May 20, 2010

The Honorable Thomas V. Mike Miller, Jr.

President of the Senate H-107 State House Annapolis, MD 21401

Dear Mr. President:

In accordance with Article II, Section 17 of the Maryland Constitution, today I have vetoed Senate Bill 957 – Calvert County – Special Taxing Districts.

This bill provides that any funds or portion of funds remaining in a special taxing district established in Calvert County at the termination of that special taxing district may be applied to a future special taxing district created for the same subdivision, returned to owners of property in the special taxing district, or applied to a special taxing district reserve fund, as agreed to by the County Commissioners and the homeowners association that petitioned for the creation of the special taxing district.

House Bill 1200, which was passed by the General Assembly and signed by me, accomplishes the same purpose. Therefore, it is not necessary for me to sign Senate Bill 957.

Sincerely,

Governor