

15-201.

(A) THE PUBLIC SHALL HAVE AN EASEMENT OR RIGHT-OF-WAY OVER ANY ROADS OR WAYS IN CALVERT COUNTY LEADING TO ANY OF THE FOLLOWING WHARVES OR LANDINGS: LYONS CREEK, FERRY LANDING, LOWER MARLBORO, HOLLAND CLIFF, DEEP LANDING, LEITCH'S WHARF, HOLLAND POINT, DUKE'S WHARF, WILLIAMS' WHARF, PARKER'S WHARF, MACKALL'S WHARF, SOLLERS' WHARF, SOLOMONS WHARF, GOVERNORS RUN, DARES BEACH, AND PLUM POINT.

(B) THE PURPOSE OF THIS EASEMENT OR RIGHT-OF-WAY IS SOLELY FOR ACCESS TO THE WHARVES AND LANDINGS AND ENJOYMENT OF THE WHARVES AND LANDINGS BY THE PUBLIC.

(C) THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS MAY NOT ALLOW THOSE ROADS TO BE CLOSED UNTIL AFTER A PUBLIC HEARING WITH DUE NOTICE IN ONE OR MORE NEWSPAPERS IN THE COUNTY.

SUBTITLE 3. LOITERING.

15-301. DEFINITIONS.

(A) IN THIS SUBTITLE THE FOLLOWING WORDS HAVE THE MEANINGS INDICATED.

(B) "LOITER" MEANS TO IDLE, STAND, REMAIN, GATHER, OR BE A MEMBER OF A GROUP OR CROWD OF PEOPLE WHO ARE GATHERED TOGETHER ON ANY COMMERCIAL PREMISES WITHOUT CONDUCTING ANY LAWFUL BUSINESS WITH THE OWNER OR OPERATOR THEREOF, OR HAVING PATRONIZED THOSE BUSINESS ESTABLISHMENTS, TO REMAIN ON SUCH PREMISES HAVING BEEN DIRECTED TO LEAVE BY THE OWNER, OPERATOR, OR AN AUTHORIZED AGENT.

(C) "COMMERCIAL PREMISES" MEANS ANY BUSINESS PREMISES OPERATED FOR PROFIT OR TO WHICH THE GENERAL PUBLIC IS INVITED OR PERMITTED, INCLUDING PARKING LOTS ADJACENT TO OR CONNECTED WITH THOSE PREMISES AND SIDEWALKS USED BY THE GENERAL PUBLIC IN GAINING ACCESS TO THOSE PREMISES.

15-302. UNLAWFUL CONDUCT.

(A) A PERSON MAY NOT LOITER ON OR ABOUT ANY COMMERCIAL PREMISES DURING ORDINARY BUSINESS HOURS AFTER HAVING BEEN REQUESTED TO LEAVE BY THE OWNER, OPERATOR, OR AN AUTHORIZED AGENT OF THE OWNER AND AFTER HAVING BEEN REQUESTED TO LEAVE BY A POLICE OFFICER.

(B) A PERSON MAY NOT LOITER, WITHOUT THE CONSENT OF THE OWNER, OPERATOR, OR AUTHORIZED AGENT ON ANY COMMERCIAL PREMISES AFTER THOSE PREMISES HAVE BEEN CLOSED FOR BUSINESS PURPOSES, AND AFTER HAVING BEEN REQUESTED TO LEAVE BY A POLICE OFFICER.

(C) A PERSON OR GROUP OF PERSONS MAY NOT ASSEMBLE ON A PUBLIC SIDEWALK IN CALVERT COUNTY AND CONDUCT THEMSELVES IN SUCH A MANNER AS TO UNNECESSARILY INTERFERE WITH THE USE OF THE SIDEWALK AS A THOROUGHFARE BY THE GENERAL PUBLIC.