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By: Chair, Environment and Transportation Committee (By Request - Departmental - Transportation)

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CHAPTER

1 AN ACT concerning

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Land Use - Transit-Oriented Development - Alterations

- 3 FOR the purpose of altering the authority of local legislative bodies to regulate land use 4 planning on certain land that is located within a certain radius of, or, under certain 5 circumstances, adjacent contiguous to, certain transit stations; exempting certain 6 special taxes for the benefit of transit-oriented development from any county tax 7 limitation or bond eap; exempting transit-oriented development from certain 8 provisions of State procurement law, subject to certain exceptions; authorizing the 9 deposit of certain bond proceeds into the Transit-Oriented Development Capital Grant and Revolving Loan Fund: repealing a certain geographical limitation on the 10 use of certain money in the Transit-Oriented Development Capital Grant and 11 Revolving Loan Fund: altering the authorized uses of the Transit-Oriented 12 Development Capital Grant and Revolving Loan Fund to include certain planning 13 14 and financing costs; authorizing the Maryland Department of Transportation to establish transit-oriented development (TOD) corridor funds financed by revenue 15 from county special taxing districts to benefit transit-oriented development adding 16 17 the use of project labor agreements as a scoring preference for projects financed by the Transit-Oriented Development Capital Grant and Revolving Loan Fund; and 18 19 generally relating to transit—oriented development.
- 20 BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,

21 Article – Land Use

22 Section 1–101(a) and (g) and 7–501(a) and (i)

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.

<u>Underlining</u> indicates amendments to bill.

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

1	Annotated Code of Maryland
2	(2012 Volume and 2024 Supplement)
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3	BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
4	Article – Land Use
5	Section 4-104 1-401(b), 4-104, and 10-103(b)
6	Annotated Code of Maryland
7	(2012 Volume and 2024 Supplement)
8	BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,
9	Article - Local Government
10	Section 21–508(a)(4) and (5)
11	Annotated Code of Maryland
$\frac{11}{12}$	(2013 Volume and 2024 Supplement)
14	(2013 Volume and 2021 Supplement)
13	BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
14	Article - Local Government
15	Section 21–508(c)
16	Annotated Code of Maryland
17	(2013 Volume and 2024 Supplement)
18	BY adding to
19	Article – State Finance and Procurement
20	Section 11–203(l)
21	Annotated Code of Maryland
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22	(2021 Replacement Volume and 2024 Supplement)
23	BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,
24	Article - Transportation
25	Section 7–101(a) and (p)
26	Annotated Code of Maryland
27	(2020 Replacement Volume and 2024 Supplement)
28	(As enacted by Chapter 512 of the Acts of the General Assembly of 2023)
29	BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,
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30	Article - Transportation
31	Section 7–1201(a) and (e)
32	Annotated Code of Maryland
33	(2020 Replacement Volume and 2024 Supplement)
34	BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
35	Article – Transportation
36	Section 7-1203(e) and 7-1204(a) <u>7-1204(b)(2)</u>
37	Annotated Code of Maryland
38	(2020 Replacement Volume and 2024 Supplement)
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1 2 3 4 5	Secti Anno	on 7–1 Fund tated (ansportation 301 and 7–1302 to be under the new subtitle "Subtitle 13. TOD Corridor s" Sode of Maryland cement Volume and 2024 Supplement)
6 7			. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, Maryland read as follows:
8			Article - Land Use
9	1–101.		
10	(a)	In thi	is division the following words have the meanings indicated.
11	(g)	(1)	"Legislative body" means the elected body of a local jurisdiction.
12		(2)	"Legislative body" includes:
13			(i) the board of county commissioners;
14			(ii) the county council; and
15			(iii) the governing body of a municipal corporation.
16	<u>1–401.</u>		
17	<u>(b)</u>	The f	following provisions of this division apply to a charter county:
18 19	Comprehen	(1) sive pla	this subtitle, including Parts II and III (Charter county – ans);
20 21	and "Sensit	<u>(2)</u> ive are	§ 1–101(l), (m), and (o) (Definitions – "Plan", "Priority funding area", a");
22		<u>(3)</u>	§ 1–201 (Visions);
23		<u>(4)</u>	§ 1–206 (Required education);
24		<u>(5)</u>	§ 1–207 (Annual report – In general);
25		<u>(6)</u>	§ 1–208 (Annual report – Measures and indicators):
26		<u>(7)</u>	Title 1, Subtitle 3 (Consistency);
27		<u>(8)</u>	Title 1, Subtitle 5 (Growth Tiers);

