



City of Frostburg
37 Broadway
Frostburg, MD 21532

September 10, 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 Annual Cider Crawl on September 28, 2024 from 10 am - 6pm, under the conditions that all beverages are kept in plastic ware.

The Cider Crawl is an event designed to encourage locals and visitors to explore downtown businesses during the "Fall in Love with Frostburg" and "1st Annual Frostburg PumpkinFest." Business owners provide samples of cider or other fall-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. 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,

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Executive Director

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