

**Coal-Tar-Based Sealcoat Bans
Code Survey
January 2021**

Government Entity	Sealcoat Product Banned [specifically mentioned in ordinance]	Sealcoat Allowed	Violation Identification	Penalty
Ann Arbor Charter Township, Michigan (sealcoat ordinance and commercial applicators registration requirement)	Coal tar, coal tar pitch, coal tar pitch volatiles, RT-12 [a specific coal tar for use on roads], refined tar or any variation assigned the Chemical Abstracts Service (CAS) numbers 65996-92-1, 65996-93-2, 65996-89-6, or 8007-45-2, or related substances containing more than 0.1% PAHs, by weight.	Asphalt- and latex-based products	None specified	Up to \$1,000/ Offense and voiding of registration
City of San Antonio, Texas (ordinance)	Coal tar, coal-tar pitch, coal-tar-pitch volatiles, or variation assigned to Chemical Abstract Service (CAS) numbers 65996-93-2, 65996-89-6, or 8007-45-2	Asphalt- and latex-based products	Resident complaint, discovery through existing city inspections, specific inspection by city agencies	\$500/offense
District of Columbia (ordinance)	Coal tar, coal tar pitch, coal tar pitch volatiles, RT-12 [a specific coal tar for use on roads], refined tar or any variation assigned the Chemical Abstracts Service (CAS) numbers 65996-92-1, 65996-93-2, 65996-89-6, or 8007-45-2, or related substances containing more than 0.1% PAHs, by weight. Ethylene cracker residue, which can be identified as “steam-cracked petroleum residues,” steam-cracked asphalt,” “pyrolysis fuel oil,” “heavy fuel oil,” “ethylene tar,” “ethylene cracker residue,” or a variation in the ingredients or as CAS numbers 64742-90-1 or 69013-21-4	Asphalt- and latex-based products	Resident complaint, discovery through existing city inspections, specific inspection by city agencies	Up to \$2,500/day

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Fox Chapel Borough, Pennsylvania (ordinance)	Polycyclic Aromatic Hydrocarbons (PAHs) such as benzanthracene, benzoflouranthene, benzoperylene, benzopyrene, crysene and other similar compounds	Asphalt- and latex-based products	None specified	Up to \$1,000/ offense
Montgomery County, Maryland (ordinance)	Coal tar, coal-tar pitch, RT-12 [a specific coal tar for use on roads], refined coal tar	Asphalt- and latex-based products	Resident complaint, discovery through existing county inspections	Up to \$1,000/ offense for both property owner and applicator
Prince George's County Maryland (ordinance)	Coal tar	Asphalt- and latex-based products	None specified	Up to \$1,000/ offense
Suffolk County, New York (ordinance)	Coal tar sealer	Asphalt- and latex-based products	None specified	\$500 first offense; \$750 each subsequent violation