1		<u>(9)</u>	<u>§ 4–1</u>	04(c) (Limitations – [Bicycle parking] PARKING);
2		<u>(10)</u>	<u>§ 4–1</u>	04(d) (Limitations – Manufactured homes and modular dwellings);
3		<u>(11)</u>	<u>§ 4–1</u>	04(E) (LIMITATIONS – MIXED-USE DEVELOPMENT);
4 5	TRANSPOR			-104(F) (LIMITATIONS - STATE-OWNED LAND FOR
6		<u>(13)</u>	<u>§ 4–1</u>	04(H) (PRIORITY – TRANSIT-ORIENTED DEVELOPMENT);
7		<u>[(11)</u>]	(14)	§ 4–208 (Exceptions – Maryland Accessibility Code):
8		[(12)]	(15)	§ 4–210 (Permits and variances – Solar panels);
9 10	systems);	<u>[(13)</u>]	<u> (16)</u>	§ 4–211 (Change in zoning classification – Energy generating
11		[(14)]	(17)	§ 4–212 (Agritourism);
12		[(15)]	(18)	§ 4–213 (Alcohol production);
13		[(16)]	(19)	§ 4–214 (Agricultural alcohol production);
14		[(17)]	(20)	§ 4-215 (Pollinator-friendly vegetation management);
15		[(18)]	(21)	§ 5–102(d) (Subdivision regulations – Burial sites);
16		[(19)]	(22)	§ 5–104 (Major subdivision – Review);
17		[(20)]	(23)	Title 7, Subtitle 1 (Development Mechanisms);
18		[(21)]	(24)	Title 7, Subtitle 2 (Transfer of Development Rights);
19 20	7, Subtitle 3			except in Montgomery County or Prince George's County, Title nt Rights and Responsibilities Agreements);
21		<u>[(23)]</u>	(26)	Title 7, Subtitle 4 (Inclusionary Zoning);
22		[(24)]	(27)	Title 7, Subtitle 5 (Housing Expansion and Affordability);
23		[(25)]	(28)	§ 8–401 (Conversion of overhead facilities);
$\frac{24}{25}$	Provisions -			for Baltimore County only, Title 9, Subtitle 3 (Single-County county);

$1\\2$	[(27)] (30) for Frederick County only, Title 9, Subtitle 10 (Single–County Provisions – Frederick County):
3 4	[(28)] (31) for Howard County only, Title 9, Subtitle 13 (Single–County Provisions – Howard County):
5 6	[(29)] (32) for Talbot County only, Title 9, Subtitle 18 (Single-County Provisions – Talbot County); and
7	[(30)] (33) <u>Title 11, Subtitle 2 (Civil Penalty).</u>
8	4–104.
9 10 11	(a) In this section, "modular dwelling" means a building assembly or system of (A) (1) IN THIS SECTION THE FOLLOWING WORDS HAVE THE MEANINGS INDICATED.
12 13	(2) "MIXED-USE" HAS THE MEANING STATED IN § 7–501 OF THIS ARTICLE.
14 15 16	(3) "MODULAR DWELLING" MEANS A BUILDING ASSEMBLY OR SYSTEM OF building subassemblies designed for habitation as a dwelling for one or more individuals:
17 18	(1) (I) that includes the necessary electrical, plumbing, heating, ventilating, and other service systems;
19 20	(2) (II) that is made or assembled by a manufacturer on or off the building site for installation, or assembly and installation, on the building site; and
21 22	(3) (III) installed and set up according to the manufacturer's instructions on an approved foundation and support system.
23	(b) The powers granted to a local jurisdiction under this subtitle do not:
24 25	(1) grant the local jurisdiction powers in any substantive area not otherwise granted to the local jurisdiction by any other public general or public local law;
26 27	(2) restrict the local jurisdiction from exercising any power granted to the local jurisdiction by any other public general or public local law or otherwise;

