

HOUSE BILL 1508

R1

3lr2588

By: **Delegate Mizeur**

Introduced and read first time: March 4, 2013

Assigned to: Rules and Executive Nominations

A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Montgomery County – Highway Construction and Maintenance – Maryland**
3 **Route 410 in Takoma Park**

4 FOR the purpose of prohibiting the Department of Transportation from spending any
5 funds for the construction of Maryland Route 410 through the City of Takoma
6 Park in Montgomery County that will involve the addition of a new through
7 lane for motor vehicles; requiring the State Highway Administration to submit
8 certain plans concerning certain maintenance in the Takoma Park Historic
9 District to the Montgomery County Historic Preservation Commission for
10 review and comment; and generally relating to construction and maintenance
11 by the Department of Transportation along Maryland Route 410 in the City of
12 Takoma Park.

13 BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,
14 Article – Transportation
15 Section 8–601(a)
16 Annotated Code of Maryland
17 (2008 Replacement Volume and 2012 Supplement)

18 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
19 Article – Transportation
20 Section 8–601(b)
21 Annotated Code of Maryland
22 (2008 Replacement Volume and 2012 Supplement)

23 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF
24 MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

25 **Article – Transportation**

26 8–601.

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.



1 (a) The Administration shall construct, reconstruct, and repair State
2 highways as necessary and shall maintain them in good condition.

3 (b) **(1)** The Department may not spend any further funds for the
4 construction of I-95 through Prince George's County that will involve a new or
5 reconstructed segment connecting it to any other highway in Prince George's County.

6 **(2)** The Department may not spend any further funds for the
7 construction of a new highway, arterial, freeway, or expressway in the lands between
8 Viers Mill Road and Northwest Branch described in the 1980 highway needs inventory
9 as the right-of-way reserved for the Rockville Facility in Montgomery County,
10 including the area designated as the Matthew Henson State Park under § 5-1004 of
11 the Natural Resources Article.

12 **(3) THE DEPARTMENT MAY NOT SPEND ANY FURTHER FUNDS**
13 **FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF MD ROUTE 410 THROUGH THE CITY OF TAKOMA**
14 **PARK IN MONTGOMERY COUNTY THAT WILL INVOLVE THE ADDITION OF A NEW**
15 **THROUGH LANE FOR MOTOR VEHICLES.**

16 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That prior to beginning any
17 nonroutine maintenance in the Takoma Park Historic District, the State Highway
18 Administration shall submit the plans for the project to the Montgomery County
19 Historic Preservation Commission for review.

20 SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect
21 October 1, 2013.