



Testimony Supporting HB 1089
Economic Matters Committee
March 9th, 2023

Position: SUPPORT

Dear Delegate Barve and Members of the Committee,

The South Baltimore Community Land Trust (SBCLT), based in Baltimore, is writing to share the comments from hundreds of residents expressing strong support for proven policies, such as The Beverage Container Recycling Refund and Litter Reduction Program (HB 1089), as a critical piece in a systematic approach to climate change and advancing a just transition to Zero Waste that must:

BUILD AND STRENGTHEN LOCAL END MARKETS for compost, recycled commodities and truly renewable energy.

REDIRECT SUBSIDIES for the incinerators, landfills and dirty energy we are transitioning away from

STRONGER STANDARDS that protect our health, worker safety and our shared environment, including a Cumulative Impacts law that takes into account the pollution sources a community already has when considering new polluting developments.

HEALTH AND DEVELOPMENT FUNDING to mitigate the costs of hosting toxic waste infrastructure for decades --- paired with a “Just Transition for Zero Waste and green infrastructure Fund” to develop new community-owned compost, recycling, deconstruction, reuse and green infrastructure to end reliance on toxic waste and energy infrastructure.

PROTECTIONS for sanitation and other workers as we transition from outdated technologies to current approaches

Marylanders buy more than 5.2 billion beverage containers annually, but only about a quarter of them are recycled. Four billion containers every year end up in the environment – in the landfill, incinerated, or littering the landscape and waterways. This is not just a waste of resources: it



results in more greenhouse gas emissions and energy for new products, reduces water quality and perpetuates plastic pollution.

Beverage containers are half of the trash by volume in the Anacostia River watershed and are pervasive in Baltimore Harbor. Plastic bottles are the third most frequently littered plastic in beach cleanups. They break into microplastics, are consumed by wildlife, and move up the food chain. Humans are ingesting up to a credit card's worth of plastic a week!

The Beverage Container Recycling Refund and Litter Reduction Program (HB 1089) would reduce beverage container litter by more than two-thirds, reducing plastic pollution, and more than triple Maryland's recycling rate for beverage containers, to 90%. It would add a small deposit to the cost of beverage containers that is refunded to customers when the containers are returned for recycling. Under this program, you're buying the beverage, but borrowing the container. The deposit is a powerful incentive to return used beverage containers and to collect those that are littered for their refund value!

Ten states, covering about 90 million people, have longstanding, successful beverage container recycling refund programs. Michigan and Oregon have achieved recycling rates of 90% with a 10-cent deposit. These programs collect clean, source-separated materials that can be used in the production of new containers, reducing greenhouse gasses and saving energy compared to products made from virgin materials. Deposit programs are by far and away the most successful policy in existence in terms of reducing beverage container waste; they are critical for success in the next phase of waste reduction: promoting refillable and reusable beverage containers.

Please see the comments below from hundreds of residents from across the state of Maryland calling for urgent action in support of a comprehensive approach to addressing climate change and advancing a just transition to Zero Waste. We ask that you do your part and pass HB1089:

FIRST	LAST	ADDRESS	COMMENT ON WHY A SYSTEMATIC APPROACH TO CLIMATE CHANGE AND ZERO WASTE SOLUTIONS MATTERS
<i>jeanne</i>	<i>mccann</i>	<i>732 Light Street</i>	
<i>Neil</i>	<i>Seldman</i>	<i>3362 Tennyson Street, NW</i>	<i>Zero Waste leads to economic growth, environmental justice and a healthy city.</i>
<i>Rev. Michele</i>	<i>Ward</i>	<i>1316 Park Avenue Baltimore MD 21217</i>	
<i>Marilyn</i>	<i>Carlisle</i>	<i>1238 Ramblewood Road</i>	<i>We must reduce what we incinerate and what we put in the landfill.</i>



Twannes hia	Thomas	904 Allendale Street	<i>It's time that we start being fully responsible for our home, Earth. No longer can we be ignorant to the fact that we our destroying our planet.</i>
Valeska	Populoh	3202 JUNEAU PL	<i>This is a solution that is within reach and creates so many benefits for people and communities, while reducing toxic burdens on ecological systems as well!</i>
Nina	Cardin		<i>a healthy environment is an essential foundation for all other human rights!</i>
Nicole	Davis	715 Argonne Drive Baltimore, Maryland 21218	
Andrew	Hinz	1427 Park Avenue	<i>clean air is a human right</i>
Ursula	Populoh	3708 Kimble Rd	
Meleny	Thomas	PO Box 19762	<i>This commitment matters because we NEED to act now to stop even harsher effects of climate change</i>
Nicole	Davis	715 Argonne Drive Baltimore, Maryland 21218	
Ethan	Hasiuk	3133 N Calvert St Apt 3	
Kurt	Schwarz	21042	<i>The people downwind of Bresco have suffered from too long the polluted air created by the incinerator. End this greenwashing now, it is killing our neighbors.</i>
Johanna	Wermers	9712 Delamere Ct., Rockville, MD 20850	<i>We need to have clean, unpolluted air and not be contributing to climate change.</i>
Cleoda	Walker	1200 D. Cherry Hill Road	<i>Community, Public Health, Climate Change</i>
Malcolm	Heflin	251 S Highland Ave, Baltimore, 21224	<i>Because it means a lot to me and to the city to make sure that we implement the Zero Waste Plan, and a part of that process needs to lead towards a composting center that can serve communities all over the area.</i>
David	Neun	246 Cinder Road, Timonium, 21093	
Stephen	Leas	2834 N Calvert St 21218	<i>We need zero waste infrastructure ASAP</i>