28 (3) authorize the local jurisdiction or its officers to engage in any activity 29 that is beyond their power under any other public general or public local law or otherwise; 30 or

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- 1 **(4)** preempt or supersede the regulatory authority of any unit of the State 2 under any public general law. 3 If a legislative body regulates off-street parking, the legislative body shall require space for the parking of bicycles in a manner that the legislative body 4 5 considers appropriate. 6 [(2)] (II) A legislative body may allow a reduction in the number of 7 required automobile parking spaces based on the availability of space for parking bicycles. 8 **(2)** A LEGISLATIVE BODY OR OTHER LOCAL AGENCY WITH LAND USE AUTHORITY MAY NOT IMPOSE A MINIMUM OFF-STREET PARKING REQUIREMENT ON 9 A RESIDENTIAL OR MIXED-USE DEVELOPMENT THAT IS LOCATED WITHIN 0.5 0.25 10 11 MILES OF A RAIL TRANSIT STATION THAT RECEIVES AT LEAST HOURLY SERVICE ON AVERAGE FROM 8:00 A.M. UNTIL 6:00 P.M. MONDAY THROUGH FRIDAY. 12 13 A legislative body may not prohibit the placement of a new manufactured 14 home or modular dwelling in a zone that allows single-family residential uses if the home 15 or dwelling: 16 (i) meets the definition of modular dwelling under subsection (a) of (1) 17 this section; or 18 (ii) meets the definition of a manufactured home in § 9–102(a) of the 19 Commercial Law Article and is, or will be after purchase, converted to real property in accordance with Title 8B, Subtitle 2 of the Real Property Article; or 20 21 (2) is located on land: 22(i) currently or previously owned by the federal government; 23 (ii) greater than 80 acres in size; and 24that was the site of a former U.S. military reservation. (iii) 25**(E)** LEGISLATIVE BODY MAY NOT TAKE AN ACTION TO PRECLUDE 26 MIXED-USE DEVELOPMENT THAT IS LOCATED WITHIN 0.5 MILES OF A RAIL TRANSIT
- (E) A LEGISLATIVE BODY MAY NOT TAKE AN ACTION TO PRECLUDE

 MIXED-USE DEVELOPMENT THAT IS LOCATED WITHIN 0.5 MILES OF A RAIL TRANSIT

 STATION A LOCAL JURISDICTION'S ZONING REGULATIONS SHALL ALLOW

 MIXED-USE DEVELOPMENT ON LAND DESIGNATED FOR RESIDENTIAL USE OR

 APPROPRIATE COMMERCIAL USE FOR MIXED-USE DEVELOPMENT WITHIN 0.5 MILES

 OF A RAIL TRANSIT STATION THAT RECEIVES AT LEAST HOURLY SERVICE ON

 AVERAGE FROM 8:00 A.M. UNTIL 6:00 P.M. MONDAY THROUGH FRIDAY.
 - (F) FOR STATE-OWNED LAND IN USE FOR A TRANSPORTATION PURPOSE ADJACENT CONTIGUOUS TO A RAIL TRANSIT STATION THAT RECEIVES AT LEAST HOURLY SERVICE ON AVERAGE FROM 8:00 A.M. UNTIL 6:00 P.M. MONDAY THROUGH

