



LEGISLATIVE SUMMARY¹

To: All Councilmembers of the Anne Arundel County Council

From: Linda M. Schuett, Legislative Counsel

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Subject: Bill No. 62-20

Bill No. 62-20 regulates the use of “off-the road motorcycles.” State law defines the term to mean “motorcycles designed for off-the-road operation, motorcycles not otherwise eligible for registration under this article, and motorcycles commonly referred to as ‘dirt bikes’”. State law allows local regulation of off-the-road motorcycles.

Bill No. 62-20 prohibits a person from operating an off-the-road motorcycle within 300 feet of a dwelling without written permission from a resident of the dwelling. For the first three times that a person violates this prohibition, the person is subject to a fine of \$75.00. Thereafter, the person is guilty of a misdemeanor and, if convicted, is subject to a fine that does not exceed \$250.00.

¹ This Legislative Summary provides a synopsis of the bill as introduced. It does not address subsequent amendments to the bill.