



The County Commissioners of Kent County

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January 17, 2024

The Honorable Stephen S. Hershey, Jr.
423 James Senate Office Building
11 Bladen Street
Annapolis, MD 21401

RE: SUPPORT Senate Bill 0110 / House Bill 0365 – School Construction – Local Cost-Share – Alterations

Dear Senator Hershey:

Dear Delegates Jacobs, Arentz, and Ghrist:

On behalf of the County Commissioners of Kent County, Maryland, this letter serves as support for Senate Bill 0110 / House Bill 0365 - School Construction - Local Cost-Share - Alterations. Kent County Government's ability to fund its share of the Kent County Middle School modernization project will critically depend on increased State funding participation. Therefore, our support for the project is conditional upon the level of State funding participation achieved.

Kent County fully supports SB0110 and HB0365 as drafted.

Very truly yours,

Shelley L. Heller
County Administrator

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cc: The County Commissioners of Kent County
The Honorable Jay A. Jacobs
The Honorable Steven J. Arentz
The Honorable Jefferson L. Ghrist
Dr. Karen M. Couch, Superintendent, Kent County Public Schools