1 FRIDAY, A LEGISLATIVE BODY OR OTHER LOCAL AGENCY WITH LAND USE
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- 2 AUTHORITY MAY NOT IMPOSE LOCAL ZONING RESTRICTIONS IF THE LAND IS
- 3 SUBJECT TO A TRANSIT-ORIENTED DEVELOPMENT PLAN APPROVED BY THE
- 4 DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION LIMITATIONS OR RESTRICTIONS ON LAND USE
- 5 CLASSIFICATION, HEIGHT, OR SETBACK, OR ANY SIMILAR REQUIREMENTS IF THE
- 6 <u>LAND IS SUBJECT TO A TRANSIT-ORIENTED DEVELOPMENT PLAN APPROVED BY THE</u>
- 7 DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION AND DEVELOPED IN COORDINATION WITH THE
- 8 LOCAL JURISDICTION.
- 9 (G) SUBSECTIONS (E) AND (F) OF THIS SECTION MAY NOT BE CONSTRUED TO
 10 ALTER THE LAND USE AUTHORITY OF A LOCAL JURISDICTION GOVERNING:
- 11 (1) ENVIRONMENTAL OR NATURAL RESOURCES CONCERNS;
- 12 (2) PUBLIC HEALTH AND SAFETY CONSIDERATIONS; OR
- 13 (3) ADEQUATE PUBLIC FACILITIES ORDINANCES.
- 14 (H) (1) A LEGISLATIVE BODY OR OTHER LOCAL AGENCY WITH LAND USE
- 15 AUTHORITY SHALL PRIORITIZE THE PROCESSING AND APPROVAL OF ANY SITE PLAN
- 16 OR PERMIT FOR A DESIGNATED TRANSIT-ORIENTED DEVELOPMENT AS DESCRIBED
- 17 IN TITLE 7, SUBTITLE 1 OF THE TRANSPORTATION ARTICLE.
- 18 (2) (I) EXCEPT AS OTHERWISE REQUIRED BY STATE LAW, A LOCAL
- 19 GOVERNMENT MAY NOT REQUIRE THAT A PROJECT UNDER SUBSECTION (E) OR (F)
- 20 OF THIS SECTION BE REVIEWED AT MORE THAN TWO PUBLIC HEARINGS BEFORE
- 21 EACH OF THE FOLLOWING:
- 22 1. THE LOCAL GOVERNING BODY; AND
- 23 THE PLANNING COMMISSION.
- 24 (II) EXCEPT AS OTHERWISE REQUIRED BY STATE LAW, A LOCAL
- 25 GOVERNMENT MAY NOT REQUIRE THAT A PROJECT UNDER SUBSECTION (E) OR (F)
- 26 OF THIS SECTION BE REVIEWED AT MORE THAN ONE PUBLIC HEARING BEFORE EACH
- 27 OF THE FOLLOWING:
- 28 <u>A HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION OR HISTORIC</u>
- 29 PRESERVATION COMMISSION; AND
- 30 2. THE BOARD OF APPEALS.
- 31 7–501.

1	<u>(a)</u>	<u>In thi</u>	is subtitle the following words have the meanings indicated.
$\frac{2}{3}$	(i) recreationa	(<u>1)</u> l, office	"Mixed-use" means any combination of a residential use with a dining, or retail use.
4 5	an industria	(<u>2)</u> al or ha	"Mixed—use" does not mean any combination of a residential use with azardous use.
6	<u>10–103.</u>		
7	<u>(b)</u>	The fe	ollowing provisions of this division apply to Baltimore City:
8		<u>(1)</u>	this title;
9		<u>(2)</u>	§ 1–101(m) (Definitions – "Priority funding area");
10		<u>(3)</u>	§ 1–101(o) (Definitions – "Sensitive area");
11		<u>(4)</u>	§ 1–201 (Visions);
12		<u>(5)</u>	§ 1-206 (Required education);
13		<u>(6)</u>	§ 1–207 (Annual report – In general);
14		<u>(7)</u>	§ 1–208 (Annual report – Measures and indicators);
15		<u>(8)</u>	Title 1, Subtitle 3 (Consistency);
16 17	Comprehen	(<u>9)</u> sive Pl	<u>Title 1, Subtitle 4, Parts II and III (Home Rule Counties – ans; Implementation);</u>
18		<u>(10)</u>	§ 4-104(c) (Limitations - [Bicycle parking] PARKING):
19		<u>(11)</u>	§ 4–104(d) (Limitations – Manufactured homes and modular dwellings);
20		<u>(12)</u>	§ 4–104(E) (LIMITATIONS – MIXED-USE DEVELOPMENT);
21 22	TRANSPOR		§ 4–104(F) (LIMITATIONS – STATE–OWNED LAND FOR N USE);
23		<u>(14)</u>	§ 4-104(H) (PRIORITY - TRANSIT-ORIENTED DEVELOPMENT);
24		[(12)]	(15) § 4–205 (Administrative adjustments):
25		[(13)]	(16) § 4–207 (Exceptions – Maryland Accessibility Code);

