



City of Frostburg 37 Broadway Frostburg, MD 21532

June 11, 2024

Dear Mayor and City Council,

FrostburgFirst would like to request a temporary repeal of the Open Container Law on Main Street, Broadway, and Water Street during our 4th Annual Lemonade Crawl on June 29, 2024 from 10 am - 5pm, under the conditions that all beverages are kept in plastic ware.

The Lemonade Stroll is an event designed to encourage locals and visitors to explore downtown businesses and enjoy the beauty of downtown Frostburg. Business owners provide samples of lemonade or other lemon-themed treats during the Crawl to entice shoppers and diners, and some of the businesses would like to offer beverages with alcohol content for adults. We hope to increase attendance this year and draw more attention to our small businesses. The repeal of the Open Container Law allows guests to move from one space to another without having to rush through their beverage. If granted, we will not publicly advertise the repeal, but will inform our downtown business owners of the temporary repeal to allow a more pleasant experience for their customers and guests.

Thank you for considering this repeal.

With appreciation,

Deirdre Robertson Executive Director

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