

THE MARYLAND HOUSE OF DELEGATES

Annapolis, Maryland 21401 ST. MARY'S COUNTY DELEGATION

The Honorable Delegate Kumar Barve Chair, Environment and Transportation Committee Annapolis, MD 21401

RE: St. Mary's County Delegation Bill HB 1097- St. Mary's County - Local Officials - Salaries

Dear Delegate Barve and Members of the Committee: Thank you for the opportunity to present **HB 1097- St. Mary's County - Local Officials - Salaries**

This bill was asked for by the St. Mary's County Board of County Commissioners, and is supported unanimously by the St. Mary's County Delegation.

Pursuant to Chapter 23 of the St. Mary's County code, a compensation review board is appointed every 4 years to review and make recommendations regarding compensation of salaries and benefits set by law for the BOCC, Board of Education, and other officials.

This bill implements the recommendations by the St. Mary's Compensation review board.

We would ask the Committee to give HB 1097 a FAVORABLE report.

Sincerely,

Matt Morgan,

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Chair, St. Mary's County Delegation