

**TOWN OF FOREST HEIGHTS  
RESOLUTION 18-24**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF  
FOREST HEIGHTS, MARYLAND, TO APPROVE THE EMPLOYMENT AND  
APPOINTMENT OF JERMAINE GARNER AS A CREWMAN TO SERVE  
WITHIN THE FOREST HEIGHTS PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT**

Introduced By: Councilmember Jonathon Kennedy

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to Section 33-66 of the Charter of the Town of Forest Heights (the "Charter") the Town shall have the power to employ such officers and employees as it deems necessary to execute the powers and duties provided by the Charter or other state law and to operate the Town government; and

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to Section 33-18(b) of the Charter, all full-time subordinate officers and employees of the offices, departments, and agencies of the Town government shall be appointed and removed by the Mayor with the consent of the Council, in accordance with rules and regulations of any merit system which may be adopted by the Council; and

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to Section 23.9 of the Town Ordinance Code, certain minimum qualifications for an Crewman are stated therein, and the Interim Town Administrator has verified to the Mayor and Council that the candidate is of good moral character and emotionally stable, as determined by a background investigation, employment, and driving records; and

**WHEREAS**, the Council finds that Jermiane Garner has shown that he has the necessary experience, training, and knowledge to serve as a Public Works Crewman in the, Department of Public Works, and it is in the best interest of the Town to appoint Mr. Garner as a Public Works Crewman.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Town Council hereby consents to the Mayor's appointment of Jermaine Garner as a Public Works Crewman in the merit pay scale system at Grade 3, Step 6 at the annual salary of \$39,977.60 and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that said crewman's salary shall be paid from the most appropriate line item 9009-7001 as deemed by the Town Treasurer from the FY2024 Budget; and

**AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that this Resolution shall take effect immediately upon its passage.

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PASSED this 20 day of March 2024.

ROLL CALL VOTE	YEA/NAY/ABSTAIN/ABSENT
LITTLE	<u>Yea</u>
KENNEDY II	<u>Yea</u>
MCDONALD	<u>Yea</u>
HINES	<u>Yea</u>
LILLY	<u>Yea</u>
BROWNSON	<u>Yea</u>

ATTEST:

Sherletta Hawkins, CMC  
Sherletta Hawkins, Town Clerk

THE TOWN OF FOREST HEIGHTS, MARYLAND

By: Troy Barrington Lilly  
Troy Barrington Lilly, Mayor

CERTIFICATION

I, hereby certify, as the duly appointed Clerk of the Town of Forest Heights, Maryland, that on the 20 day of March 2024 with Aye votes and Nay votes the aforesaid Resolution 18-24 passed.

Sherletta Hawkins, CMC

Sherletta Hawkins, Town Clerk