

# HOUSE BILL 913

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By: **Delegate Hixson**

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Assigned to: Environment and Transportation

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## CHAPTER \_\_\_\_\_

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Transportation – Highway User Revenues – Local Government Reporting –**  
3 **Revisions**

4 FOR the purpose of repealing a requirement that Baltimore City, counties, and  
5 municipalities report certain information relating to the use of highway user  
6 revenues to the Governor and certain committees of the General Assembly on or  
7 before a certain date each year; requiring Baltimore City, counties, and  
8 municipalities to report to the State Highway Administration the costs for certain  
9 specific projects funded by highway user revenues; requiring the Administration to  
10 compile, summarize, and analyze certain information submitted by Baltimore City,  
11 counties, and municipalities relating to the use of highway user revenues in a report  
12 to be submitted by the Administration to the Governor and certain committees of the  
13 General Assembly on or before a certain date each year; prohibiting the  
14 Administration from making a disbursement of highway user revenues to a  
15 jurisdiction that has not submitted a certain report to the Administration; and  
16 generally relating to reporting on the use of highway user revenues by local  
17 governments.

18 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,  
19 Article – Transportation  
20 Section 8–412  
21 Annotated Code of Maryland  
22 (2008 Replacement Volume and 2014 Supplement)

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### EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.

Underlining indicates amendments to bill.

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



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

3 **Article – Transportation**

4 8–412.

5 (A) On or before January 1 of each year, Baltimore City, each county, and each  
6 eligible municipality that received highway user revenues in the preceding fiscal year shall  
7 submit to the Administration[, the Governor, and, in accordance with § 2–1246 of the State  
8 Government Article, the Senate Budget and Taxation Committee, the House  
9 Appropriations Committee, and the House Ways and Means Committee] an accounting  
10 report that:

11 (1) Shows the actual costs of the preceding fiscal year;

12 (2) Shows the expenditure budget of the current fiscal year; and

13 (3) As to each, accurately identifies the costs [enumerated] **FOR SPECIFIC**  
14 **PROJECTS AUTHORIZED** in § 8–408 or § 8–409 of this subtitle.

15 (B) **THE ADMINISTRATION SHALL COMPILE, SUMMARIZE, AND ANALYZE**  
16 **THE INFORMATION REPORTED BY BALTIMORE CITY AND EACH COUNTY AND**  
17 **MUNICIPALITY UNDER SUBSECTION (A) OF THIS SECTION IN A SINGLE REPORT THAT**  
18 **THE ADMINISTRATION SHALL SUBMIT, ON OR BEFORE FEBRUARY 1 OF EACH YEAR,**  
19 **TO THE GOVERNOR AND, IN ACCORDANCE WITH § 2–1246 OF THE STATE**  
20 **GOVERNMENT ARTICLE, THE SENATE BUDGET AND TAXATION COMMITTEE, THE**  
21 **HOUSE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE, AND THE HOUSE WAYS AND MEANS**  
22 **COMMITTEE.**

23 (C) **THE ADMINISTRATION MAY NOT MAKE A DISBURSEMENT OF HIGHWAY**  
24 **USER REVENUES UNDER § 8–407 OF THIS SUBTITLE TO ANY JURISDICTION THAT HAS**  
25 **NOT SUBMITTED A REPORT TO THE ADMINISTRATION AS REQUIRED UNDER**  
26 **SUBSECTION (A) OF THIS SECTION.**

27 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July  
28 1, 2015.