

The County Commissioners of Kent County

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February 10, 2023

The Honorable Brian J. Feldman 2 West, Miller State Building Annapolis, MD 21401-1912

RE: SUPPORT Senate Bill 402 / House Bill 402 Kent County Board of Education - Student Member

Dear Chair Feldman and Members of the Education, Energy and the Environment Committee:

On behalf of the County Commissioners of Kent County, Maryland, this letter serves as full support for Senate Bill 402 / House Bill 402 Kent County - Board of Education - Student Member. Kent County agrees with the framework to establish student involvement in the Board of Education.

We respectfully submit our full support to SB402/ HB402.

Very truly yours,

Shelley L. Heller

County Administrator

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cc: The County Commissioners of Kent County

The Honorable Stephen S. Hershey, Jr.

The Honorable Jay A. Jacobs

The Honorable Steven J. Arentz

The Honorable Jefferson L. Ghrist

Dr. Karen M. Couch, Superintendent, Kent County Public Schools