Richard	Reis	103 W 39thSt #A2, Baltimore MD 21210	
Andrew	Hinz	1427 Park Avenue	clean air is a human right
ruth	cassilly		
Saul	El-Or		Because it's time to think beyond \$ and take in consideration what's good for our planet and what we are leaving to our grandchildren! It is time to stop chopping the branch we are sitting on!
Rachael	Mady	4870 Dorsey Hall Drive, Unit 8, Ellicott City, MD 21042	This matters to me because it is not only good practice to make less waste, but it also is crucial that we protect and lift up communities in Baltimore that bear the burden and literally lose their lives to the broken waste system.
Chloe	Ahmann		
Phil	Webster	21046	
Kara	Korab	2415 Eutaw Pl	
nancy	sawtell	3333 Burnet Ave	without clean air, the opportunity to grow and flourish is denied.
Victoria	Manogue		
Hannah	Brancato	3111 Berkshire rd	For our future!
Onyinye	Alheri		Too many to name. Most simply, we deserve to live healthy full lives on a vibrant, thriving planet EARTH.
Nicole	Fabricant	403 Hollen Road	I have seen the health consequences of incineration.
Megan	Latshaw	202 Saint Dunstons Rd	
Sya Bury	Kedzior	Dept. of Geography, Towson University, 8000 York Rd, Towson, MD 21252	
Monica	O'Connor	301 Avondale Circle	
Amanda	DeStefano	2802 Lake Ave, Baltimore, 21213	



Leana	Houser		Baltimore residents deserve clean air, safe and well paying jobs, and an environment that supports our health, well being and our future.
Genee	Smith		
Sarah	Merrow	2634 N. Calvert St.	Air quality in Baltimore is terrible, especially in the humid summer months. The BRESKO trash incinerator is a major source of air pollution here. Until we can evolve and eliminate the burn-and -bury approach to dealing with trash, we can teach everyone how to reduce waste. We can do SO MUCH better, and what is needed is education and leadership.
Lori	Rawle	13 Southfield Pl, Balto 21212	BRESKO should have been shut down, it can no longer claim to be a Green alternative. Food waste has value as compost and should not be increasing the need for landfills.
Claire	Knezevic	800 E 35th St Baltimore, MD 21218	
Donna	Eden	4 Seminary Dr	
Alexis	Stone	909 Walker Avenue Apt 3117	
Cathy	Eskey	5005 Boxhill Lane Baltimore Md 21210	Starve the incinerator to shut it down! Slow/Stop climate change!
Fransiska	Dale		
Richard	Reis	103 W 39th St A2, Baltimore MD 21210	Sustainable environment
Martha	Holleman	4904 Wilmslow Road	
Nicole	Labruto	3905 Juniper Road, Baltimore, MD 21218	Exploitative waste management technologies adversely affect BIPOC community members' health outcomes and environmental landscapes. Viable alternative solutions exist, and we need to support them now!



Dorothea	Lankford	PO BOX 1333 Brooklandville MD 21022	
Mary	Odell	3213 Abell Ave. Baltimore, 21218	
James	Cleghorn	4000 N Charles ST	
Amal	Hussain	11708 Pindell Chase Drive	
Kurt	Schwarz	21042	
Baltimore Peoples	Climate Movement		
Eric	Miller	4906-1 Columbia Road, Columbia, 21044	
Nina	Cardin		a healthy earth caring for healthy people matters!!
Marilyn	Carlisle	1238 Ramblewood Road	
Peggy	Meyer	33 Andrew Place, Baltimore, Md 21201	We waste so much that can be used to improve our environment. Giving BRESKO 10 more years was disgusting and we need to help reduce their pollution.
Jessica	Berman	503 East Capitol ST SE Wash DC 20003	
Melia	Jannotta	2641 N Howard St	We need to start diverting waste so we can stop polluting our air and our communities and SHUT DOWN BRESKO!!!
Andrew	Hinz	1427 Park Avenue	
Mansha	Kapur	116 W University Pkwy, Baltimore, 21210	
Spencer	Ellsworth	Abell	
Rodger	Carter	Linden Chapel Rd, Clarksville, MD 21029	Clean air is important to health.
Katherine	Galbreath	2809 N Howard Street	
Erin	Ryan	600 South Paca, Baltimore, 21301	



Charles	Eubanks	2117 E Pratt St, apt 3A Baltimore, MD 21231	<i>I want a clean city to live in.</i>
Hannah	Lin	1321 North Calvert Street	
Alex	Baglione	1405 Andre Street, 21230	<i>Baltimoreans deserve to live in a clean city! So do our tourists, visitors, guests, etc.</i>
Emilia	Ochoa	2834 Guilford Ave	<i>The burning and burying system is killing our planet and our community. The transition to zero waste will create better sustainable jobs that help our city</i>
Molly	Pickel	21230	
Angelica	Brooks	1010 Cherry Hill Rd	
Toby	Harris	Baltimore MD 21201	
Rachel	Schmid- James		
Mia	Dyer		
Nell	O'Hara		
Hannah	Mitchell		
Megan	Latshaw	202 Saint Dunstans Rd	
Thomas	Potter	7844 Flintshire Ct., Pasadena, MD 21122	
Gracie	Chaney	16 Clinton Hill Ct, Catonsville, 21228	<i>I want to help starve Bresco incinerator</i>
Matthew	Humphre y	3045 Saint Paul Street	
Robyn	Stegman	2804 Huntingdon Ave.	
Katherine	Longaba ugh	E 30th St, Baltimore 21218	
Diane	Wittner		
Eric	Smith		
Kara	Korab	2415 Eutaw Pl, Baltimore, 21217	
Michelle	Rockwell	730 Brookwood Rd	



Cathy	Eskey	5005 Boxhill Lane Baltimore 21210	<i>I am a Baltimore City resident, and a mother of an asthmatic daughter and a grandmother of an asthmatic granddaughter, who have since relocated to the county. The lungs of Baltimore residents are breathing in the policy that our elected officials put through. I want to make sure they support policy that fills our lungs, their constituents' lungs, with clean air! An exodus to the suburbs needn't be my Family's clean air solution!</i>
Joanna	Brandt	2525 Pot Spring Road, S713	
Cecilia	Plante	1021 HOLDEN RD	
Mary	Clarke	3911 Cloverhill Road baltimore MD 21218	<i>I am a Zero Waste advocate who learned "how to help" from Ben Franklin students, neighborhood residents, and leaders of South Baltimore.</i>
Lee	McNair	4707 Chevy chase dr apt 203	<i>I see this as an opportunity to take equitable action to reduce the terrifying damage of current pollution while reducing the catastrophic risks of climate change.</i>
Joyce	Bailey	21730 Beallsville Rd, Barnesville MD 20838	<i>We need to work together to solve the challenge of climate change and air pollution. Having Baltimore move ahead with this helps it citizens and those of us in the surrounding areas and provides guidance to other jurisdictions who wish to do the same.</i>
Nanci	Wilkinson	5502 Glenwood Rd Bethesda MD 20817	
Lee	McNair	4707 Chevy Chase Dr Apt 203	<i>Climate change is complex but very real and very dangerous. Still it offers amazing opportunities for good paying jobs, for composting and regenerative farming, for a healthier economy, and much more. To me, this is a chance to do good in the world and set a shining example to the rest of the world.</i>
Jayden	Johnstone	363 Schooner Lane	
Diane	Wittner		



