

Bill No. 24-05			
Concerning: Updating the Frederick County			
Electrical Code			
Introduced April 2, 2024			
Revised: Draft No.			
Enacted:			
Effective:			
Expires: July 1, 2024			
Frederick County Code, Chapter1-7			
Section(s) 41			

## COUNTY COUNCIL FOR FREDERICK COUNTY, MARYLAND

By: Council President Brad W. Young on behalf of County Executive Jessica Fitzwater

**AN ACT** to: update the Frederick County Electrical Code to incorporate the 2023 National Electrical Code.

Date Council Approved:	Date Transm	itted to Executiv	/e:	
Executive:	Date Received:			
Approved:	Date:			
Vetoed:	Date:			
Date returned to Council by County Exc	ecutive with no action:			_
By amending: Frederick County Code, Chapt	er <u>1-7</u>	Section(s)	41	
Other:				

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Underlining
[Single boldface brackets]
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Heading or defined term.
Added to existing law.
Deleted from existing law.
Existing law unaffected by bill.

1	Bill No. 24-05
2	The County Council of Frederick County, Maryland, finds it necessary and appropriate to
3	amend the Frederick County Electrical Code to incorporate the 2023 National Electrical Code
4	standards.
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6	NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED BY THE COUNTY COUNCIL OF
7	FREDERICK COUNTY, MARYLAND, that the Frederick County Code be, and it is hereby,
8	amended as shown on the attached Exhibit 1.
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13	Brad W. Young, President
14	County Council of Frederick County,
15	Maryland
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1	Exhibit 1
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3	CHAPTER 1-7: ELECTRICITY
4	ARTICLE III: ELECTRICAL CODE (§§ 1-7-36 — 1-7-80)
5	DIVISION 1. GENERALLY
6	§ 1-7-36. SHORT TITLE.
7	This article may be cited as the "Electrical Code."
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9	§ 1-7-41. GENERAL REQUIREMENTS.
10	(A) All electrical equipment and installations thereof shall be reasonably safe to persons and
11	property and in conformity with the provisions of this article.
12	(B) Except as otherwise provided in this article, conformity of installations of electrical
13	equipment with the regulations set forth in the National Electrical Code, [2017]2023 Edition
14	published by the National Fire Protection Association, shall be prima facie evidence that such
15	installations are reasonably safe to persons and property, and said National Electrical Code is
16	hereby adopted and incorporated by reference in this chapter.
17	(C) Except as otherwise provided in this article, conformity of electrical equipment with the
18	applicable standards of a nationally recognized testing agency shall be prima facie evidence that
19	such equipment is reasonably safe to persons and prop