



Baltimore County, Maryland

Form of Government	Charter Home Rule
When Adopted	1956
Number of Elected Officials	1 County Executive; 7 District Council members
Term of Office	County Council - None; County Executive - Two Consecutive Four-year Terms
County Meeting Dates	First and third Mondays at 6:00 pm. If the meeting falls on a holiday, the following Tuesday. First Mondays only June, July, & August.

<u>Name of Elected Official</u>	<u>Title and District</u>	<u>First Elected</u>
John Olszewski	County Executive	2018
Tom Quirk	Council Member, District 1, Chairman	2010
Izzy Patoka	Council Member, District 2	2018
A. Wade Kach	Council Member, District 3	2014
Julian E. Jones, Jr.	Council Member, District 4	2014
David Marks	Council Member, District 5	2010
Cathy Bevins	Council Member, District 6	2010
Todd K. Crandell	Council Member, District 7	2014

<u>Demographics</u>		<u>Municipalities</u>	
Population and Density		Number	-
Land Area (sq. miles)	598.3	Population	0
Population	827,625	% of Cnty Population	0.0%
Population Density	1383.3	Largest	-
Racial Distribution		Recent Annexations	-
White	61.4%	County Management of Property Taxes	N/A
African American	28.4%		
Hispanic/Latino	5.3%		
Asian	6.0%		
American Indian	0.3%		
Native Hawaiian	0.1%		
Multi-Racial	2.8%		
Other		FY 2020 Budget Actions	
Median Household Income	\$ 74,127	Budget increased by 4.84% over prior year. The county increased income taxes by 0.37%, and increased hotel/motel taxes 1.5%, created a 8% cell phone surcharge and 1% PEG fee. The county repealed 7%/\$20 rent on mobile homes. County provided step increments and longevities and a 2% COLA effective January 1, 2019 to employees.	
Median Home Price	\$ 255,400		
% Persons Living in Poverty	9.2%		
Income Ranking Per Capita	9		

<u>Budget and Finance</u>		<u>K-12 Education (FY 2019)</u>	
FY 2020 General Fund Budget	\$ 2,153,680,849	County Share	49.2%
% of General Fund for Public Safety	18.3%	State Share	45.6%
% of General Fund for Education	42.4%	Federal Share	5.1%

<u>Tax</u>	<u>FY 2020 Tax Rate</u>
Property	1.1
Income	3.20%
Recordation	\$2.50
Transfer	1.50%
Hotel/Motel	10%
Adm & Amusement	10%

	<u>% Limit</u>
Homestead Credit	4%

Adequate Public Financing Ordinances Yes. Facilities or services include schools, roads, water, sewers, stormwater drainage, and recreational space.