

MONTGOMERY COUNTY

- (9) make violations of this Act or regulations adopted under it a Class A offense subject to a certain civil fine;
- (10) provide certain administrative and judicial remedies to enforce this Act, including the imposition of an administrative civil penalty up to a certain amount, corrective orders, and suspension and revocation of a forest conservation plan;
- (11) provide for certain notice, hearing, appeal, and variance procedures;
- (12) establish a County Arborist in the Department of Environmental Protection with certain duties;
- (13) [[establish a Tree Commission appointed by the County Executive and confirmed by the County Council with certain duties]] provide a delayed effective date for certain provisions;
- (14) [[making]] make this Act contingent on adoption of a certain resolution by the Maryland-National Capital Park and Planning Commission until a certain time; and
- (15) generally provide for a comprehensive regulatory framework for tree and forest conservation.

By adding

Montgomery County Code

Chapter 22A, Forest Conservation – Trees

Sections 22A-1 through 22A-[[31]]30

[Effective Date July 1, 1992 (Specified Exceptions)]

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Bill No. 49-91

Chapter 5

Laws of Montgomery County, 1992

AN [[EMERGENCY]] ACT to:

- (1) amend the Road Code to require the planting of street trees under certain specifications as part of construction;
- (2) define certain terms and make stylistic changes;
- (3) require that work under a certain grading or construction permit issued by the Director of the Department of Transportation must not occur until after a sediment control permit has been issued by the appropriate governmental entity if such a permit is required by law; and
- (4) authorize the Director of the Department of Transportation to waive certain requirements in the Road Code [[related to tree conservation under certain circumstances]].