



Prince George's County Council

Agenda Item Summary

Meeting Date: 11/19/2019

Effective Date: 2/3/2020

Reference No.: CB-052-2019

Chapter Number: 44

Draft No.: 3

Public Hearing Date: 11/19/2019 @ 11:00 AM

Proposer(s): Dernoga, Glaros, Ivey, Taveras, Streeter and Hawkins

Sponsor(s): Dernoga, Glaros, Ivey, Taveras, Streeter, Hawkins, Turner, Anderson-Walker, Davis and Harrison

Item Title: AN ACT CONCERNING NON-COMPOSTABLE STRAWS AND STIRRERS BAN for the purpose of providing for legislative intent; providing for certain definitions; prohibiting Food Service businesses or Retail businesses in Prince George’s County from selling, distributing, or otherwise providing certain straws and stirrers with certain food or beverage under certain circumstances; providing for certain exemptions; providing for education and outreach; providing for enforcement; providing for certain civil fines and civil penalties; providing for the appropriation of certain funds; and generally relating to non-compostable straws and stirrers.

Drafter: Kathleen H. Canning, Legislative Officer

Resource Personnel: Michelle J. Garcia, Chief of Staff/Legislative Aide, District 1

LEGISLATIVE HISTORY:

Date:	Acting Body:	Action:	Sent To:
09/24/2019	County Council	presented and referred	
	Action Text: This Council Bill was presented by Council Members Dernoga, Glaros, Ivey, Taveras, Streeter and Hawkins and referred to the Transportation, Infrastructure, Energy and Environment Committee.		
10/10/2019	TIEE	Favorably recommended with amendments	County Council
	Action Text: A motion was made by Council Member Dernoga, seconded by Council Member Glaros, that this Council Bill be Favorably recommended with amendments to the County Council. The motion carried by the following vote: Aye: 3 Dernoga, Glaros and Turner Absent: 2 Taveras and Anderson-Walker		
10/22/2019	County Council	introduced	

Action Text:

This Council Bill was introduced by Council Members Dernoga, Glaros, Ivey, Taveras, Streeter, Hawkins, Turner, Anderson-Walker, Davis and Harrison.

11/19/2019 County Council public hearing held

Action Text:

This public hearing was held.

11/19/2019 County Council amended (1)

Action Text:

A motion was made by Council Member Dernoga, seconded by Council Member Glaros, that this Council Bill be amended (1). The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye: 9 Turner, Anderson-Walker, Davis, Dernoga, Glaros, Harrison, Hawkins, Ivey and Taveras

Absent: 2 Franklin and Streeter

11/19/2019 County Council enacted

Action Text:

A motion was made by Council Member Anderson-Walker, seconded by Council Member Ivey, that Draft 3 of this Council Bill be enacted. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye: 10 Turner, Anderson-Walker, Davis, Dernoga, Glaros, Harrison, Hawkins, Ivey, Streeter and Taveras

Absent: 1 Franklin

12/18/2019 County Executive signed

Action Text:

This Council Bill was signed

AFFECTED CODE SECTIONS:

19-156 19-155 19-154 19-153 19-152 19-151 19-150

BACKGROUND INFORMATION/FISCAL IMPACT:

This bill prohibits the sale, distribution or provision of non-compostable straws or stirrers by eating or drinking establishments in the County by July 1, 2020.

Document(s): B2019052, CB-052-2019 AIS, CB-052-2019 Report