COUNTY COUNCIL OF PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY, MARYLAND

2019 Legislative Session

Bill No. CB-37-2019

Chapter No. 26

Proposed and Presented by Council Members Ivey and Glaros

Introduced by Council Members Ivey, Franklin, Harrison, Turner, Streeter, Taveras, Hawkins, Anderson-Walker & Dernoga

Date of Introduction October 8, 2019

BILL

AN ACT concerning

Food Truck Licensing Fees Reduction

For the purpose of reducing and eliminating certain food truck licensing fees

BY repealing and reenacting with amendments:

SUBTITLE 5. BUSINESSES AND LICENSES.

Section 5-189.02

The Prince George's County Code

(2015 Edition; 2018 Supplement).

BY repealing and reenacting with amendments:

SUBTITLE 11. FIRE SAFETY.

Section 11-163

The Prince George's County Code

(2015 Edition; 2018 Supplement).

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED by the County Council of Prince George's County, Maryland, that Section 5-189.02 of the Prince George's County Code be and the same is hereby repealed and reenacted with the following amendments:

SUBTITLE 5. BUSINESSES AND LICENSES.

DIVISION 11. MOBILE UNITS – FOOD TRUCK HUBS.

Sec. 5-189.02. Duration of license; renewal.

(a) The Food Truck Hub License shall be issued on an annual basis with receipt of a completed application [and payment of the license application fee of $500 if operating 60 days or

less per year or $3,500 if operating more than 60 days per year]. The license may be renewed, pending receipt of a new completed application [, license fee,] and verification that no outstanding violations are on file for the Food Truck Hub.

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SECTION 2. BE IT ENACTED by the County Council of Prince George's County, Maryland, that Section 11-163 of the Prince George's County Code be and the same is hereby repealed and reenacted with the following amendments:

SUBTITLE 11. FIRE SAFETY.

DIVISION 2. ADMINISTRATION.

Sec. 11-163. Fire Inspection Fees.

The schedule of fees to be charged by the Fire/EMS Department to cover the administrative costs associated with the inspections required by this Subtitle shall be:

OCCUPANCY	FEE
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(18) **Technical Assistance Fee:**	$75.00 per hour <u>$35.00 flat fee (as applicable to Mobile Unit Food Facilities)</u>
(a) Charged for the expertise of any member of the Office of the Fire Marshal or Staff. (Fee calculation per hour or portion thereof, shall include travel, report writing, research, and witnessing tests).	
(b) Fee payment shall be required by certified check, money order or prior arrangement, and shall be collected immediately upon the completion of the inspection regardless of the results.	

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

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

Adopted this 5th day of November , 2019.

COUNTY COUNCIL OF PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY, MARYLAND

BY: _____
Todd M. Turner
Chair

ATTEST:

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Donna J. Brown
Acting Clerk of the Council

APPROVED:

DATE: _____ BY: _____
Angela D. Alsobrooks
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.