Monica	OConnor	301Avondale Circle	
Nina	Cardin		
Lore	Rosenthal	2 Gardenway, Unit R	
Diana	Younts	206 spring avenue	Incinerator pollution kills
Gwen	DuBois	1817 Sulgrave Ave	
Michelle	Rockwell	730 Brookwood Road	Establishing a zero waste infrastructure in Baltimore city is critical for the well being of our citizens and our environment.
Robert	Frier	21231	
Phil	Webster	7553 Broadcloth Way	Burning trash is extremely harmful!!
Mary	Rodgers	7553 Broadcloth Way	This is a matter of justice for the people of Baltimore!!
Nanci	Wilkinson	5502 Glenwood Rd Bethesda MD 20817	
dianne	seiffert		Baltimore's leadership on Zero Waste influences actions by every other government and waste disposal entity in the State, and it's a great job creator! Do it now!
Stephen	Leas	2834 N Calvert St	We need zero waste infrastructure, good jobs, community management, and a just transition. My number one concern is climate justice and Baltimore can lead the way towards a Green New Deal.
Sarah	Jamieson		
Kathleen	Holmay	9607 Kingston Road - 20895	It's obvious.
Sarah	Preston	3109 Plyers Mill Rd.	We need to implement climate change solutions wherever we can.
Patrice	Gallagher	115 E 5th Street, Frederick, MD 21701	We fought an incinerator project in Frederick County for 8 years and learned along the way that there are many ways to divert materials away from the landfill and reuse or compost them. We are working to make organics diversion and compost production a robust system here in our county.



Nancy	Janssen	1900 Lyttonsville road, silver Spring MD 20910	Quality of life
Katherine	Jakuta	919 West 33rd Street, Baltimore MD 21224	
Dorcas	Robinson	8305 Meadowbrook Lane, Chevy Chase, 20815	
Liz	Feighner	10306 CHAMPIONS WAY	Howard County incinerates plastic waste from their recycling facility and it needs to stop. We live downstream and are affected by the incinerator - which needs to shut down. I don't want my tax dollars to subsidize the incinerator. Composting helps sequester carbon and we are in a climate emergency.
George	Jakuta	919 W. 33rd St.	
Doris A	Nguyen Loerke	5101 Waukesha Rd	An opportunity to provide new jobs while reducing pollution and methane gas production is a no-brainer.
Mary	Ashanti	28684 Ocean Gateway	Environmental Justice issue.
Lauren	Greenberger	22810 W. Harris Road Dickerson Maryland 20842	
Kathleen	Sheridan	5103 Waukesha Road,, Bethesda, MD 20816	Influence on climate change, environmental health, public health
Diana	Conway	10600 River Rd	
Julia	DiMauro		
Laurie	McGilvray	7010 Woodland Ave.	
Sya	Kedzior		
Kathleen	McCord	104 St. Francis Ct. Apt, Suite, Bldg. (optional)	
Lauren	Greenberger	22810 W. Harris Road Dickerson Maryland 20842	
Ann	Jackson	124 Bay Park Way	
Dick	Williams	1300 Likden Green, Baltimore. 21217	



Ola	Adesunl oye	7304 Willow Glen Way	<i>It matters to me because we have an opportunity to incite a fundamental shift in the ways that the City looks at waste and treats it. It matter because by implementing a zero-waste system, we would be saving lives through the limits of toxic waste, and allowing communities the agency to choose what happens to not only their waste, but their land as well.</i>
Ellen	Barfield	814 Powers St, Baltimore, MD 21211-2510	<i>Jobs, reducing pollution, avoiding incineration. We must handle our waste differently.</i>
Dan	Watson		
Rachel	Whitehe art		
Andrew	Hinz	1427 Park Avenue	
Anna	Crowe		<i>Environmental justice is essential to health and safety of our current population. We must protect the members of our community that are being so significantly harmed by the current waste systems in place by implementing theses zero waste initiatives for health of the community members and the environment.</i>
Dave	Arndt	1445 Haubert St. Baltimore MD 21230	<i>We have to do better. The Incinerator is at the intersection of Climate, Environmental, and social Justice issues.</i>
Catherin e	Dees		<i>All Marylanders deserve a cleaner environment. With our population density in central Maryland, this is especially critical.</i>
Diane	Wittner	243 Stanmore Rd	<i>I was on the team that fought the Energy Answers incinerator and own a zero waste business Echotopia LLC.</i>
Johanna	Wermers	9712 Delamere Ct., Rockville, MD 20850	
Katherin e	Galbreat h	2809 N Howard Street	
Mary Jo	Kirschm an	21214-3136	<i>survival</i>



Ellen	Barfield	814 Powers St, Baltimore, MD 21211-2510	We absolutely MUST end incineration, greatly reduce plastics and really recycle the rest, refill or recycle glass and metal.
Taji	Amani		
Louise	Gregg	5701 Chinquapin Pkwy, Apt. D, Baltimore, 21239	
Anne	Mesaros	1606 Latrobe St	Climate change is a human-made problem and we have a responsibility to the earth and ourselves to take action against it. IN PARTICULAR, communities of color are disproportionately negatively impacted by climate change and the harm caused to the environment. This is a justice issue in every way.
Anand	Pandian	3714 Beech Avenue, Baltimore, MD 21211	As a professor and teaching of environmental studies and anthropology at Johns Hopkins University, I believe strongly in the value and necessity of this commitment.
Andrew	Fisher	3133 Fait Ave	
Valerie	Bardhi	1150 Carroll st. Baltimore 21230	
Keisha	Allen	2218 Sidney Avenue Baltimore MD 21230	
Heather	Hax	1442 Redfern Avenue	
Laurie	Anderson	304 Washburn Ave, Baltimore, 21225	
Anne	Wilson	21210	The climate crisis is here and we need to do everything in our power to convert our polluting way of life to life-sustaining systems that do not threaten our health and safety. Low-income and majority-POC neighborhoods and individuals are disproportionately harmed by the status quo. Taking a bold step toward zero waste is one way to move toward shutting down our trash incinerator, which is a shameful blight on our city and a product of the systemic



