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The Honorable Vanessa E. Atterbeary, Chair
House Ways and Means Committee
Room 131
House Office Building
Annapolis, Maryland 21401

**Re: HB633 - Education – Accountability and Implementation Board – Membership -
FAVORABLE**

Dear Chair Atterbeary and Members of the Committee,

We write as individual members of the Board of Carroll County Commissioners to offer our support for HB633 - Education – Accountability and Implementation Board – Membership. Current law simply allows for consideration of nominees for membership on the Accountability and Implementation Board from the rural portions of the state. The bill seeks to assist the important work of the Board by requiring membership from the Western, Southern, and Eastern Shore regions of our state, assuring rural perspectives are included.

We will raise the issue with our colleagues at our next open session where a formal position of support may be taken by the board as a whole. Unfortunately, that support would arrive after the committee's hearing on the bill. Until such time, please consider our individual support and we ask for a FAVORABLE report on HB633.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Edward C. Rothstein".

Edward C. Rothstein (COL, Ret.), President

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "C. Richard Weaver".

C. Richard Weaver, Vice President

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Stephen A. Wantz".

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