by County Executive:*  
Saul Sitzer, *Chairperson*

### DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES

*Appointed by Social Services Board:*  
Camille B. Wheeler, *Director*

620 York Road  
Towson, MD 21204 (410) 887-2811