			<i>racism that has shaped Baltimore since its earliest days.</i>
Cameron	Walkup	Westgate	
Anna	Word	2331 Guilford Ave. Baltimore 21218	
Sarah	Fouts	2624 St Paul Street 1b	
Matthew	Lewis	2118 Saint Paul St Apt 2, Baltimore, MD 21218	<i>This matters because the incinerator is a public health and climate disaster. We need Zero Waste!</i>
Dillon	Mahmoudi	225 S Collington Ave, Baltimore, 21231	<i>Divert waste so we don't pollute our air!</i>
Stephen	Leas	21218	
Nicole	Labruto	3905 Juniper Rd, 21218	<i>Incineration is a violence against Black communities and the environment. Support Zero Waste in Baltimore and shut down the BRESKO incinerator NOW!</i>
Kiana	Fok	4501 Worthington Manor Way	
Christy	Thornton	3811 Canterbury Rd Apt 908 21218	
Thomas	Potter	7844 Flintshire Ct., Pasadena, MD 21122	<i>We all have such a tremendous impact on the disenfranchised communities around us! We need to do so much more in the pursuit of environmental justice.</i>
Elizabeth	Luns	107 Bachtell Circle, Smithsburg MD, 21783	<i>I am a very strong advocate for stopping climate change and creating sustainable waste removal and energy sources. This proposal would be extremely beneficial not only for the Earth's health, but for our own as the emitted CO2 and toxins would be cleared from our air.</i>
Emily	Johnson	1802 Furnace Road Jarrettsville MD 21084	<i>This should matter to everyone. Diverting and recovering waste impacts so many areas of life for everyone. However this makes the greatest impact for the population living in South Baltimore. Let's make an important choice and step to impact our community.</i>



Rachael	Mady	4870 Dorsey Hall Drive, unit 8, ellicott city, md 21042	<i>This matters to me this is intersectional, in that is important to combat waste, climate change, and health risks to our community.</i>
Colin	Hickey	203 Smallwood Drive	<i>We should all work to build a society that harms as the environment as little as possible.</i>
Alexandra	Frieze	25 Acorn Circle, apt 304, Towson, MD, 21286	
Richard	Soucy	20 Bonbon Court	<i>Incinerators are bad for the environment</i>
Briseyda	Barrientos-Ariza	430 Towson Way, Towson, MD 21251	<i>because I want people to have futures — good futures.</i>
Guelila	Iyob	26033 Ridge Manor Dr, Damascus, MD, 20872	<i>incinerators disproportionately affect black and brown communities and to ensure that these communities are kept safe, as well as the generations to come, we must find another way to get rid of waste</i>
Kendall	Howze	440 Towson Way, Towson, Md 21036	
Cooper	Hoffman	101 York Road, Room 629B, Towson, MD, 20878	<i>Removing harmful food waste, and a transition to a net-zero carbon footprint, is essential in maintaining the planet we still have.</i>
Jordan	Warner		
Colin	Mullican		
Jeb	Pappas	8000 York road, Towson MD, 21252	<i>I don't want pollution and people to die</i>
Jenna	Hoogervorst	1627 Cottage Lane Towson, MD 21286	<i>As a Towson University Student it is important to me that the institution I belong to stop contributing to the incineration process that is harming Baltimore residents and the planet at large.</i>
Seon	Tromble	12 Aigburth rd	<i>A clean environment benefits all of us. We're just dooming ourselves if we don't take these issues seriously.</i>
Kellie	Anderson	1736 Patapsco Street	
Julia	Beall	25911 Clarksburg Rd, Clarksburg, MD 20871	



Chris	Ritzo	Highland Ave, Baltimore, 21224	
Chris	George		
Jane	Skillman	3632 Keystone Avenue Baltimore MD 21211	
Nathanie I	Sbar	1736 Patapsco St	I live in Baltimore
Owen	Andrews		21218
Elisabet	Eppes	1402 Park Ave. Apt 1 Baltimore, MD 21217	
Evelyn	Hammid	2703 Montebello Ter. 21214	The BRESKO incinerator is a public health and climate hazard. We must compost our waste for our citizens' and our planet's safety!
Corey	Reidt	Towson University, Towson, MD	
Bailey	Hardwick		
Virginia	Graham	14028 Blenheim rd N Phoenix MD 21131	
Rianna	Eckel	2834 N Calvert St, Apt 3F, Baltimore, 21218	
Amanda	DeStefano	2802 Lake Ave	
Nicole	Fabricant	403 Hollen Road Batimire MD 21212	We need local green infrastructure now and we need to end our addiction to incineration
Tanisha	Davis	3413 Springdale Ave, Baltimore, 21216	We NEED to stop burning food waste and create a local compost facility in Baltimore to send our food waste to. This will also create good job for residents.
Shashaw nda	Campbell	3413 Springdale Ave, Baltimore ,21216	We know we have to stop burning and burying all our waste because it is putting people lives at risk. We can begin to step away from our past of smoke clouds from the Bresco Incinerator by creating local compost infrastructure. This local compost infrastructure will not only start to divert waste from BRESKO but, it will also create local jobs for residents.



