



## CITY OF CAMBRIDGE PRESS RELEASE

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### For Immediate Release

#### **City of Cambridge On-line Short Term Rental Applications Now Available**

Cambridge, MD (April 7, 2023). The City of Cambridge is pleased to announce the launch of our on-line [Short Term Rental Application](#). The Commissioners of Cambridge enacted Ordinance 1204 in late 2022 to provide guidelines and clarity to those who maintain short term rentals and those who live near them. This ordinance clarifies the need for all short term rental operators to have their property permitted and remit payment of occupancy taxes.

Short term rentals are an important part of our community providing visitors an alternative type of accommodation while visiting and enjoying the sites and experiences of Cambridge and Dorchester County. Guests frequently look to rent a short term rental property when they have extended family traveling with them and/or they want to be able to cook some meals and have a home away from home relaxing experience.

Whether you are renting a room or a whole house, registration is required for any rentals greater than three days each year. The application, if approved, will result in a permit good for three years.

All details of the program can be found on the City's website [www.choosecambridge.com](http://www.choosecambridge.com) under the "Forms, Permits, and Ordinances" tab or search "short term rental" from the home page. For more information, contact [STRregistration@choosecambridge.com](mailto:STRregistration@choosecambridge.com).

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