

SENATE BILL 915

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CF HB 528

By: **Senator Hettleman**

Introduced and read first time: January 28, 2025

Assigned to: Judicial Proceedings

A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Baltimore County – Vehicle Laws – Private Roadways in Residential**
3 **Subdivisions and Communities**

4 FOR the purpose of prohibiting a person from driving a motor vehicle in violation of certain
5 provisions of the Maryland Vehicle Law on private roadways in certain residential
6 areas in Baltimore County; authorizing a police officer to enforce the Maryland
7 Vehicle Law on private roadways in certain residential areas in Baltimore County;
8 and generally relating to complying with and enforcing the Maryland Vehicle Law
9 on private roadways in Baltimore County.

10 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
11 Article – Transportation
12 Section 11–205(c) and 21–101.1(b)(1)
13 Annotated Code of Maryland
14 (2020 Replacement Volume and 2024 Supplement)

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

17 **Article – Transportation**

18 11–205.

19 (c) In **BALTIMORE COUNTY AND** Calvert County, a police officer may enforce
20 the provisions of the Maryland Vehicle Law on a private roadway in **[Calvert County] THE**
21 **COUNTY** that is located within a residential subdivision or community and used for
22 vehicular travel by residents of the subdivision or community.

23 21–101.1.

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.



1 (b) (1) A person may not drive a motor vehicle in violation of any provision of
2 this title on any private property that is used by the public in general, or, in **BALTIMORE**
3 **COUNTY AND** Calvert County, on any private [road] **ROADWAY** located within a
4 residential subdivision or community.

5 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect
6 October 1, 2025.