Ariel	Richards on	2800 N Calvert St APT 3B, Baltimore, 21218	
Twanneshia	Thomas	904 Allendale Street	<i>We must save our planet!!!</i>
Anderson	Lemus - Del Cid	9318 Paragon way	<i>I'll put it simply: We need to do everything possible in order to save our planet of the eminent environmental disaster if we don't take immediate action.</i>
Lorraine	Arikat	2420 Callow Avenue	<i>Incineration of food waste is a public health crisis and environmental justice issue! There are clear alternatives that center the health of residents, create sustainable union jobs, and make our environments livable.</i>
Mae	Hanzlik	1818 Eutaw Place, Baltimore, 21217	
Derek	Chapel		
Clarissa	Chen	15 Wt Vernon Pl. Baltimore, MD 21201	
Sarah	Kanchuger		<i>Please take this progressive action for our children -- inaction is no longer an option!</i>
Perri	DeJarnette	3412 Niner Road Finksburg 21048	
Maria	Smaldone	1912 Linden Avenue, Baltimore, MD 21217	
Emily	Ryan	2337 Cambridge Walk Baltimore MD 21224	<i>If we are going to have any chance for normalcy in coming years for Baltimore, we treat climate action as a forefront issue and not a secondary one. Otherwise, all other issues in our city will be exasperated as a result. Furthermore, harmful waste management practices are dangerous to our residents and all of us have a right to cleaner air.</i>
Faith	Hupp	7900 knollwood rd	
Hannah	Young	3834 Kimble Road Baltimore MD 21218	
Farida	Shourbaji	11825 Clarksville Pike Clarksville MD	



Ellie	Yanagisawa	1527 Bolton St #2	
Madeleine	Pope	4101 Frisby	
Hannah	Freedman		
Steph	Saxton	3125 N. Calvert St.	
Hannah	Lorincz	26300 Susan St Taylor, MI 48180	<i>Environmentalism is something that everyone, no matter where they are from, should begin to care about. Anything, even the minute move I can do to help, I'll do.</i>
Isabel	McLain	422 E Lanvale St Baltimore 21202	<i>Because I was Baltimore to exist in the future</i>
Isabel	Zapata		
Gray	Doney	26 Chesters Way, Elkton, 21921	
Xitlali	Ceballos	117 S Schroeder St. BALTIMORE, 21223	<i>Because we need sustainable waste systems in the city that can benefit residents and also make communities money. Bmore can be THE CITY that blazes a trail for the rest of the country!</i>
Joshika	Money	Mosher St, Baltimore, 21217	
Yun-Yun	Li	428 W 30th St, Baltimore, 21211	
Ben	Strigle		<i>This will affect the health of generations of Baltimoreans to come. To not side with the people is to betray them and their lives.</i>
Nicole	King	601 N. Eutaw st.	<i>We need to do everything in our power to fight against climate change and for environmental justice in Baltimore.</i>
Elizabeth	Greif	320 South Washington Street, Baltimore 21231	
Samuel	Winans	6 Sparrow Hill Ct, Catonsville, 21228	
Brandon	Beadle		
Madyson	Jones		



Jacob	Winans	11304 Wacomor Dr Germantown, MD 20876	
Caitlin	Winans		
Thomas	Winans	11304 Wacomor Drive, Germantown, 20876	<i>Its a crucial first step to defending the future of the environment and, by extension, the youth</i>
Sheryl	Winans		
Lucy	Kibuthu	1410 shadetree rd. Apt. G, Essex, md, 21221	
Colin	Hickey	430 Towson Way	<i>The people of Baltimore should not have to suffer at the hands of a waste system that does not account for their needs.</i>
Dante	Swinton	2634 N. Charles St. Apt. 1	
George	Buntin	913 Lemmon St. Baltimore, MD 21223	<i>The environment matters!</i>
Dave	Arndt	1445 Haubert St.	<i>Clear air is good for everyone</i>
Daniel	Arndt	720 S Ellwood Ave	<i>Assist in reducing climate change</i>
Cindy	Camp	505 Radnor Avenue	<i>The health of our children and community matters to me</i>
Jocelyn	Providence	3320 Lerch Drive	
Maura	Dwyer	1639 n Calvert st	
Mark	Edelson	3211 Fait Avenue	<i>Achieving zero waste and reducing our carbon footprint are critical for the preservation of our planet.</i>
Karen	DeCamp	406 Woodford Rd Baltimore, MD 21212	<i>We need to invest in decreasing our waste stream - more recycling and composting is what other cites do!</i>
Kevin	Gaughan	1335 Hull St, Baltimore, MD 21230	<i>This is important to me as a resident of South Baltimore who's kid's are impacted by the degraded air quality caused by the local incinerator.</i>
Kelley	Koeppen		
Lillian	Byington	1105 Haubert st Baltimore 21230	
Elaine	Arndt	1445 Haubert Street	



Allison	Blood	2818 E. Baltimore St. 21224	
Annie	Mesaros	1606 Latrobe St Baltimore MD 21202	<i>Environmental justice is a racial, civil, and human justice issue! We must take care of our earth to take care of each other.</i>
Satay	Israel	1014 36th St.	<i>Pollution is bad</i>
Dan	Watson		
Chloe	Ahmann		<i>Baltimore has an incredible opportunity to take concrete steps in service of a zero-waste future, and could not be luckier to have youth leaders from South Baltimore leading the way.</i>
Mary Kate	Schneider	Baltimore, MD 21230	
Marilyn	Julius	609 W 40th St 1211	<i>Because it's the right thing to do</i>
Andrew	Hinz	1427 Park Avenue	
Alexa	Gibbons	1470 WOODALL ST	<i>A zero-waste system will directly benefit community, labor and our environment.</i>
Nicole	Buchholz	1525 Cuba St, Baltimore, 21230	
Benjamin	Charlton	1651 Covington St	
Lynn	Cripps	126 West Lanvale St , Balto Md 21217	
Michele	Hasselberger	1362 Andre St. Baltimore, MD 21230	
Kim	Acton	1352 Andre St	<i>It's critical</i>
Rebecca	Charlton		
Darlene	Dunn	1338 And St	<i>Our city and earth are too important not to.</i>
Ryann	Constable	1346 Andre St. Baltimore 21230	<i>Saving our environment should matter to everyone!</i>
Michelle	Feeney	1328 andre street	<i>My environment, my health, our city</i>
Monalisa	Diallo	2101 Bryant avenue	<i>Our children deserve better</i>



