HOUSE BILL 292

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By: Delegate Lafferty Baltimore County Delegation

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CHAPTER _____

1 AN ACT concerning

Baltimore County – Regulation of Parking on York Road

- FOR the purpose of prohibiting Baltimore County from placing or maintaining a traffic
 control device that regulates parking on <u>a certain portion of</u> York Road in the county
 unless the county provides to certain persons notice and an opportunity to address
 the issue at a public hearing; providing for the application of this Act; and generally
 relating to the regulation of parking on York Road in Baltimore County.
- 8 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
- 9 Article Transportation
- 10 Section 25–105
- 11 Annotated Code of Maryland
- 12 (2012 Replacement Volume and 2014 Supplement)
- 13 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND,
 14 That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:
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Article – Transportation

 $16 \quad 25-105.$

(a) On every highway under its jurisdiction, the State Highway Administration
shall place and maintain those traffic control devices that it considers necessary to carry
out the provisions of the Maryland Vehicle Law or to regulate, warn, or guide traffic. Each

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.

<u>Underlining</u> indicates amendments to bill.

Strike out indicates matter stricken from the bill by amendment or deleted from the law by amendment.



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of these traffic control devices shall conform to the manual and specifications of the StateHighway Administration.

3 (b) (1) A local authority may place or maintain a traffic control device on a 4 highway under the jurisdiction of the State Highway Administration only with the 5 permission and under the direction of the State Highway Administration.

6 (2) **(I)** BALTIMORE COUNTY MAY NOT PLACE OR MAINTAIN A 7 TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICE THAT REGULATES PARKING ON THE PORTION OF YORK **ROAD IN THE COUNTY THAT IS SOUTH OF INTERSTATE HIGHWAY 695 UNLESS THE** 8 COUNTY PROVIDES, TO THE GENERAL PUBLIC AND EACH MEMBER OF THE GENERAL 9 ASSEMBLY AND COUNTY COUNCIL WHO REPRESENTS THE REGULATED AREA OR 10 11 AREA PROPOSED TO BE REGULATED, NOTICE AND AN OPPORTUNITY TO ADDRESS 12THE ISSUE AT A PUBLIC HEARING.

13(II)THIS 1.EXCEPT AS PROVIDED IN SUBSUBPARAGRAPH 214OF THIS SUBPARAGRAPH, THISPARAGRAPH APPLIES TO ANY TRAFFIC CONTROL15DEVICE PLACED OR MAINTAINED BY THE COUNTY ON YORK ROAD ON OR AFTER16JUNE 1, 2014.

17 <u>2.</u> <u>THIS PARAGRAPH DOES NOT APPLY TO A TEMPORARY</u>
 18 <u>TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICE PLACED BY THE COUNTY ON YORK ROAD TO ADDRESS</u>
 19 <u>AN EMERGENCY SITUATION.</u>

20 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect June 21 1, 2015.

Approved:

Governor.

Speaker of the House of Delegates.

President of the Senate.

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