CITY OF BALTIMORE ORDINANCE Council Bill 13-0212

Introduced by: The Council President

At the request of: The Administration (Department of Finance)

Introduced and read first time: April 22, 2013

Assigned to: Taxation, Finance and Economic Development Committee

Committee Report: Favorable with amendments

Council action: Adopted

Read second time: June 17, 2013

AN ORDINANCE CONCERNING

1	Change to Grow: 10-Year Plan – Parking Tax
2 3 4	FOR the purpose of modifying the rate of the parking tax; <u>placing a moratorium on future rate increases</u> ; providing for a special effective date; and generally relating to the imposition and collection of a parking tax.
5 6 7 8 9	By repealing and reordaining, with amendments Article 28 - Taxes Section(s) 22-3 Baltimore City Code (Edition 2000) SECTION 1. BE IT ORDAINED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF BALTIMORE, That the Laws of Baltimore City read as follows:
12	Baltimore City Code
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13	Article 28. Taxes
14	Subtitle 22. Parking Tax
15	§ 22-3. Rate of tax.
16	(A) IN GENERAL.
17 18 19	For all parking, whether on an hourly, daily, weekly, monthly, or longer basis, the tax is [the following percentage] 20% of the fee or other consideration received, directly or indirectly, for or in connection with that parking[:
20	(1) until June 30, 2013, 20%; and
21	(2) beginning July 1, 2013, 19%].

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS indicate matter added to existing law.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.

Underlining indicates matter added to the bill by amendment.

Strike out indicates matter stricken from the bill by amendment or deleted from existing law by amendment.

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1	(B) MORATORIUM ON INCREASE.
2 3 4	THROUGH THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2020, THE RATE OF THE TAX IMPOSED UNDER THIS SUBTITLE MAY NOT BE MODIFIED TO EXCEED THE RATE IN EFFECT FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2014.
5 6 7	SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED , That the catchlines contained in this Ordinance are not law and may not be considered to have been enacted as a part of this or any prior Ordinance.
8	SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED , That this Ordinance takes effect on July 1, 2013.
	Certified as duly passed this day of, 20
	President, Baltimore City Council
	Certified as duly delivered to Her Honor, the Mayor,
	this day of, 20
	Chief Clerk
	Approved this day of, 20
	Mayor, Baltimore City