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2 **Sidewalk Café - Defined** – For the purpose of modifying the definition of sidewalk cafe.

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4 **CITY COUNCIL OF THE**  
5 **City of Annapolis**

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7 **Ordinance 13-22**

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9 **Introduced by: Alderwoman Tierney**  
10 **Co-sponsored by:**

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12 **Referred to**

13 **Economic Matters Committee**

14 **90 day Rule:** \_\_\_\_\_

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16 **AN ORDINANCE** concerning

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18 **Sidewalk Café - Defined**

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20 **FOR** the purpose of modifying the definition of sidewalk café.

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22 **BY** repealing and reenacting with amendments the following portions of the Code of the City  
23 of Annapolis, 2022 Edition  
24 7.42.010

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27 **SECTION I: BE IT ESTABLISHED AND ORDAINED BY THE ANNAPOLIS CITY**  
28 **COUNCIL** that the Code of the City of Annapolis shall be amended to read as follows:

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30 **Title 7 – BUSINESS LICENSES, TAXES AND REGULATIONS**

31 **Chapter 7.42 – SIDEWALK CAFÉS**

32 **Section 7.42.010 0 Sidewalk café – Defined - Permit required.**

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- 34 A. A person shall not construct, maintain, use or operate a sidewalk café without first obtaining
  - 35 a permit as provided in this chapter.
  - 36 B. An application for a sidewalk café permit shall be made to the City Clerk on forms provided
  - 37 by the City Clerk. The application shall be made by the operating establishment.
  - 38 C. A sidewalk café permit shall be for one year from May 1st in each year until the following
  - 39 April 30th, except that, for the 1996-1997 term, the permit shall be valid from the date on
  - 40 which the permit is issued, even if prior to May 1, 1996. The holder of a permit shall pay an
  - 41 annual fee as established by resolution of the City Council. The annual fee shall be paid with
  - 42 the original permit application and with the request for renewal of the permit.
  - 43 D. For purposes of this chapter, “sidewalk café” means any area situated on a public sidewalk,
  - 44 AND, AS AUTHORIZED BY A LEASE WITH THE CITY, ANY ADJOINING PUBLIC
  - 45 STREET, where food, refreshments, and/or beverages are sold by a restaurant, delicatessen,

1 ice cream shop or coffee shop (hereinafter "operating establishment") for public consumption  
2 at tables or counters located on the sidewalk fronting the operating establishment. Sidewalk  
3 cafés shall operate only as authorized pursuant to this chapter.  
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6 **SECTION II: AND BE IT FURTHER ESTABLISHED AND ORDAINED BY THE**  
7 **ANNAPOLIS CITY COUNCIL** that this ordinance shall take effect from the date of its passage.  
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10 **Explanation:**

11 UPPERCASE indicates matter added to existing law.

12 ~~Strikethrough~~ indicates matter stricken from existing law.

13 Underlining indicates amendments.  
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