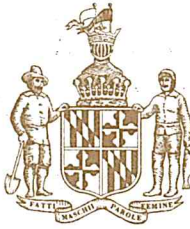


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Chair Pinsky, Vice Chair Kagan and Committee Members:

Senate Bill 388 is a very straightforward bill that adds Charles County to the list of counties that allows Sunday hunting for game birds and game mammals.

This legislation is a direct effort to help better manage the game population and to lessen their encroachment into residential neighborhoods and onto local roadways in Charles County. These simple modifications would be an important way to quell these issues and to reduce the dangerous situations that result from game bird and game animal overpopulation.

Existing Sunday hunting laws in Charles County are a significant restriction on the ability to properly manage local game animal herds, and this legislation would allow the county a better means of resolving the difficulties that it currently faces.

For the reasons listed above, I ask for a favorable report of Senate Bill 388.