1	[(14)] (17)	§ 4–210 (Permits and variances – Solar panels);
2 3	<u>[(15)] (18)</u> systems);	§ 4-211 (Change in zoning classification – Energy generating
4	[(16)] (19)	§ 4–215 (Pollinator–friendly vegetation management):
5	[(17)] (20)	§ 5–102(d) (Subdivision regulations – Burial sites);
6	[(18)] (21)	Title 7, Subtitle 1 (Development Mechanisms);
7	[(19)] (22)	Title 7, Subtitle 2 (Transfer of Development Rights);
8	[(20)] (23) Agreements);	Title 7, Subtitle 3 (Development Rights and Responsibilities
10	[(21)] (24)	Title 7, Subtitle 4 (Inclusionary Zoning);
11	[(22)] (25)	Title 7, Subtitle 5 (Housing Expansion and Affordability); and
12	[(23)] (26)	Title 11, Subtitle 2 (Civil Penalty).
13		Article - Local Government
14	21–508.	
15 16 17	valorem or special tax on	ing body of a county may provide for the imposition of an adal real and personal property in a special taxing district at a rate rovide adequate revenue:
18 19		y costs of infrastructure improvements located in or supporting a ment or a State hospital redevelopment;
20 21 22		y costs of operating and maintaining infrastructure improvements a transit-oriented development or a State hospital redevelopment;
23 24 25		nalternative to imposing ad valorem taxes under this subtitle, the ty may impose special taxes in accordance with this subsection on ing district.

(i) equally per front foot, lot, parcel, dwelling unit, or square foot;

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1	(ii) according to the value of the property, with or without regard to
2	improvements on the property; or
3	(iii) in any other reasonable manner that results in a fair allocation
4	of the cost of the infrastructure improvements.
E	(2) The governing body of a county may exact an ardinance or a resolution
$\frac{5}{6}$	(3) The governing body of a county may enact an ordinance or a resolution
О	for:
7	(i) the maximum amount of a special tax to be imposed on any
8	parcel;
Ü	parcel
9	(ii) the tax year or other date after which further special taxes under
10	this subtitle may not be imposed on a parcel; and
11	(iii) whether, and the circumstances under which, a special tax on a
12	parcel may be increased because of delinquency or default by the owner of that parcel or by
13	the owner of any other parcel.
14	(4) By ordinance or resolution, the governing body of a county may
15	establish procedures allowing for the prepayment of special taxes under this subtitle.
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16	(5) A special tax imposed under this subtitle shall:
17	(i) unless otherwise provided in an ordinance or a resolution, be
18	collected and secured in the same manner as general ad valorem taxes; [and]
10	conceded and secured in the same manner as general ad valorem taxes, [and]
19	(ii) in the case of delinquency, be subject to the same penalties,
20	procedure, sale, and lien priority as general ad valorem taxes; AND
21	(III) FOR A SPECIAL TAX IMPOSED FOR THE BENEFIT OF
22	TRANSIT-ORIENTED DEVELOPMENT, BE EXEMPT FROM ANY COUNTY TAX
23	LIMITATION OR BOND CAP.
24	(6) THE REVENUES GENERATED BY A SPECIAL TAX IMPOSED FOR THE
25	BENEFIT OF TRANSIT-ORIENTED DEVELOPMENT BY A COUNTY UNDER PARAGRAPH
26	(4) OR (5) OF THIS SUBSECTION MAY BE DISTRIBUTED TO A TOD CORRIDOR FUND
27	ESTABLISHED UNDER § 7-1302 OF THE TRANSPORTATION ARTICLE.
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28	Article – State Finance and Procurement
29	11–203.
30	(L) (1) THIS DIVISION II DOES NOT APPLY TO A TRANSIT-ORIENTED

DEVELOPMENT UNDER TITLE 7 OF THE TRANSPORTATION ARTICLE.

