

**HB1178/813322/1**

BY: Education, Energy, and the Environment Committee

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 1178  
(Third Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in line 3, strike “prohibiting” and substitute “requiring”; in the same line, strike “from annexing” and substitute “that is seeking to annex”; in line 5, strike “without first”; in the same line, strike “notifying” and substitute “to notify”; and strike in their entirety lines 12 through 16, inclusive, and substitute:

“BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,

Article - Local Government

Section 4-406(a)

Annotated Code of Maryland

(2013 Volume and 2025 Supplement)

BY adding to

Article – Local Government

Section 4–406(g)

Annotated Code of Maryland

(2013 Volume and 2025 Supplement)”.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On pages 1 and 2, strike in their entirety the lines beginning with line 20 on page 1 through line 19 on page 2, inclusive.

On page 2, after line 26, insert:

“4–406.

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(a) After an annexation resolution is introduced, the chief executive and administrative officer of the municipality shall publish notice in accordance with the requirements of this section that:

(1) briefly and accurately describes the proposed annexation and the applicable conditions and circumstances; and

(2) specifies the date, time, and place that the legislative body sets for the public hearing on the proposed annexation.”;

in line 27, strike “**(D)**” and substitute “**(G)**”; and in the same line, strike “**AFTER AN**” and substitute “**IF A MUNICIPALITY IS SEEKING TO ANNEX LAND THAT IS LOCATED IN A DIFFERENT LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT THAN THE LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT IN WHICH THE MUNICIPALITY OR ANY PART OF THE MUNICIPALITY IS LOCATED, AFTER THE**”.