

HOUSE BILL 671

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CF SB 524

By: **Delegate Hinebaugh**

Introduced and read first time: February 6, 2023

Assigned to: Environment and Transportation

A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Garrett County – Board of County Commissioners – Meetings**

3 FOR the purpose of requiring the Board of County Commissioners for Garrett County to
4 meet at least twice a month; authorizing the Board to hold public meetings in person
5 or over video broadcast; and generally relating to the meetings of the Board of County
6 Commissioners of Garrett County.

7 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
8 The Public Local Laws of Garrett County
9 Section 30.03
10 Article 12 – Public Local Laws of Maryland
11 (2005 Edition and 2021 Supplement, as amended)

12 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND,
13 That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

14 **Article 12 – Garrett County**

15 30.03.

16 The Board of County Commissioners will meet in public session [weekly] **AT LEAST**
17 **TWICE A MONTH. THE BOARD MAY HOLD PUBLIC MEETINGS IN PERSON OR OVER**
18 **VIDEO BROADCAST.** The Board will provide notice of all public meeting dates and times
19 to include notification of any change in schedule or cancellation. The Board will
20 schedule/announce administrative sessions to review matters that may require executive
21 action during forthcoming public sessions or to address personnel, administrative, or other
22 subjects. Each Commissioner will attend appointed commission, board or committee
23 meetings as scheduled or planned.

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.



1 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect
2 October 1, 2023.