

Staff Report

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Towing Company Facility Location

This legislation amends the Annapolis City Code, Chapter 7.52 to specify that towing companies licensed by the City of Annapolis may locate their facilities in proximity to the City border as opposed to within the City limits.

Currently, the City Code provides for the licensure and supervision of providers of towing services within the City limits. The City Council encourages open market competition among providers of towing services within the City limits and recognizes that towing service providers require specialized equipment to meet the need to tow various sized vehicles. There are currently a very limited number of providers of towing services maintaining necessary specialized equipment within the City limits.

This legislation ensures that the Applicant under 7.52.060 and 7.52.170 has adequate off-street storage facilities reasonably convenient to, and within one mile of, the City limits.

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