

Monday, February 19, 2024

To: Maryland Senate Education, Energy, and the Environment Committee

Re: SB686 Covered Electronic Devices Recycling Program – Establishment

I'm Lisa Kneller, Legislative Program Manager for Kuusakoski, US. Over the past 10 years, we've had the opportunity to work with Montgomery County by being their dedicated electronics recycler. I am not speaking on behalf of Kuusakoski. I am here to give my personal experience in working together with their staff.

Montgomery County is a shining example of how to run an electronics take back program. The team at Montgomery County works hard to provide a top-tier recycling experience to the county residents. However, that level of service comes at an expense. Any opportunity to introduce legislation that would provide additional funding to sites like Montgomery County could be beneficial and support an increase of electronics recycling in the State of Maryland.

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