

RESOLUTION 5-75

THIS RESOLUTION entered into this 4th day of July, 1975 by the Commissioners of Leonardtown.

WHEREAS, by Order of the Governor's Council in 1694 each county was designated a flag of a certain color to represent its militia contingent. St. Mary's County was issued a plain red flag.

WHEREAS, since Leonardtown is the County Seat of Government in St. Mary's County and since two greens were laid out in the center of the town for militia to practice military drill, Leonardtown has become the guardian of the colors.

WHEREAS, it is only fitting that the town government of Leonardtown should have a special flag to indicate its exalted position in St. Mary's County.

The following is the description of the flag of Leonardtown:

A plain red rectangle 2 feet high by 3 feet wide in size, completely bordered with gold fringe (one inch in length), and bearing in the center of the field the seal of Leonardtown, already described, 1/5 the height of the field. The seal is to be found on both the obverse and reverse sides of the rectangle.

Witness the hand and seal of the Commissioners of Leonardtown the day and year first above written.

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