			<i>I worked with communities in South Baltimore to stop the incinerator from being built near Curtis Bay and Brooklyn. I learned a lot about waste incineration and the impacts on poor communities in Baltimore (and beyond.) I also learned about how alternatives, like composting and recycling infrastructure, can create jobs and other kinds of economic opportunity. We are seeing climate chaos and its impacts. We have to act on all fronts to reduce methane and other greenhouse gases. We have to invest in cleaner infrastructure that also delivers economic benefit for poor and disenfranchised communities. This is a powerful way to move in service of all of those values.</i>
Valeska	Populoh	3202 JUNEAU PL	
Matt	Purdy		
Salman	Sheikh	7826 main falls circle	<i>Because the environment should matter. It is a trust for us.</i>
Sarah	Sullivan	1200 steuart st balti md 21230	
Caroline	Wayner	632 Saint Johns Road	<i>This is such an obvious step to take to make our city greener and healthier for all citizens.</i>
Brian	Megali	226 S. Ann St. Baltimore MD 21231	
Liz	Ensz	Baltimore, MD 21211	
Katie	Robinso n	1425 E Clement St	
Avionna	Fitzhugh	1304 Eutaw Place, Apt 3, Baltimore MD, 21217	
Maddie	Taylor		
Victoria	Pass	113 Cross Keys Road, Unit F Baltimore, MD 21210	<i>In addition to this being the right thing for the city to do to begin to address the dire effects of climate change, I have asthma and like so many other people the pollution from incinerating trash has a direct impact on my health. I've been taking my food scraps to the Sisson Street dump for composting,</i>



			<i>with curbside collection I believe many of my neighbors would collect for composting as well.</i>
Rani	Duff		
Lori	Niehaus	1338 Decatur St, Baltimore MD 21230	
Sarah	Bluher	2118 Saint Paul St	Baltimore residents deserve clean air.
John	Walther		
Kelly	Berger	1432 Decatur St	
Claudia	Leight	2419 Briarwood Rd	
Maria	Brown	700 Anneslie Road, Baltimore, MD 21212	To reduce toxic exposures in communities of color who live next to the incinerator
Grace	Gleason	1254 Girard Ave	
Danielle	Choma	100 Cold Spring Lane Baltimore 21210	
stacey	fatica	1500 E Fort Ave	Because i live here
emma	smith	14 W Cold Spring Lane, Baltimore, MD 21210	
Nancy	Mead	107 W. Lee St.	
Elena	Conway	Remington	
Lydia	Hillman		
Alistair	Watson	2329 S Joyce St	
Julia	Gannon	1 Fellowship Ct Apt D 21286	
Cristian	Martinez	7 W Crost St Apt 302	
			To secure the health and future of Baltimoreans we need to move to a zero-waste system! This move would be healthier for the environment, our bodies, and the economic security of the city. I want to stay here and raise a family! This city needs to prioritize our climate future!
Yael	Bloom	891 N Howard St	
Layla	Horeff	2204 Essex St	
Onyinye	Alheri	21217	



Jamie	Wood		
Logan	Stratton		21219
Hope	Murphy		
Bailey	Cohen		
Sophie	Redmond	4501 N Charles Street Baltimore MD 21210	<i>I am a current student at Loyola Maryland and I would like to see my school to reduce their waste and create more sustainable habits.</i>
Alexandria	Munoz		
Isabela	Botto	Cold Spring, Baltimore 21210	<i>This earth is our home and we don't need to continue to pollute and hurt the creatures here.</i>
Maya	Lindsay	1631 old town road	
Sarah	Hunt	4501 N Charles St	<i>Environmental pollution is killing our planet. We will lose our only home if we continue to pollute the way we are.</i>
Lauren	Nowicki	8203 Royal Star Court	
Deborah "Spice"	Kleinmann	1208 Regester Ave Idlewyld 21239	<i>This matters to me because we need to stop incinerating trash in MD and causing so much pollution and sickness in humans and other organisms!!</i>
Uta	Allers	603 Scott St., Baltimore, MD 21230	<i>Food is not for burning, but for returning to the earth.</i>
jeanne	mccann	732 light street	<i>anything that helps clean up our city!</i>
Robert	Frier		21231 <i>I want to breathe clean air.</i>
Richard	Reis	103 W 39th St Apt A2	<i>Convenience, less wastage, less pollution from incinerator</i>
Elizabeth	Lewis	1208 Regester Ave	<i>I have children and grandchildren and I want a good life for them.</i>
Jenelle	Legge	4 Stonemark ct apt 9	<i>I think that it is very important for ALL communities to be able to breathe cleaner air and have less pollutants that are toxic to our mental and physical state of being. We need to limit trash that is incinerated and in reference to Bresco; they are directly affecting the South West communities that</i>



			<i>are closest to the incinerator. It has direct, negative health implications on those communities. Lower-income communities should not be forced to live next to these pollutants.</i>
<i>Beth</i>	<i>Renwick</i>	<i>3309 Abell Ave</i>	<i>As a long time Baltimore City teacher I've seen the asthma cases that probably don't need to be from Baltimore's polluted air--a lot of it coming from burning waste. Also, there's only so much space on the planet, let's work with what nature already does to help keep Earth around longer in a more safe-for-everyone way.</i>
<i>Kyra</i>	<i>McDonnell</i>	<i>2001 West Cold Spring Lane, Baltimore, MD, 21209</i>	
<i>Marie Bernadette</i>	<i>del Prado</i>	<i>4501 N Charles St, Baltimore, MD 21210</i>	
<i>Matthew</i>	<i>Berta</i>	<i>2410 Eutaw place Baltimore 21217</i>	
<i>Anna</i>	<i>Beaulieu</i>	<i>2001 W Cold Spring Lane, Baltimore, 21209</i>	
<i>Lily</i>	<i>Norris</i>	<i>31 Strawberry lane Shelton ct</i>	
<i>Sya</i>	<i>Kedzior</i>		
<i>Chloe</i>	<i>Callahan-Flintoft</i>	<i>3907 Foster Avenue</i>	<i>I have a son and I want him to be able to do stuff like breath air and not hoard resources when he's older</i>
<i>Elizabeth</i>	<i>Dahl</i>	<i>3011 Oak Forest Dr. 21234</i>	<i>Waste is a huge source of pollution in many ways. Let's take this step to reduce our waste and work towards a sustainable system. Baltimore is an amazing place - let's be great at this too.</i>
<i>Lauren</i>	<i>Adams</i>	<i>2744 GUILFORD AVE</i>	
<i>ida</i>	<i>kenna</i>	<i>21218</i>	<i>pollution+waste sucks</i>
<i>Laura</i>	<i>Stokes</i>	<i>5921 Marluth Ave Baltimore 21206</i>	



