

**RESOLUTION NO. 1138-19**

**A Resolution temporarily suspending parking fines and meter rates, in the Bel Air Parking Garage and on Main Street, in the Town of Bel Air, from Thanksgiving, November 28, 2019 through December 31, 2019.**

**WHEREAS**, Chapter 450. Vehicles and Traffic, Article IV. Enforcement, of the Bel Air Town Code authorizes the Bel Air Board of Town Commissioners to enforce violations and adopt fines and penalties related to vehicles and traffic in the Town of Bel Air; and

**WHEREAS**, the Board of Town Commissioners wishes to temporarily suspend parking fines as authorized by Section § 450-39 Adoption of Fines of the Bel Air Town Code, specifically pertaining to vehicle parking in metered spaces, in the Bel Air Parking Garage, located on the west side of Hickory Avenue, and on Main Street, in the Town of Bel Air, Maryland, from November 28, 2019, through December 31, 2019; and

**WHEREAS**, Chapter 450. Vehicles and Traffic, Article V. Meter and Lease Rates, of the Bel Air Town Code authorizes the Bel Air Board of Town Commissioners to establish parking meter rates and parking lease rates in the Town of Bel Air; and

**WHEREAS**, the Board of Town Commissioners wishes to temporarily suspend parking meters rates, and provide free parking, at metered spaces, as authorized by Section § 450-41 Parking Meter Rates of the Bel Air Town Code, specifically pertaining to metered parking, in the Bel Air Parking Garage, located on the west side of Hickory Avenue, and on Main Street, in the Town of Bel Air, Maryland, from November 28, 2019, through December 31, 2019; and

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Bel Air Board of Town Commissioners extends to all citizens best wishes for a happy and health holiday season and encourages citizens to take advantage of the free parking in the Bel Air Parking Garage and on Main Street, for the purposes of promoting the overall economic development of businesses, shops, and restaurants in the Bel Air downtown district this holiday season.

**AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that this Resolution shall take effect on November 28, 2019 and last through December 31, 2019.

ENACTMENT:

EFFECTIVE:

AYES:

NAYS:

ABSENT:

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Susan U. Burdette, Chair  
Board of Town Commissioners

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Michael L. Krantz, Town Clerk