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March 29, 2023

The Honorable Guy Guzzone
Chair, Budget and Taxation Committee
Miller Senate Office Building, 3 West Wing
11 Bladen Street
Annapolis, MD 21401

Re: Letter of Support for House Bill 247 – St. Mary's County – Transfer Tax – Sunset Extension

Dear Chairman Guzzone:

As the Senator representing St. Mary's County, I am writing to state my support for House Bill 247 – St. Mary's County – Transfer Tax – Sunset Extension.

I respectfully request a favorable report on House Bill 247. Thank you for your consideration of this local St. Mary's County bill. Please contact me if you have any further questions.

Sincerely,

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Senator Jack Bailey
District 29
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HB247 Delegation testimony Senate.pdf

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THE MARYLAND HOUSE OF DELEGATES
ANNAPOLIS, MARYLAND 21401
ST. MARY'S COUNTY DELEGATION

Senator Guy Guzzone
Chairman
Senate Budget and Taxation Committee

RE: HB 247 St. Mary's County- Transfer Tax- Sunset Extension- **FAVORABLE**

Chairman Guzzone and members of the Committee,

Thank you for the opportunity to present HB 247 St. Mary's County- Transfer Tax- Sunset Extension, on behalf of the St. Mary's County Delegation.

This bill will revise the St. Mary's County code Ch. 138 which imposes a sunset date of October 1, 2024 of the County Transfer Tax. Transfer Tax are often used for those capital projects that do not lend themselves to bond financing and are often the local matching funds for state and federal dollars. The bill extends the transfer tax sunset date to 2028.

The legislation is unanimously supported by the St. Mary's County Delegation, as well as the St. Mary's County Commissioners. **We ask that HB 247 be given a Favorable report.**

Sincerely,

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Chair
St. Mary's County Delegation

Commissioners of St. Mary's County Support HB 247.

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ST. MARY'S COUNTY GOVERNMENT
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HB 247

St. Mary's County – Transfer Tax – Sunset Extension

SUPPORT

March 21, 2023


The Honorable Senator Guy Guzzone, Chairman
Budget and Taxation Committee
3 West, Miller Senate Office Building
11 Bladen Street
Annapolis, MD 21401

Dear Chairman Guzzone:

The Commissioners of St. Mary's County **SUPPORT HB 247** - St. Mary's County – Transfer Tax – Sunset Extension which is being heard in the Budget and Taxation Committee.

We support HB 247 and request a favorable report. We appreciate the introduction of this legislation and believe it will benefit the citizens of St. Mary's County. We look forward to working with you on this and other initiatives throughout the session.

Sincerely,
COMMISSIONERS OF ST. MARY'S COUNTY


James Randy Guy, President

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Cc: Senator Jack Bailey
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Commissioner Michael Hewitt
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