Anand	Pandian	3714 Beech Avenue, Baltimore, 21211	<i>Our waste stream could be part of a healthy and regenerative economy rather than an unjust environmental health burden on some of the poorest and most disenfranchised residents of the city. It's time to build sustainable and socially just alternatives to incineration.</i>
Chad	Cover	6014 Terrace Road	
Chris	Broome		
Catherine	Eskey	5005 Boxhill Lane, Baltimore, Md. 21210	
Sydney	Brooke	4501 N Charles St	
Tom	Eskey	5005 Boxhill Lane, Baltimore MD 21210	<i>Don't feed the incinerator</i>
Weber	DuVal	3 Jackson Manor Court	
ZaQuane	Dozier	21009	
Emily	Faber	211 E Churchill St, Baltimore MD, 21230	
Kayla	Hickman		<i>Since the Baltimore region has relied on trash incineration, there has been a consistent disinvestment in recycling and composting infrastructure. South Baltimore is a beautiful and vibrant community, who has consistently spoken up against the incinerator. Black and low income neighborhoods have disproportionately bared toxic air and water pollution. We need clean green union jobs in Curtis Bay and Brooklyn and that starts with this facility.</i>
Lydia	Asisten	3461 Plumtree Drive Ellicott City 21042	
Elana	Wallach	1722 Bolton Street, Baltimore MD 21217	<i>I would feel so at peace helping this cause, thank you so much for allowing me to sign!</i>
Jennifer	Mizgata	2919 Saint Paul Apt 1, Baltimore MD 21218	<i>Baltimore and its residents deserve to be taken care of and this action will help</i>
Paul	Sturm	6618 Stirrup Ct	
Joanna	Brandt	2525 Pot Spring Road, S 713	



Stephanie	Ray	1423 Madison Ave, Baltimore, 21217	<i>Environmental Justice for our communities</i>
Molly	Pickel	1706 Belt Street	
Jessica	Herceg	2525 Guilford Avenue	
Ben	Roush	5502 Elsrode Ave, Baltimore, MD 21214	
Greg	Smith	4204 Farragut Street, Hyattsville 20781	
Ahmina	Maxey	5826 Stevens Forest Rd, Columbia, MD 21045	
Martha	Barss	3105 Tyndale Avenue, Baltimore, 21214	
James	Cleghorn	4000 N Charles St	<i>The kids are leading us to a new future of caring for our planet, before it is too late. Reducing waste and stopping trash incineration for energy are part of that. We appeal to Mayor Scott to heed this petition.</i>
Andrew	Szwak	501 S Clinton St Baltimore MD 21224	
Kirsten	Brinlee	1402 E. Fort Avenue, Baltimore, MD, 21230	<i>We only get one planet.</i>
Joseph	Parrish	300 E. 56th St.	<i>Toxic fumes and nitrous oxides kill children, exacerbate asthma for all ages, and always increase lung and other cancer rates. After we got an incinerator third graders died before their parents could rush them to a hospital, so very tragic</i>
Nancey	Kinlin	322 E Lafayette Ave	<i>This initiative = long overdue equity</i>
LAUREN	SIEGEL	3312 Shelburne Rd	<i>we need to protect our environment.</i>
Liz	Hoey	843 N Howard St apt 1 Baltimore md 21201	
Anbar	Oreizi	9704 Treyburn Court, Ellicott City, 21043	
Neil	Seldman	3362 Tennyson Street, NW, Washington, DC 20015	<i>These steps are needed to get Baltimore to Zero Waste and economic and environmental justice.</i>
Leana	Houser		



Katharine	Jenike		
Jodie	Zisow-McClean	2608 Hamilton Ave	
Monalisa	Diallo	2101 Bryant avenue	<i>It matters because I'm charged to leave the earth better than I found it.</i>
Eric	Miller	4906-1 Columbia Rd.	
Joshua	Rogers	1150 Carroll St, Baltimore, 21230	
Brian	Dolge	6 Wade Ave	<i>composting is a fundamental component of a zero waste system. burning or burying food waste is not only bad for the world's carbon balance it is a waste of land and pollutes the air. we need composting and waste recycling.</i>
Naijha	Wright-Brown	840 North Eutaw Street	<i>Stop the burning of food waste in the BRESKO incinerator. Eliminate pollution and toxins in the air that's negatively affecting poor communities.</i>
Darryl	Jurkiewicz	937 S. Clinton St.	<i>Common sense</i>
Chauna	Brocht	2509 Guilford Avenue 21218	
Bethany	Gregg	5748 Cross Country Blvd, Baltimore, 21209	<i>I have 3 children and I care about their future. We need to address climate change NOW to save their future!</i>
patricia	halle	808 Gorsuch Ave	
Marie	Murphy	3903 Cloverhill Rd, Baltimore, 21218	
Jasper	Lewis	789 Grape Vine Loop, Baltimore 21225	
Cinder	Hypki	2103 Bank St. Baltimore md. 21231	<i>As a city we need to act swiftly to be part of the solution to the climate crisis— my # 1 concern AND simultaneously to the need for decent jobs and the training to acquire them by young people in Baltimore's most vulnerable and beleaguered neighborhoods.</i>



