

# HOUSE BILL 1271

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By: **Delegate B. Wilson**

Introduced and read first time: March 9, 2015

Assigned to: Rules and Executive Nominations

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## A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **City of Hagerstown – Alcoholic Beverages – Outdoor Festivals**

3 FOR the purpose of authorizing the consumption of alcoholic beverages outdoors in certain  
4 portions of certain streets in the City of Hagerstown if the consumption occurs during  
5 a certain street festival and the alcoholic beverages are purchased from a certain  
6 establishment; defining a certain term; and generally relating to alcoholic beverages  
7 in the City of Hagerstown.

8 BY adding to

9 Article 2B – Alcoholic Beverages

10 Section 9–222.1

11 Annotated Code of Maryland

12 (2011 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:

15 **Article 2B – Alcoholic Beverages**

16 **9–222.1.**

17 **(A) IN THIS SECTION, “FESTIVAL LOCATION” MEANS THE FOLLOWING**  
18 **PORTIONS OF STREETS IN THE CITY OF HAGERSTOWN:**

19 **(1) POTOMAC STREET, FROM FRANKLIN STREET TO ANTIETAM**  
20 **STREET; AND**

21 **(2) WASHINGTON STREET, FROM LOCUST STREET TO SUMMIT**  
22 **AVENUE/JONATHAN STREET.**

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EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.



1           **(B) A PERSON MAY CONSUME BEER, WINE, OR LIQUOR OUTDOORS IN THE**  
2 **FESTIVAL LOCATION IF:**

3                   **(1) THE CONSUMPTION OCCURS DURING A STREET FESTIVAL DURING**  
4 **WHICH THE CITY OF HAGERSTOWN CLOSES THE FESTIVAL LOCATION TO**  
5 **VEHICULAR TRAFFIC; AND**

6                   **(2) THE BEER, WINE, OR LIQUOR IS PURCHASED FROM AN**  
7 **ESTABLISHMENT:**

8                           **(I) LOCATED IN THE FESTIVAL LOCATION; AND**

9                           **(II) FOR WHICH AN ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES LICENSE HAS BEEN**  
10 **ISSUED.**

11           SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect June  
12 1, 2015.