

Bill No. 4-22
Concerning: Human Rights and Civil Liberties – Public Accommodations – Gender Inclusive Restrooms
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COUNTY COUNCIL FOR MONTGOMERY COUNTY, MARYLAND

Lead Sponsor: Councilmember Katz; Co-Lead-Sponsor Council Vice-President Glass
Co-Sponsors: Councilmembers Jawando, Friedson, Albornoz, Navarro, Hucker, Riemer, and Rice

AN ACT to:

- (1) require gender-inclusive restrooms in certain places of public accommodation and County-owned buildings; and
- (2) generally amend the law regarding discrimination in public accommodations.

By amending

Montgomery County Code
Chapter 27, Human Rights and Civil Liberties
Section 27-10

By adding

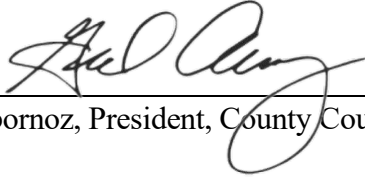
Montgomery County Code
Chapter 27, Human Rights and Civil Liberties
Section 27-11B

Boldface	<i>Heading or defined term.</i>
<u>Underlining</u>	<i>Added to existing law by original bill.</i>
[Single boldface brackets]	<i>Deleted from existing law by original bill.</i>
<u>Double underlining</u>	<i>Added by amendment.</i>
[[Double boldface brackets]]	<i>Deleted from existing law or the bill by amendment.</i>
* * *	<i>Existing law unaffected by bill.</i>

The County Council for Montgomery County, Maryland approves the following Act:

- 28 (c) Enforcement and Penalties.
- 29 (1) Who may enforce. The following have the authority to enforce this
30 Section:
- 31 (A) The Department of Permitting Services;
32 (B) The Department of Health and Human Services; and
33 (C) any other agency designated by the Chief Administrative
34 Officer.
- 35 (2) A person authorized to enforce this Section must not issue a
36 citation unless the violation still exists 30 days after an initial
37 notice of violation.
- 38 (3) A violation of this Section is a Class A violation.

Approved:



7/28/2022

Gabriel Albornoz, President, County Council

Date

Approved:



8/8/2022

Marc Elrich, County Executive

Date

This is a correct copy of Council action.



8/8/2022

Judy Rupp, Clerk of the Council

Date