## **Environment and Transportation Committee**

**Testimony on**: HB0710 Equitable and Inclusive Transit-Oriented Development

**Enhancement Act** 

**Submitting:** Catherine Plaisant

**Position:** Favorable

Hearing Date: 2.17.2022, 1:00 PM

To the Honorable Chair Barve and all members of the House Environment and Transportation Committee:

I am in favor of SB516 because I support transit-oriented development only when such projects are equitable and inclusive of Maryland residents.

For example, I think that available funds should not been used for projects which only benefit the wealthy, or projects which lead to a reduction of the quality of life of already disadvantaged communities.

Thank you

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