

TOWN OF CHESAPEAKE CITY, MARYLAND
ORDINANCE NO: 2024-002

AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWN OF CHESAPEAKE CITY TO REPEAL §151 ARTICLE II - PARKING IN THE HISTORIC DISTRICT (ORDINANCE 2022-005) OF THE CODE OF THE TOWN OF CHESAPEAKE CITY, MARYLAND.

WHEREAS, pursuant to the powers granted unto the Town of Chesapeake City under the Local Government Article of the Annotated Code of Maryland, and the Charter of the Town of Chesapeake City, the Mayor and Council have the authority to adopt ordinances, including emergency ordinances, as may be necessary to regulate parking within the Town of Chesapeake City; and,

WHEREAS, The Mayor and Council of the Town of Chesapeake City recognize that there is limited available parking within the Town and especially withing the Historic District for both residential and business uses; and,

WHEREAS, The Mayor and Council of the Town of Chesapeake City recognize the need to provide regulated residential parking within the Historic District for the residents of Chesapeake City, and the need to revise the existing regulations; and

WHEREAS, Sections 151-5, 151-6, 151-7, and 151-8 of the Town Code contain parking regulations for parking within the Historic District of the Town; and

WHEREAS, Section 272-13 of the Code of the Town of Chesapeake City authorizes the Mayor and Council to establish parking regulations throughout the Town by Resolution; and

WHEREAS, The Mayor and Council of the Town of Chesapeake City recognize that the parking needs within the Town evolve and change from time to time depending upon the mix of business and residential use within the Town and the parking and traffic patterns and habits of the residents, business people, and visitors within the District, and as such, it is in the best interest of the Town to revise the parking regulations from time to time by Resolution of the Mayor and Council; and

WHEREAS, the existing provisions of Article II of Chapter 151 of the Town Code (151-5, 151-6, 151-7, and 151-8) will be superseded by the Resolution adopted or intended to be adopted by the Mayor and Council, and thus should be repealed

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED AND ESTABLISHED by the Mayor and Council of the Town of Chesapeake City as follows:

Section 1. §151 Article II – Parking in the Historic District (Ordinance 2022-005) which sets forth parking regulations, permits, fees, and fines is hereby repealed in its entirety.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED AND RESOLVED that all prior ordinances that are inconsistent with this Ordinance are hereby Repealed to the extent of the inconsistency; and

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED AND RESOLVED that this Ordinance shall become effective at the expiration of 20 calendar days following approval by the Mayor and Council.

This Ordinance having been introduced on _____, 2024 and adopted on _____, 2024, we hereby affix our signatures.

Effective _____, 2024. A summary of this Ordinance shall be published at Town Hall, on the town website and on social media within the Town of Chesapeake City.

**By Authority of the Mayor and Town Council
of the Town of Chesapeake City, MD:**

Attest:

Tonya Lockwood, Town Clerk

Richard L. Taylor, III, Mayor

Date Introduced

Date Adopted

Ayes

Nayes

Absent/Abstain

Approved as to Form:

Thomas N. Yeager,
Attorney, Town of Chesapeake City