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Maryland General Assembly
Members of the Ways and Means Committee
Annapolis, MD

RE: [HB0997](#): Admissions and Amusement Tax - Food and Beverages

Dear Delegates,

We oppose HB 997 and request that you reject this bill.

This is another money grabbing effort to tax Maryland citizens instead of being responsible legislators whose job it is to enhance their lives.

This puts an additional financial burden on Marylanders who just want to go out and enjoy themselves. But, because of the last two years of passing bills that require more money than our budget allows, you find it necessary to burden us with your mistakes.

We expect you to PUT MARYLANDERS FIRST and make that the criteria for approving or rejecting any and all bills.

Sincerely,

Christine Hunt and Jay Crouthers