COUNTY COUNCIL OF WICOMICO COUNTY, MARYLAND

LEGISLATIVE SESSION, 2020

LEGISLATIVE BILL 2020 - 12

Introduced: October 6, 2020

By: The Council President at the request of the Acting County Executive

AN ACT TO AMEND CHAPTER 225 OF THE WICOMICO COUNTY CODE, TITLED “ZONING,” SECTION 225-67, TABLE OF PERMITTED USES, TO ADD MARINE SUPPLIES, BOATS OR EQUIPMENT SALES, SERVICE AND REPAIR AS A PERMITTED USE IN THE TABLE OF PERMITTED USES, FOR THE LIGHT INDUSTRIAL DISTRICT (II).

WHEREAS, the County Council of Wicomico County is empowered to regulate and restrict the use of land and buildings, the density of population, and the location and use of buildings, structures and land for residential or other purposes and to adopt from time to time such other regulations and maps as may be required; and

WHEREAS, all such zoning regulations may be enacted for the purpose of: preserving and promoting health, safety, and general welfare of the citizens of Wicomico County; guiding the future growth and development of the County generally in accordance with the overall Comprehensive Plan or special area plans in a manner which represents the most beneficial land use relationships among the residential, nonresidential, and public areas; and, providing for the orderly growth and development of the County in a manner which will protect, conserve, and stabilize the value of land, structure, and neighborhoods; and

WHEREAS, the Planning and Zoning Commission, after a public hearing, recommended the amendment of Chapter 225 titled “Zoning,” Section 225-67, Table of Permitted Uses, to add marine supplies, boat or equipment sales, service and repair in the Light Industrial District (II); and

WHEREAS, the County Council, after reviewing the record and receiving testimony determined the aforesaid amendment was appropriate for the properties in the Light Industrial District (II).

SECTION I: BE IT ENACTED AND ORDAINED BY THE COUNTY COUNCIL OF WICOMICO COUNTY, MARYLAND, IN LEGISLATIVE SESSION, that Chapter 225, Section 225-67, entitled Table of Permitted Uses, be and is amended as follows:

Amend Section 225-67, Light Industrial District (II), by adding the following:

MARINE SUPPLIES, BOATS OR EQUIPMENT SALES, SERVICE AND REPAIR.

SECTION II: BE IT ENACTED that this Legislative Bill shall be known 2020 – 12 of Wicomico County, Maryland, and shall take effect sixty (60) days after its final passage, unless a proper Petition for Referendum thereof shall be filed prior to said date; in which event, the Bill shall not take effect until the expiration of thirty (30) days following the approval of this Bill by a majority of the qualified voters of the County voting in any such referendum.
Certified correct as passed and adopted by the County Council of Wicomico County, Maryland this 3rd day of November, 2020.

WICOMICO COUNTY, MARYLAND

[Signature]
(SEAL)

By: Larry Dodd, President

[Signature]
(SEAL)

By: Laura Hurley, Secretary

I HEREBY CERTIFY that copies of the above Bill are available to the public, the press and other news media at the time of its introduction.

[Signature]
(SEAL)

By: Laura Hurley, Secretary

Explanation:
Strike Out indicates matters deleted from existing law.
CAPITALS INDICATE MATTERS ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.
CAPITAL STRIKE OUT indicates matter stricken from Bill by Amendment.
Underlining indicates Amendments to Bill
INTRODUCED BY: President of the Council at the Request of the Acting County Executive

Bill No. 2020-12: An Act to amend Chapter 225 of the Wicomico County Code, Titled “Zoning,” Section 225-67, Table of Permitted Uses, to add Marine Supplies, Boats or Equipment Sales, Service and Repair as a permitted use in the Table of Permitted Uses, for the Light Industrial District (II). provide in Chapter 37, titled “Ethics Law” is amended to comply with the Maryland Code.

Introduced and read first time on October 6, 2020. Ordered posted and public hearing scheduled for November 3, 2020 at 6:00 p.m.

PUBLIC HEARING: Having been posted and notice of time and place of hearing and title of Bill having been published according to the Charter, the Bill was read for a second time at a public hearing held on November 3, 2020.

CERTIFICATION: The undersigned hereby certifies that this Bill was Approved and Adopted by the County Council of Wicomico County, Maryland, on the 3rd day of November, 2020.

Presented to the Acting County Executive for approval this 4th day of November at 8:45 a.m. (5 days §411)

BY THE ACTING COUNTY EXECUTIVE:

APPROVED
Date: 11/4/2020
(21 days §411)

VETOED
Date: _______________________

BY THE COUNCIL:

Option One: This Bill, having been approved by the Acting County Executive and returned to the Council, becomes law on November 4, 2020 and effective on: __________________________________________. (60 days §311)

Option Two: This Bill, having received neither the approval nor the disapproval of the Acting County Executive with 21 days of its presentation, stands enacted on ___________________ and becomes effective on ___________________. (60 days §311)

Option Three: This Bill, being exempt from the Executive Veto stands enacted on ___________________ and becomes effective on ___________________. (Charter Section 305)

ENROLLMENT: Legislative Bill No. 2020-12 is herewith submitted to the County Council of Wicomico County for enrollment as being the text as finally passed.