



## MARYLAND COUNTY-MUNICIPALITY SMOKE-FREE OUTDOOR LAWS, ORDINANCES & REGULATIONS

JURISDICTION	MUNICIPALITY	FULL TEXT	PENALTY	LEGISLATION/AUTHORITY
Statewide		The sale or use of tobacco in any form is prohibited on school grounds (e.g. any building or grounds owned or leased by the Board of Education) during the official school day.		<a href="#">COMAR 13A.0204.03</a>
Statewide		Smoking is prohibited by any person located in any of the following areas: (A) in any spaces within the Stadium structures, whether such spaces are covered or uncovered, walled or exposed, or open or closed to public access; and (B) within 25 feet of any entry, outdoor air intake, or operable window of the Stadium Structures at the Camden Yards Sports Complex.		<a href="#">COMAR 14.25.02.19</a>
Allegany	Cumberland	Tobacco use, including smoking and the use of smokeless tobacco is prohibited in all parks and recreation facilities.	May be removed from the park and/or banned from future use of the parks.	City of Cumberland, Ordinance <a href="#">No. 3688</a>
Anne Arundel		A person may not use any form of tobacco: (1) in a restroom, at a spectator or concession area, dog park, aquatic facility, or playground in any County park; or (2) within 100 yards of an organized activity at a County park.	Violators subject to verbal warning or ejection from the park	Anne Arundel County Recreation and Parks, Rule, available at <a href="#">Park Rules &amp; Regulations</a>
Anne Arundel		No tobacco products of any kind are permitted in or on any Board of Education owned or leased buildings or grounds at any time.		Anne Arundel County Public Schools, Board of Education, AR 902.03-B
Anne Arundel		All County offices, buildings, and vehicles are smoke free. Smoking is only allowed in designated outside areas.		Anne Arundel County Employee Policy, available at <a href="#">Employee Benefits</a>
Baltimore		Smoking ban in all government		County Administrative

		owned vehicles.		Officer
<b>Baltimore</b>		Ban on the sale or use of any form of tobacco in any school system property at any time, regardless of whether or not students are present.	Non-employees or students: Verbal warning (1 <sup>st</sup> ), Asked to leave premises (2 <sup>nd</sup> ), Issued a trespass letter (3 <sup>rd</sup> )	Baltimore County Public Schools, Board of Education of Baltimore County, <a href="#">Rule 2372</a>
<b>Baltimore</b>		Smoking ban in playgrounds, tot lots, dog parks, parks and recreation department-sponsored games/events at athletic fields, and within 30 feet of parks and recreation buildings.		County Council of Baltimore County, <a href="#">Bill No. 4-14</a> (approved 2014 Session).
<b>Caroline</b>		Possession, use, or distribution of tobacco products prohibited in county parks.	1 <sup>st</sup> violation: up to \$100 Subsequent violations: up to \$200	Caroline County <a href="#">Res. No. 2009-035, §148.3.2. C</a>
<b>Caroline</b>		Employees prohibited from smoking or carrying any lighted tobacco product in any County-owned or leased buildings and vehicles, including outside of certain buildings (County Courthouse, Dept. of Public Works building, premises of County govt landfills and waste transfer stations, Health and Public Services building, Detention Center and Sheriff's Department building, Goldsborough House, Dept. of Emergency Management building, premises of County 4-H and Youth Park, County-owned block building at Franklin and 5 <sup>th</sup> Street)	Employee disciplinary measures.	Personnel Rules and Regulations for Caroline County, Smoking on County Property, <a href="#">§4-110</a>
<b>Carroll</b>		"No person in a park shall smoke or consume tobacco products in undesignated areas or at undesignated times."	Misdemeanor, punishable by a fine not to exceed \$1,000 or imprisonment not to exceed 6 months in County Detention Center	Carroll County Code of Public Local Laws and Ordinances, Chapter 155, Parks and Recreation, <a href="#">Sect. 155-22.1</a>
<b>Carroll</b>	Taneytown	No smoking is allowed within the fenced area of the Taneytown Skate Park.	Municipal infraction; penalty to be set by city council	Taneytown Code of Ordinances, <a href="#">§153-16</a>

