

**HB0042/513028/1**

BY: Environment and Transportation Committee

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 42  
(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in the sponsor line, strike “**Delegate Boyce**” and substitute “**Delegates Boyce, Healey, Lehman, R. Lewis, Ruth, and Stein**”; in line 2, strike “**Solid Waste Disposal Surcharge**” and substitute “**On-Farm Organics**”; in line 3, strike “**Fund and**”; strike beginning with “establishing” in line 7 down through “Fund;” in line 13; and in line 18, after “counties;” insert “authorizing the Governor to transfer a certain amount from the Maryland Strategic Energy Investment Fund to certain programs in certain fiscal years;”.

On page 2, strike in their entirety lines 6 through 10, inclusive; in line 13, strike the first comma and substitute “and”; in the same line, strike “, 9–1725.3, and 9–1725.4”; and strike in their entirety lines 16 through 30, inclusive.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 3, in line 7, strike “**THERE**” and substitute “**BEGINNING JULY 1, 2027, THERE**”.

On page 5, in line 22, strike “**9–1725.3**” and substitute “**9–1725.1**”.

On pages 7 and 8, strike in their entirety the lines beginning with line 21 on page 7 through line 5 on page 8, inclusive.

On pages 8 through 11, strike in their entirety the lines beginning with line 7 on page 8 through line 4 on page 11, inclusive.

On page 14, in line 14, strike “**9–1725.4.**” and substitute “**9–1725.2.**”.

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On page 16, strike in their entirety lines 5 through 21, inclusive; after line 21, insert:

“SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That, notwithstanding any other provision of law, the Governor may transfer \$3,000,000 in fiscal years 2027 through 2031 from the Maryland Strategic Energy Investment Fund established under § 9–20B–05 of the State Government Article to each of the following programs, as enacted by Section 1 of this Act:

(1) the On–Farm Organics Diversion and Recycling Grant Program under § 2–109 of the Agriculture Article;

(2) the Wasted Food Reduction and Diversion Grant Program under § 9–1725.1 of the Environment Article; and

(3) the County Wasted Food Reduction Block Grant Program under § 9–1725.2 of the Environment Article.”;

and in line 22, strike “2.” and substitute “3.”.