



Town of Brentwood

Resolution 2018-02

Creating a Green Energy Policy to Support Energy Star Certification

BE IT RESOLVED that the town of Brentwood, Maryland strives to cultivate a culture of awareness and stewardship to appropriately manage impacts to the environment while building a community that encourages the sustainable use of our communities natural, human and economic resources; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor and Town Council of Brentwood realize the increasing urgency of climate change, rising energy prices, and a fragile economy pose serious threats to Brentwood's ability to thrive, now and in the future; and

WHEREAS, the Town wishes to develop a policy to improve energy consumption efficiency, reduce cost, optimize capital investment for energy efficiency, reduce environmental and greenhouse gas emissions, and conserve natural resources; and

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, BY THE Mayor and Council of the Town of Brentwood that we do hereby create a mission statement mandating that all new building construction made by the Town become energy efficient to obtain an Energy Star Certification.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the Mayor and Council that the Mission, Goals and Objectives of the Brentwood Green Energy Policy for Buildings are established as follows:

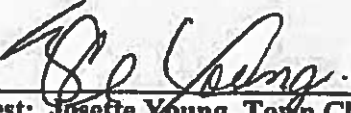
Mission Statement


The Town of Brentwood will promote the efficient use of energy by setting an example and pursuing the EPA Energy Star Building Certification for its Town Hall as well as the refurbishing of the building in Bartlett Park.

Guidelines

- Improve energy efficiency in all Town properties continuously by establishing clear objectives that support the EPA Energy Star certification.
- Make a commitment to allocate staff and funding to achieve continuous energy efficiency improvements.
- Emphasize energy efficiency as a factor in all aspects of new building development.
- Pursue adequate and reliable energy supplies that support renewable and green energy.
- Encourage continuous energy conservation by employees in their work and personal activities.
- Promote the new and current Town Hall as a paragon of sustainability and energy efficiency.
- Support state and national energy efficiency policies.

THIS RESOLUTION IS ADOPTED BY THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF BRENTWOOD THIS 18th DAY OF APRIL 2018.

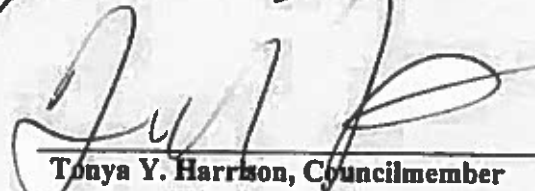

Attest: **Josette Young, Town Clerk**

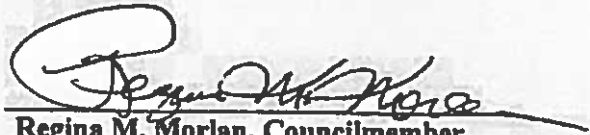

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