

**CITY OF BALTIMORE
COUNCIL BILL 16-0673
(First Reader)**

Introduced by: The Council President
At the request of: The Administration (Department of Finance)
Introduced and read first time: May 16, 2016

Assigned to: Taxation, Finance and Economic Development Committee

REFERRED TO THE FOLLOWING AGENCIES: City Solicitor, Department of Finance, Baltimore
Development Corporation, Baltimore City Parking Authority Board

A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ORDINANCE concerning

2 style="text-align:center">**Parking Tax – Rate Modification**

3 FOR the purpose of modifying the rate of the parking tax; deleting an obsolescent provision;
4 providing for a special effective date; and generally relating to the imposition and collection
5 of a parking tax.

6 BY repealing and reordaining, with amendments

7 Article 28 - Taxes

8 Section 22-3

9 Baltimore City Code

10 (Edition 2000)

11 **SECTION 1. BE IT ORDAINED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF BALTIMORE,** That the
12 Laws of Baltimore City read as follows:

13 style="text-align:center">**Baltimore City Code**

14 style="text-align:center">**Article 28. Taxes**

15 style="text-align:center">**Subtitle 22. Parking Tax**

16 **§ 22-3. Rate of tax.**

17 [(a) *In general.*]

18 For all parking, whether on an hourly, daily, weekly, monthly, or longer basis, the tax is
19 [20%] 24% of the fee or other consideration received, directly or indirectly, for or in
20 connection with that parking.

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS indicate matter added to existing law.
[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.

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1 [(b) *Moratorium on increase.*]

2 [Through the fiscal year ending June 30, 2020, the rate of the tax imposed under this
3 subtitle may not be modified to exceed the rate in effect for the fiscal year ending June
4 30, 2014.]

5 **SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED,** That the catchlines contained in this Ordinance
6 are not law and may not be considered to have been enacted as a part of this or any prior
7 Ordinance.

8 **SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED,** That this Ordinance takes effect the later of
9 (i) the date this Ordinance is enacted, and (ii) July 1, 2016.