## **Mayor Tracey Furman**

## Council Member Darin Bartram Council Member Nate Engle



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March 2, 2022

The Honorable CT Wilson 231 Taylor House Office Building 6 Bladen Street Annapolis MD 21401

Re: HB 1083/SB 0376

County and Municipal Street Lighting Investment Act

Dear Chair Wilson:

On behalf of the Kensington Town Council, I am writing in support of HB 1083/SB 0376 – County and Municipal Street Lighting Investment Act. This legislation will allow Maryland's Counties and Municipalities the opportunity to acquire and convert existing street lighting services to a customer-owned street lighting tariff, by establishing a necessary procedure that will streamline the process for local governments to assume ownership and maintenance.

We applaud the substantial work that has been put into this matter by State legislators in conjunction with Maryland Public Service Commission staff, topical experts, and municipal stakeholders.

We appreciate your thoughtful consideration of HB 1083/SB 0376 and look forward to its passage.

Sincerely

Tracey Furman,

Mayor

Cc: Delegate Brian Crosby

Senator Jeff Waldstreicher

Delegate Al Carr

Kensington Town Council