<b>Charles</b>		Smoking and tobacco use of all types prohibited: 1) On county park property, within 100 yards of any organized activity; or 2) In a restroom, at a spectator or concession area, dog park or playground in any county park.	Violators subject to ejection from the park	Charles County Parks and Recreation, Rule, <i>available</i> at <a href="#">Charles County Parks: Park Rules</a>
<b>Charles</b>		The use of tobacco is not permitted on school property by students or adults at any time.		Charles County Public Schools, Board of Education, Rule, <i>available</i> at <a href="#">CCBOE Tobacco Rule</a>
<b>Dorchester</b>		“There will be no smoking and/or lighting of any tobacco products or any lighted smoking instrument in County owned, used or leased buildings; County owned, used or leased vehicles/equipment, and/or any County property including parking lots.”		Dorchester County Council Resolution No. 512
<b>Dorchester</b>	Cambridge	“It shall be unlawful for any person to engage in tobacco use in any area of any city building.”	\$100 fine; city employees subject to discipline by employer	Cambridge Code of Ordinances, <a href="#">§8-19. Tobacco Use</a>
<b>Frederick</b>		Sale or use of tobacco products in any form is prohibited in FCPS buildings and on FCPS grounds at all times.		Frederick County Public Schools, Office of the Superintendent, <a href="#">Reg. No. 100-1(J)</a>
<b>Frederick</b>	Emmitsburg	“ Fires are prohibited at ... parks. Lighted matches, cigars, and cigarettes shall be properly extinguished. The community center facilities are smoke-free.”		Emmitsburg Municipal Code, <a href="#">§ 12.20.100</a>
<b>Frederick</b>	Frederick	Smoking ban within 10 ft. of all city playgrounds, the fixed seating area adjacent to the Baker Park Bandshell and the fixed seating area adjacent to McCurdy Field.	\$25 fine and/or ejection from the park	City of Frederick, <a href="#">Ordinance No: 6-12-06 (City Code Sec.6-9(c))</a>
<b>Garrett</b>	Oakland	The use of tobacco products, including smoking, is prohibited within the Glade Town Park.	Misdemeanor; 1st offense - \$25; subsequent offense - \$50	Code of the Town of Oakland, <a href="#">§203-8</a>
<b>Harford</b>		The use or possession of tobacco products by any person is prohibited on the property or in or about the buildings of the Harford County Public Schools.		Harford County Public Schools, Board of Education, <a href="#">Policy Number 20-0040-000</a>

<b>Harford</b>		Tobacco ban on all property owned, leased or operated by Harford County. This consists of all buildings and grounds, including exterior open spaces, parking lots and garages, driveways and recreational facilities. In addition, smoking is prohibited in any vehicle owned or leased by the County.	Employees subject to discipline; visitors required to cease the violation or will be asked to leave the premises	Harford County, <a href="#">Tobacco-Free Rule and Regulation</a>
<b>Howard</b>		The sale or use of tobacco in any form is prohibited in school buildings, in school vehicles, on school property, and at school bus stops at all times.		Howard County Public School System, Board of Education, <a href="#">Policy 1050: Tobacco-Free Environment</a>
<b>Howard</b>		Smoking is prohibited within a distance of 15 feet outside public entrances and exits of an enclosed public place or place of employment where smoking is prohibited, except this does not apply in the Ellicott City Historic District or to restaurants and bars with outdoor seating areas that comply with section 12.604.	Violation is a class C civil offense punishable by a fine of between \$100 and \$250 per incident.	Howard County Code of Ordinances <a href="#">§ 12-603</a>
<b>Howard</b>		Smoking is prohibited on all Howard County Park Property.	Asked to cease smoking or leave the premises immediately	<a href="#">County Executive Order 2011-06</a> ; Howard County Code of Ordinances, <a href="#">§12.600</a>
<b>Kent</b>		Smoking in county offices and facilities owned or leased by Kent County is prohibited. Smoking is also prohibited on all property owned or leased by Kent County.	Employees subject to discipline	Part II, Chapter PM26, of the Personnel Policies and Procedures Manual for Kent County
<b>Montgomery</b>		A person must not smoke in any common area in a multiple-family residential dwelling or within 25 feet of a playground area on privately owned property that has a primary purpose to serve the residents of more than 1 dwelling unit.	Apartment buildings and playgrounds must post no-smoking signs; Written reprimand (1 <sup>st</sup> ), \$100 fine (2 <sup>nd</sup> ), \$500 fine (3 <sup>rd</sup> ), \$1,000 (Subsequent)	Montgomery County Board of Health, <a href="#">Health Regulation §17-210</a>
<b>Montgomery</b>	Rockville	Smoking ban within 40 ft. of all playground sites of all City of Rockville Parks and Facilities.	No fine	City of Rockville, Parks and Facilities, <a href="#">Rules and Regulations</a>
<b>Montgomery</b>		Smoking prohibited in or on any property that is owned or leased by the County, including bus	Violation is class C civil violation (\$50 fine for 1 <sup>st</sup> offense, \$75 for	Montgomery County Code, §24-9