1 2 3	(2) TO THE EXTENT OTHERWISE REQUIRED BY LAW, THE FOLLOWING PROVISIONS OF THIS DIVISION APPLY TO A TRANSIT-ORIENTED DEVELOPMENT UNDER TITLE 7 OF THE TRANSPORTATION ARTICLE:
4	(I) § 11–205 OF THIS SUBTITLE ("COLLUSION");
5 6	(II) § 11–205.1 OF THIS SUBTITLE ("FALSIFICATION, CONCEALMENT, ETC., OF MATERIAL FACTS");
7 8	(III) TITLE 12, SUBTITLE 4 OF THIS ARTICLE ("POLICIES AND PROCEDURES FOR EXEMPT UNITS");
9 10	(IV) § 13–219 OF THIS ARTICLE ("REQUIRED CLAUSES – NONDISCRIMINATION CLAUSE");
11 12 13	(V) TITLE 14, SUBTITLE 3 OF THIS ARTICLE ("MINORITY BUSINESS PARTICIPATION"), TO THE EXTENT PRACTICABLE AND PERMITTED BY THE UNITED STATES CONSTITUTION;
14 15	(VI) § 15–113 OF THIS ARTICLE ("LIQUIDATED DAMAGES POLICIES AND REPORTING");
16 17	(VII) TITLE 17, SUBTITLE 1 OF THIS ARTICLE ("SECURITY FOR CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTS");
18 19	(VIII) TITLE 17, SUBTITLE 2 OF THIS ARTICLE ("PREVAILING WAGE RATES – PUBLIC WORK CONTRACTS"); AND
20	(IX) TITLE 18 OF THIS ARTICLE ("LIVING WAGE").
21	<u>Article - Transportation</u>
22	<u>7–1204.</u>
23 24	(b) (2) The Smart Growth Subcabinet established under § 9–1406 of the State Government Article may establish:
25 26	(i) <u>Different eligibility requirements and objective scoring</u> standards for different types of financial assistance; and
27 28	(ii) Scoring preferences for applications that demonstrate that the proposed project will:
29 30	1. Enhance access to transit for low–income and minority residents of the local jurisdiction;

1	2. Enhance access to transit in areas with affordable housing
2	and a diversity of job and educational opportunities; [or]
3	3. Encourage development around underdeveloped and
4	underutilized transit stations in transit-oriented developments; OR
5	4. USE PROJECT LABOR AGREEMENTS TO PROMOTE
6	PROJECT EFFICIENCY, COST CONTROL, ENHANCED WORKER SAFETY, A SKILLED
7	WORKFORCE, AND LABOR HARMONY.
8	Article - Transportation
9	7–101.
10	(a) In this title the following words have the meanings indicated.
11	(p) "Transit-oriented development" means a mix of private or public parking
12	facilities, commercial and residential structures, and uses, improvements, and facilities
13	customarily appurtenant to such facilities and uses, that:
14	(1) Is part of a deliberate development plan or strategy involving:
15	(i) Property that is adjacent to the passenger boarding and alighting
16	location of a planned or existing transit station;
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17	(ii) Property, any part of which is located within one-half mile of the
18	passenger boarding and alighting location of a planned or existing transit station; or
19	(iii) Property that is adjacent to a planned or existing transit corridor;
20	(2) Is planned to maximize the use of transit, walking, and bieyeling by
21	residents and employees; and
22	(3) Is designated as a transit-oriented development by:
23	(i) The Smart Growth Subcabinet established under § 9–1406 of the
24	State Government Article; and
25	(ii) The local government or multicounty agency with land use and
26	planning responsibility for the relevant area applying for designation.
27	7–1201.
00	(-) To this solution the following many 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1
28	(a) In this subtitle the following words have the meanings indicated.

