

May 19, 2009

The Honorable Michael E. Busch  
Speaker of the House  
State House  
Annapolis, MD 21401

Dear Mr. Speaker:

In accordance with Article II, Section 17 of the Maryland Constitution, today I have vetoed House Bill 976 – *Carroll County – Public Facilities Bonds*.

This bill authorizes the Carroll County Commissioners to issue up to \$42,000,000 in general obligation bonds for the construction, improvement, or development of public facilities capital projects and any cost incurred by the county in connection with the projects.

Senate Bill 779, which was passed by the General Assembly and signed by me, accomplishes the same purpose. Therefore, it is not necessary for me to sign House Bill 976.

Sincerely,

Martin O'Malley  
Governor