

Office of the County Auditor
Auditor's Analysis

Council Bill No. 74-2021

Introduced: October 4, 2021

Auditor: Owen Clark

Fiscal Impact:

There is no anticipated fiscal impact anticipated from this legislation.

Per the Administration, this is only a change in the County's practice of issuing "registrations" rather than "licenses". Revenues previously collected as an "electricians' license fee" will now be referred to as an "electricians' registration fee".

Purpose:

This legislation changes the County Code's references to County electrical "licenses" to become "registrations" in accordance with State law, which now requires the licensing of Master Electricians to be authorized by the State of Maryland Electrical Licensing Board.

Other Comments:

Our Office has noted that the FY 2022 fee schedule for the Department of Inspections, Licenses, and Permits, approved via CR72-2021, was updated appropriately for this legislation by changing its references to "electricians' licenses" to "electricians' licenses or registrations".