

COUNTY COUNCIL OF PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY, MARYLAND
2025 Legislative Session

Bill No. CB-071-2025

Chapter No. 57

Proposed and Presented by Council Member Olson

Introduced by Council Members Olson, Watson, Oriadha, Dernoga, Adams-Stafford,
Hawkins and Burroughs

Co-Sponsors Council Members Fisher, Blegay, and Ivey

Date of Introduction October 21, 2025

BILL

1 AN ACT concerning

2 Vehicles and Traffic - Bike Lanes and Bikeways

3 For the purpose of providing certain definitions; providing for prohibiting motorized vehicles on
4 bike lanes and bikeways with certain exceptions and generally regarding the prohibition with
5 exceptions of motor vehicles on bike lanes and bikeways.

6 BY repealing and reenacting with amendments:

7 SUBTITLE 26. VEHICLES AND TRAFFIC.

8 [DIVISION 12. BICYCLES AND PLAY VEHICLES.]

9 [Section 26-152,] Sections 26-101 and 26-127.04,

10 The Prince George's County Code

11 (2023 Edition; 2024 Supplement).

12 [BY adding:] [SUBTITLE 26. VEHICLES AND TRAFFIC.

13 DIVISION 12. BICYCLES AND PLAY VEHICLES.

14 Section 26-152.01,

15 The Prince George's County Code

16 (2023 Edition; 2024 Supplement).]

17 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED by the County Council of Prince George's County,
18 Maryland, that Sections [26-152] 26-101 and 26-127.04 of the Prince George's County Code be
19 and the same are hereby repealed and reenacted with the following amendments:

1 Maryland, that Section 26-152.01 of the Prince George's County Code be and the same is hereby
2 added:]

3 **SUBTITLE 26. VEHICLES AND TRAFFIC.**

4 **[DIVISION 12. BICYCLES AND PLAY VEHICLES.]**

5 **DIVISION 8. PARKING REGULATIONS.**

6 **Sec. 26-127.04 - Stopping, standing, or parking prohibited in specified places.**

7 (a) General rule. The provisions of this Section apply except as necessary to avoid conflict
8 with other traffic or in compliance with law or the directions of a police officer or traffic control
9 device.

10 (b) Stopping, standing, or parking. No person shall stop, stand, or park a vehicle:

11 (1) In front of a public driveway;

12 (2) On a sidewalk;

13 (3) In an intersection;

14 (4) On a crosswalk;

15 (5) Between a safety zone and the adjacent curb or within thirty (30) feet of points on
16 the curb immediately opposite the ends of a safety zone, unless the Director indicates a different
17 length by signs or markings;

18 (6) Alongside or opposite any highway excavation or obstruction if to do so would
19 obstruct traffic;

20 (7) On any bridge or other elevated structure on a highway;

21 (8) In a highway tunnel;

22 (9) At any place where stopping is prohibited by an official sign;[or]

23 (10) On any entrance or exit ramp of any highway with two or more lanes for traffic
24 moving in the same direction[.]; or

25 (11) In a bike lane or bikeway.

26 (A) An authorized emergency vehicle responding to an emergency, a transit
27 vehicle, a vehicle stopping momentarily to pick up or discharge disabled individuals, or a vehicle
28 that has become unintentionally disabled are exempt from the provisions of this Section.

29 Bikeable shoulders shall be exempted unless they are striped as bike lanes.

30 **[Sec. 26-152.01 Motorized vehicles prohibited; Bike Lanes and Bikeways.]**

31 [(a) No person shall stop, park, stand or drive any motorized vehicle in a bike lane or

1 bikeway.

2 (b) Electric bicycles or scooters are not classified as motorized vehicles for the purposes of
3 this Section. An authorized emergency vehicle responding to an emergency, a transit vehicle, a
4 vehicle picking up or discharging disabled individuals, or a vehicle that has become
5 unintentionally disabled are exempt from the provisions of this Section. Bikeable shoulders shall
6 be exempted unless they are striped as bike lanes.

7 (c) Any person issued a citation for a violation of this Section shall be subject to a fine of
8 Fifty Dollars (\$50.00) for each offense.]

9 SECTION [3] 2. BE IT FURTHER ENACTED that the provisions of this Act are hereby
10 declared to be severable; and, in the event that any section, subsection, paragraph, subparagraph,
11 sentence, clause, phrase, or word of this Act is declared invalid or unconstitutional by a court of
12 competent jurisdiction, such invalidity or unconstitutionality shall not affect the remaining
13 words, phrases, clauses, sentences, subparagraphs, paragraphs, subsections, or sections of this
14 Act, since the same would have been enacted without the incorporation in this Act of any such
15 invalid or unconstitutional word, phrase, clause, sentence, paragraph, subparagraph, subsection,
16 or section.

17 SECTION [4] 3. BE IT FURTHER ENACTED that this Act shall take effect forty-five
18 (45) calendar days after it becomes law.

Adopted this 17th day of November, 2025.

COUNTY COUNCIL OF PRINCE
GEORGE'S COUNTY, MARYLAND

BY: _____
Edward P. Burroughs III
Chair

ATTEST:

Donna J. Brown
Clerk of the Council

APPROVED:

DATE: _____ BY: _____
Aisha N. Braveboy
County Executive

KEY:

Underscoring indicates language added to existing law.

[Brackets] indicate language deleted from existing law.

Asterisks *** indicate intervening existing Code provisions that remain unchanged.

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