PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY COUNCIL

COMMITTEE REPORT

2025 Legislative Session

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Action:	FAV(A)

REPORT:

Committee Vote: Favorable as Amended, 4-0 (In Favor: Council Members Olson, Burroughs, Dernoga, and Harrison).

The Committee convened on February 27 and again on March 27 to discuss CB-4-2025. As originally drafted, CB-4 proposed the establishment of a new Section 26-130 to define utility trailers and establish parking restrictions for such trailers. It also required the display of information identifying the trailer's owner or rightful possessor, set penalties for violating these parking restrictions, and exempted certain vehicles from these restrictions. The bill was held in committee on February 27th to allow the development of amendments to address concerns raised by the Committee, the Revenue Authority, and the Administration.

On March 27th, the Committee discussed the sponsor's proposed DR 2, which removes the language from DR 1, and proposes the amendment of Sec 26-123(d) to specifically reference trailers that are not commercial, and establish fines for non-commercial trailers at One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) for each violation, with eligibility for a separate citation for each subsequent twenty-four (24) hour period during which the trailer continues to be in violation. Section 26-123(a) prohibits parking of specified vehicles on any County street or highway between the hours of 6:00 p.m. and 6:00 a.m.

Per Section 26-134, the County Police Department and the Revenue Authority are authorized to enforce the provisions in this Section. During the discussion, the Committee recommended amendments to the bill's title to reflect the applicability to non-commercial trailers, and Revenue Authority Staff indicated support for the revised DR 2.

After discussion, the Committee voted favorably on CB-4-2025 as amended by a vote of 4-0.