ST. MARY'S COUNTY GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN RESOURCES

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Commissioners of St. Mary's County will hold a Public Hearing on **December 6, 2016 at 9:05 am in the Chesapeake Building, Board of County Commissioners Meeting Room, 41770 Baldridge Street in Leonardtown, Maryland**, to consider a Twelfth Amendment to the Sheriff's Office Retirement Plan.

Citizens are encouraged to attend and participate in the public hearing. Note that as a result of the evidence and comments made at the public hearing, amendments may be made to the proposed 12thAmendment.

Written comments, questions and suggestions may be submitted on or before December 14, 2016, to: Commissioners of St. Mary's County, P.O. Box 653, Leonardtown, MD 20650.

Copies of the proposed 12th Amendment are available in the Department of Human Resources, Potomac Building, 3rd floor, 23115 Leonard Hall Drive, Leonardtown, MD 20650, <u>www.stmarysmd.com</u>.

Any reasonable accommodation for persons with disabilities should be requested by contacting the St. Mary's County Public Information Officer at (301) 475-4200, *1342.

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By: Catherine Pratson, Director of Human Resources

TWELFTH AMENDMENT TO THE ST. MARY'S COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE RETIREMENT PLAN

<u>First Change</u> – Section 1.05(l) shall be amended to read as follows:

(1) *Covered Employee*. Except as otherwise provided in Section 1.06, "Covered Employee" means any Employee who is classified by the County as the Sheriff, a Deputy Sheriff, a Correctional Officer, or an Inmate Services Coordinator of the Sheriff's Office. Effective January 1, 2017, any Employee who is classified by the County as a Pre-Trial Services Case Manager is a Covered Employee. Notwithstanding the foregoing, a "Covered Employee" shall not include an individual classified by the County as a "contractual employee" whose employment is governed by a contract between the County or the St. Mary's County Sheriff's Office and the Employee initially entered into on or after March 1, 2016.

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