

O-28-23

City Noise Prohibitions and Enforcement

AMENDMENT 3 - ALD. SAVIDGE (On behalf of the Environmental Matters Committee)

Amendment Summary:

Amendment 3 clarifies that the level of any noise on land, even if coming from a boat, shall be the same for all types of noise. O-28-23 specifies that noise coming from a boat must be measured from land rather than while on the water.

On page 2, in line 22, strike "at" and insert "from". On page 3, in line 1, after "levels" insert " of noise from the water as measured from land".

As the change would look in the resolution:

- b. Sound levels from water.
 - i. The noise levels from a boat on the water shall be measured ~~at~~from any point on land.
 - ii. Allowable levels of boat noise from the water as measured from land shall be the same decibel levels and during the hours allowed, in Maryland Regulations 26.02.03.02 (Environmental Noise Standards).

Explanation: ~~Strikethrough~~ indicates matter stricken from existing law.
Underlining indicates a change to the City Code.
Underlining & black - copyediting or reformatting of existing Code section
Underlining & red - new matter added to the code via this bill.
Underlining & blue - amendment to bill