

HOUSE BILL 173

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(PRE-FILED)

By: **Delegate Nawrocki**

Requested: October 10, 2024

Introduced and read first time: January 8, 2025

Assigned to: Environment and Transportation

A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Baltimore County – Deer Management Program – Establishment**

3 FOR the purpose of requiring the Department of Recreation and Parks of Baltimore County
4 to establish a deer management program; and generally relating to deer
5 management in Baltimore County.

6 BY adding to

7 Article – Natural Resources

8 Section 10–415.1

9 Annotated Code of Maryland

10 (2023 Replacement Volume and 2024 Supplement)

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

13 **Article – Natural Resources**

14 **10–415.1.**

15 **(A) THIS SECTION APPLIES ONLY IN BALTIMORE COUNTY.**

16 **(B) THE DEPARTMENT OF RECREATION AND PARKS OF BALTIMORE**
17 **COUNTY SHALL ESTABLISH A DEER MANAGEMENT PROGRAM TO MANAGE DEER**
18 **POPULATION ON COUNTY PARKLANDS.**

19 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July
20 1, 2025.

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.

