

HB60

January 25, 2023

MEMORANDUM



TO: The Hon. Michael A. Jackson, Chair,
Prince George's County Senate Delegation

The Hon. Nick Charles, Chair
Prince George's County House Delegation

CC: Hon. Angela D. Alsobrooks, County Executive
Members, Prince George's Senate Delegation
Members, Prince George's House Delegation
Hon. Vanessa E. Atterbeary, Chair – House Ways & Means Committee
Hon. Luke Clippinger, Chair – House Judiciary Committee
Hon. Kumar P. Barve, Chair, House Environment and Transportation Committee
Council Members, Prince George's County Council
Jennifer Jenkins, Council Administrator
William M. Hunt, Deputy Council Administrator
Colette R. Gresham, Associate Council Administrator
Marverly Nattles-Simpson, Committee Director, General Assembly Committee

FROM: Donna J. Brown, Clerk of the Council on behalf of
The Honorable Thomas E. Dernoga, Council Chair

RE: Prince George's County Council's Position on General Assembly Legislation

Enclosed for your information is a copy of the following letter as approved by the County Council of Prince George's County, Maryland.

Proposed letter to the Honorable Michael A. Jackson, Chair, Prince George's County Senate Delegation and the Honorable Nick Charles, Chair, Prince George's County House Delegation, transmitting the position of the Prince George's County Council on proposed State legislation (recommended at the 01/24/2023 General Assembly Committee meeting).

If you have any questions, please contact my office at 301-952-3600 or ClerkoftheCouncil@co.pg.md.us.

Attachments



Thomas E. Dernoga

Chair
District 1

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The Hon. Michael A. Jackson, Chair
Prince George's County Senate Delegation
3 West Miller Senate Office Building
11 Bladen Street
Annapolis, Maryland 21401-1991

The Hon. Nick Charles, Chair
Prince George's County House Delegation
Lowe House Office Building, Room 207
Annapolis, Maryland 21401-1991

Re: Prince George's County Council's Position on General Assembly Legislation

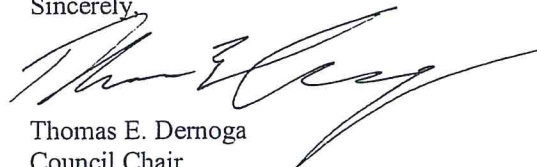
Dear Senator Jackson & Delegate Charles:

It is my pleasure, on behalf of the Prince George's County Council, to transmit our position on pending proposed State legislation for the 2023 General Assembly Session. The Council met on January 24, 2023. The enclosed report reflects our positions on General Assembly bills as they are currently drafted.

The Council appreciates the opportunity to work together with you and your colleagues to address issues important to our citizens and the operation of Prince George's County. Should you have any questions or need additional information please do not hesitate to contact me. For your convenience my office phone number is (301) 952-3887.

Thanks again, for your favorable consideration of the Council's positions.

Sincerely,



Thomas E. Dernoga
Council Chair

Enclosures

cc: Hon. Angela D. Alsobrooks, Prince George's County Executive
Prince George's County Senate Delegation
Prince George's County House Delegation
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GENERAL ASSEMBLY COMMITTEE REPORT

The Prince George's County Council met on January 24, 2023 with the following Members present:

Council Member, Thomas E. Dernoga, Chair
Council Member, Wala Blegay, Vice Chair
Council Member, Edward Burroughs, III
Council Member, Wanika B. Fisher
Council Member, Mel Franklin
Council Member, Calvin S. Hawkins, II
Council Member, Sydney J. Harrison
Council Member, Jolene Ivey
Council Member, Eric C. Olson
Council Member, Krystal Oriadha
Council Member, Ingrid S. Watson

The Council voted for the following positions on the respective bills:

LOCAL BILLS

LETTER

2023 Joint Legislative Priorities Letter Proposed Draft 2 – **SUPPORT**

STATEWIDE BILLS

HB 60 Housing Innovation Pilot Program and Housing Innovation Fund -
Establishment (Housing Innovation Pilot Program Act of 2023) – **HOLD
WITH LETTER TO DELEGATION**

SB 81 Labor and Employment - State Minimum Wage Rate - Acceleration (Fight for
Fifteen Acceleration Act of 2023) – **SUPPORT**

SB 11 Motor Vehicles – Speed Limits – School Zones – **OPPOSE**

HB 57 Property Tax – Tax Sales – Requirement to Sell – **SUPPORT**

HB 133 Court Proceedings – Remote Public Access and Participation – **SUPPORT**