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		shelters and bus stop areas, but excluding any other part of a County right of way (golf courses are also excepted)	repeat offenses; each day violation exists is separate offense)	
<b>Prince George's</b>	Bowie	Smoking is prohibited in or on any City property, except that a person may smoke inside a vehicle parked in a parking lot on City property, provided that the doors and windows of the vehicle are completely closed and further provided that, notwithstanding the foregoing, smoking in city-owned vehicles is prohibited.	\$50 fine and/or ejection from the area	Bowie City Code, <a href="#">Nuisances - Ch. 15-9</a>
<b>Prince George's</b>	Greenbelt	Smoking ban within 25 ft. of entrance to all city facilities, including the pool, dog park, tennis courts, ball fields, playgrounds and outdoor basketball courts.	\$50 (1 <sup>st</sup> ); \$100 (2 <sup>nd</sup> ); \$250 (3 <sup>rd</sup> )	
<b>Queen Anne's</b>		Sale or use of tobacco, nicotine-containing products, and nicotine replacement products in any form prohibited in Board of Education owned or leased buildings, vehicles, and grounds at all times (excluding specified nicotine replacement therapy, but including e-cigarettes).	Board employees subject to disciplinary action.	Queen Anne's County Public Schools Policy, <a href="#">Tobacco-Free School Environment</a>
<b>Queen Anne's</b>		"A person may not use any form of tobacco: within 100 yards of an organized youth activity at a County Park...'Park' includes recreational facility."	Verbal warning and asked to cease tobacco use. If person does not comply, person requested to leave the park.	Queen Anne's County Parks and Recreation Rule, Tobacco-Free Facilities
<b>Queen Anne's</b>		Tobacco use prohibited in or on all facilities/properties used for County Government functions, including buildings, parking lots, recreation areas and County vehicles. County employees also prohibited from tobacco product use on private property if on County business.	Employees subject to disciplinary action.	Queen Anne's County Standard Operating Policies, Tobacco-Free Policy, Policy No. 300-113
<b>Somerset</b>		Tobacco ban in all buildings, grounds and vehicles owned or leased by the Board of Education.		Somerset County Board of Education, <a href="#">Policy No. 600-14</a>

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<b>St. Mary's</b>		Sale or use of tobacco in any form is prohibited by anyone at all times in all St. Mary's County Public School buildings and vehicles, and on all school grounds whether owned or leased.		St. Mary's County Public Schools, Board of Education, <a href="#">Reg. GBK-R (Tobacco Free Environment)</a>
<b>Talbot</b>		Tobacco ban on all school property.	Warning by administrator (1 <sup>st</sup> ), Law enforcement referral (2 <sup>nd</sup> ), No trespassing order (3 <sup>rd</sup> )	Talbot County Public Schools, Board of Education, Sale or Use of Tobacco on School Premises, <a href="#">11.3 AR</a>
<b>Washington</b>		The sale or use of tobacco in any form in buildings, vehicles, or on grounds owned by the Board of Education is prohibited at all times.		Washington County Public Schools, Board of Education, Tobacco Free School Premises, <a href="#">Policy No. GBEF</a>
	Hagerstown	Smoking is prohibited in City parks and playgrounds.		Ordinance Amending Code of City of Hagerstown §173-30
<b>Wicomico</b>	Salisbury	"It is unlawful for any person to smoke in the fenced perimeter of the city zoo and Ben's Red Swings playground."	Misdemeanor; fine of up to \$100 and costs	Salisbury City Code, <a href="#">§8.32.020; §8.32.050</a>
<b>Worcester</b>	Ocean City	Smoking ban in all public playgrounds, Ocean Bowl Skate Park and Ocean City Tennis Center.	Up to \$500 fine and/or ejection from the premises	Town of Ocean City, City Code, <a href="#">Sec. 30-603</a>
<b>Worcester</b>		Prohibit use of any form of tobacco in restroom, spectator area, concession area, or playground in any County park or recreation facility, or while on County park property within 100 yards of an organized activity at County park	Violation is a civil infraction.	Worcester County Commissioners' Resolution Amending Worcester County Park Regulations, <a href="#">Resolution No. 13-1</a> ,

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