1 2	(e) "Fund" means the Transit-Oriented Development Capital Grant and Revolving Loan Fund.
3	7–1203.
4	(e) (1) The Fund consists of:
5	(i) Money appropriated in the State budget to the Fund;
6 7 8	(ii) Money made available for qualifying uses by the Fund from other governmental sources, including eligible federal funding and the Transportation Trust Fund;
9	(iii) Ground rents or land sale proceeds in accordance with { 10-306(c)(2) of the State Finance and Procurement Article;
$\frac{1}{2}$	(iv) Payments of principal of and interest on loans made under this title;
13	(v) Investment earnings of the Fund; [and]
14 15	(vi) PROCEEDS FROM BONDS ISSUED BY THE DEPARTMENT UNDER THIS TITLE; AND
16 17	(VII) Any other money from any other source, public or private accepted for the benefit of the Fund.
18 19	(2) Contributions to the Fund under paragraph (1)(iii) of this subsection shall[:
20	(i) Be] BE separately accounted for in the Fund[; and
21 22	(ii) Be used only for the benefit of transit-oriented developments in the same county where the real property subject to the ground rent or land sale is located]
23	7–1204.
24 25	(a) (1) The Fund may be used by the Department to provide financia assistance to local jurisdictions for:
26 27	(i) PLANNING EFFORTS FOR A SITE ADJACENT TO TRANSIT
28	THAT SITE FOR SUCH DESIGNATION;

1	(II) Design plans for a transit-oriented development, provided that
2	the transit-oriented development will be designed to meet equity goals established by the
3	Department;
4	[(ii)] (III) Public infrastructure improvements within a
5	transit-oriented development; or
6	(iii) (IV) Cap funding AND FINANCING for COSTS ASSOCIATED
7	WITH public or private development within a transit-oriented development.
8	(2) A private entity, including a nonprofit entity, participating in the
9	development of a transit-oriented development may partner with a local jurisdiction to
10	submit an application for financial assistance under paragraph [(1)(iii)] (1)(IV) of this
11	subsection.
12	Subtitle 13. TOD Corridor Funds.
13	7-1301.
14	(A) IN THIS SUBTITLE THE FOLLOWING WORDS HAVE THE MEANINGS
15	INDICATED.
16	(B) "COUNTY SPECIAL TAXING DISTRICT" MEANS A TAXING DISTRICT
17	ESTABLISHED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF A COUNTY UNDER TITLE 21, SUBTITLE
18	5 OF THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT ARTICLE.
19	(c) "TOD corridor fund" means a fund established and
20	ADMINISTERED BY THE DEPARTMENT TO SUPPORT TRANSIT-ORIENTED
21	DEVELOPMENT ADJACENT TO A PLANNED OR EXISTING TRANSIT CORRIDOR.
22	7–1302.
23	(A) THE DEPARTMENT MAY ESTABLISH TOD CORRIDOR FUNDS TO
24	COLLECT REVENUES FROM COUNTY SPECIAL TAXING DISTRICTS ESTABLISHED TO
25	BENEFIT TRANSIT-ORIENTED DEVELOPMENT.
26	(B) A TOD CORRIDOR FUND MAY BE USED WITHIN APPLICABLE SPECIAL
27	TAXING DISTRICTS TO:
28	(1) SUPPORT THE ISSUANCE OF BONDS FOR TRANSIT-ORIENTED
29	DEVELOPMENT-RELATED ACTIVITIES;
30	(2) PROVIDE A DEDICATED SOURCE OF REVENUES TO REPAY
31	FEDERAL LOANS FOR TRANSIT-ORIENTED DEVELOPMENT; AND

$\frac{1}{2}$	(3) SUPPORT OTHER FINANCING ACTIVITIES FOR THE BENEFIT OF TRANSIT-ORIENTED DEVELOPMENT.
3 4 5	SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That § 4–104(e) of the Land Use Article, as enacted by Section 1 of this Act, shall apply only to land use rezonings or actions taken by a legislative body on or after the effective date of this Act.
6 7	SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect October 1, 2025.
	Approved:
	Governor.
	Speaker of the House of Delegates.

President of the Senate.