

PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY GOVERNMENT

OFFICE OF THE COUNTY EXECUTIVE

May 16, 2022

The Honorable Calvin S. Hawkins, II Chair Prince George's County Council Wayne K. Curry Administration Building Largo, Maryland 20774

Dear Chair Hawkins:

Enclosed for the County Council's consideration and approval is a bill increasing and adding fines and authorizing immobilization and/or impoundment for violating certain parking laws. Specifically, this bill increases the fines: 1) for standing or parking at bus stops from \$20 to \$50; 2) for parking unregistered vehicles and trailers from \$60 to \$100; 3) for parking in reserved parking spaces from \$25 to \$35; 4) for noncompliance with rules for parking in meter spaces from \$25 to \$35; 5) for damaging parking meters from \$25 to \$100; 6) with the exception of parking in public parking facilities for longer than 24 hours, for noncompliance with rules for parking in public parking facilities from \$20 to \$35; and for parking in public parking facilities for longer than 24 hours from \$20 to \$50.

This bill also adds fines for parking in spaces reserved for charging electric vehicles in an amount of \$100 and for displaying expired registration stickers in the amount of \$100.

Finally, this bill authorizes immobilization and impoundments without prior notice to owners of vehicles with five or more unpaid traffic and/or parking violations.

The Council's favorable consideration of this legislation is greatly appreciated. If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact my office or Anthony Poteat, Chief of Operations for Revenue Authority of Prince George's County, at 301-772-2060.

Sincerely,

Angela D. Alsobrooks County Executive

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Enclosures