

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, THAT IF ANY PROVISION OF THIS ORDINANCE OR THE APPLICATION THEREOF TO ANY PERSON OR CIRCUMSTANCE IS HELD INVALID FOR ANY REASON, SUCH INVALIDITY SHALL NOT AFFECT THE OTHER PROVISIONS OR ANY OTHER APPLICATION OF THIS ORDINANCE WHICH CAN BE GIVEN EFFECT WITHOUT THE INVALID PROVISIONS OR APPLICATION, AND TO THIS END, ALL THE PROVISIONS OF THIS ORDINANCE ARE HEREBY DECLARED TO BE SEVERABLE.

SECTION 3. *And be it further enacted,* That this Ordinance shall take effect forty-five (45) days from the date it becomes law.

APPROVED AND ENACTED: June 1, 1971.

Bill No. 41-71

AN ORDINANCE to add new Section 13-327 (k) (2) to the Anne Arundel County Code (1967 Edition and Supplements), as added by Bill No. 17-71, Title 13, "Planning and Zoning", Subtitle 3, "Zoning Regulations", Article IX "Signs", Heading, "General Provisions", to follow immediately after Section 13-327 (j) thereof, and to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 13-329 (1) (f) of said Code, Title, Subtitle and Article (as added by said Bill), Heading, "Signs in Commercial Districts", respectively setting forth the method for measuring three (3) dimensional signs, and the method for measuring doublefaced signs in Commercial Districts; providing for the adoption of zoning maps; authorizing the renumbering of such sections of this Ordinance as may be necessary or desirable when additional sections of this Subtitle are adopted; providing that this Ordinance shall become effective only when the entire Subtitle is adopted and becomes effective and the existing zoning laws are repealed; and matters generally related thereto.

WHEREAS, the Charter of Anne Arundel County, Maryland, provides that the life of a Bill is ninety-five (95) days; and

WHEREAS, it is impractical and unrealistic to attempt to have intelligent and meaningful public hearings on a complete Zoning Ordinance within said ninety-five (95) day period, it is the intent of the County Council of Anne Arundel County, Maryland, to adopt Subtitle 3, "Zoning Regulations", in sections no section becoming effective until the complete Subtitle is adopted and becomes effective.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the County Council of Anne Arundel County, Maryland,* That new Section 13-327 (k) (2) be, and it is hereby added to the Anne Arundel County Code (1967 Edition and Supplements), as added by Bill No. 17-71, Title 13, "Planning and Zoning", Subtitle 3, "Zoning Regulations", Article IX, "Signs", Heading, "General Provisions," to follow immediately after Section 13-327 (j) thereof, and to read as follows: