

**Department of Legislative Services**  
Maryland General Assembly  
2010 Session

**FISCAL AND POLICY NOTE**

House Bill 21 (Delegate G. Clagett)  
Appropriations

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**Maryland Consolidated Capital Bond Loan of 2009 - Frederick County - The  
John Hanson Memorial**

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This bill alters the Maryland Consolidated Capital Bond Loan of 2009 to accurately reflect the proposed location of the John Hanson Memorial. The proposed site of the memorial is in Frederick; the site was incorrectly identified as Adamstown.

The bill takes effect June 1, 2010.

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**Fiscal Summary**

**State Effect:** The bill does not directly affect governmental operations or finances.

**Local Effect:** The bill does not directly affect the finances or operations of Frederick County.

**Small Business Effect:** None.

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**Analysis**

**Current Law:** Chapter 485 of 2009 authorizes up to \$50,000 in matching funds to the Board of Trustees of the John Hanson Memorial for the design, construction, and sculpture of the John Hanson Memorial. No part of the grantee's matching fund may consist of real property, in-kind contributions, or funds expended prior to June 1, 2009.

**Background:** John Hanson was the first president of the United States Congress Assembled, the nation's original government, which existed from 1781 until 1789. John Hanson was the only Marylander ever elected to the nation's highest office. The John

Hanson Memorial Association manages the design, construction, and sculpture of a monument-scale statue of President Hanson in Frederick, the city where Hanson rose to national political prominence.

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### **Additional Information**

**Prior Introductions:** None.

**Cross File:** None.

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