			<i>We must act now to put this into place. There is no time to hesitate.</i>
<i>Ellen</i>	<i>Barfield</i>	<i>814 Powers St, Baltimore, MD 21211-2510</i>	<i>It is obscene to burn good soil nutrients and further pollute our air.</i>
<i>Justin</i>	<i>Park</i>	<i>310 Birkwood Place, Baltimore, MD 21212</i>	
<i>Stephen</i>	<i>Thomas</i>		
<i>Erin</i>	<i>Barry-Du tro</i>	<i>615 Parkwyrth Ave 21218</i>	
<i>Sarah</i>	<i>D'Adamo</i>	<i>3549 Sweet Air Street</i>	
<i>Elizabeth</i>	<i>Englema n</i>	<i>4000 N Charles ST</i>	
<i>Caroline</i>	<i>Wayner</i>	<i>632 Saint Johns Road</i>	<i>Not only is this the right thing to do for the Earth, but being a greener city will attract more residents. Thank you for doing the right thing.</i>
<i>LEE</i>	<i>BOOT</i>	<i>2312 E Baltimore St</i>	<i>What we are doing is neither healthy, cost-efficient, nor sustainable. Bold action such as this is required.</i>
<i>Helen</i>	<i>Atkinson</i>	<i>2105 Kentucky Ave, Baltimore MD 21218</i>	
<i>Meredith</i>	<i>Chaiken</i>	<i>2717 Saint Paul St.</i>	<i>It's time to take responsibility for our behavior.</i>
<i>Nick</i>	<i>Lindow</i>		
<i>Graham</i>	<i>Coreil-Al len</i>	<i>3210 Auchentoroly Terrace</i>	
<i>Mike</i>	<i>Wissner</i>	<i>713 Newington Ave, Baltimore, 21217</i>	<i>Nobody wants to live with trash nor unemployment!</i>
<i>Maria</i>	<i>Smaldon e</i>	<i>1912 Linden Avenue, Baltimore, MD 21217</i>	
<i>Regina</i>	<i>Tassone</i>	<i>724 Walker Avenue</i>	
<i>Kelsi</i>	<i>Loos</i>	<i>923 Essex Square</i>	
<i>Angela</i>	<i>Cole</i>	<i>5221 Ready Avenue Baltimore, MD 21212</i>	<i>I am a Baltimore native and understand the impacts of systematic racism and how it affects generations of black and brown people. Blight , trash and pollution affects</i>



			<i>property value , neighborhoods and most importantly the people who live there health and well being.</i>
<i>Jennifer</i>	<i>Goold</i>	<i>4302 Wickford Road</i>	<i>It's the only way forward for our planet! The incinerator is poisoning our city and it's people.</i>
<i>Sharon</i>	<i>Davlin</i>	<i>327 Overbrook Rd</i>	
<i>Robin</i>	<i>Marquis</i>	<i>4912 Ross rd, baltimore, MD 21214</i>	
<i>Chris</i>	<i>Streb</i>	<i>2081 Clipper Park Road</i>	
<i>Janan</i>	<i>Broadbe nt</i>	<i>100 Harborview Drive Baltimore 21230</i>	
<i>Alexandra</i>	<i>Wick</i>	<i>302 Kingston Rd</i>	<i>Protect the vulnerable in our neighborhoods!</i>
<i>Matt</i>	<i>Hill</i>	<i>181 Hollen Road, Baltimore, MD 21212</i>	<i>Sustainable environment is important!</i>
<i>Gwen</i>	<i>DuBois</i>	<i>1817 Sulgrave Ave</i>	<i>Incineration is bad for the health of Baltimoreans. Composting is the single most important way to reduce incinerator waste and turn it into something that will always have value. Here in Mt. Washington we are doing that with the help of master composted Marvin Hayes .</i>
<i>Quinn</i>	<i>Caralle</i>	<i>4410 Falls Road, Baltimore, MD, 21211</i>	
<i>Melia</i>	<i>Jannotta</i>	<i>2023 Druid Park Dr</i>	<i>Diversion from incineration is the only way. We want to breathe clean air and live in a city that is responsibly disposing of waste. This is an issue of racial and environmental justice.</i>
<i>Joanna</i>	<i>Merry</i>	<i>Benninghaus Rd 21212</i>	
<i>Barbara</i>	<i>Metz</i>	<i>5401 Loch Raven Boulevard</i>	<i>This is crucial for the health of the earth and our community !</i>
<i>Gracie</i>	<i>Chaney</i>	<i>16 Clinton Hill Ct, Catonsville, 21228</i>	<i>As a student, I have very little power over what my institution does; however, I do not want to be inadvertently contributing to a public health and climate crisis.</i>



Amanda	Wisniewski	15 E Eager St 21202	
Annie	Mesaros	1606 Latrobe St Baltimore MD 21202	We need to keep our planet healthy to keep our people healthy! This is a justice issue.
Michael	Dorsey	12 South Conkling Street	
Naadiya	Hutchinson	299 W 31st Street, Baltimore, MD, 21211	
Elizabeth	Sloand	309 Old Trail Rd	We need a cleaner environment for our future and less food waste.
Allison	Blood	2818 E. Baltimore St	
Ava	McCormick	6404 north centennial place, 21061	I want A cleaner community.
JULIANN E	OHANIA N	1406 Eutaw Place Apt. 9	It makes more sense! We need to clean up our own damn mess (and so do corporations)
Jack	Dotzler	4501 N Charles St, Baltimore, MD 21210	
Colin	Murphy	640 N Morton St	
Spencer	Ellsworth		let's turn our waste into a resource!
Katherine	Jenkins	203 South Tyrone Road	I am a teacher and a parent and care for our children's future. I think joining voices with the younger generation for a more just and sustainable future is one of the most important things we can do right now.
Angela	Quamina	6963 Blanche Rd Baltimore, Md 21215	
Ametisse	Gover-Camlou	1717 Bolton Street, Baltimore City, 21217	
Matthew	Buening	5401 Loch Raven Blvd., Baltimore, MD 21239	Because the Earth is the only home we have and I'd like to leave in better for the next generation.
Nivi	Mariappan	3801 Paul Mill Road	There are a lot of people whose health has been negatively impacted by too much food waste, and composting can help alleviate this issue. This is also an act that will have a lot of benefits for Baltimore in the long run



Genee	Smith	1106 Windlass Glen Road	<i>Baltimore's waste problems are an environmental justice issue.</i>
Luke	O'Neill	5629 Ringwood Drive, Halethorpe, 21227	
Alex	Noel	3206 GUILFORD AVENUE	
Liam	Housenb old		
Sam	Dawley	3203 N Charles St, Baltimore, MD , 21218	<i>We only have 1 biosphere!</i>
Tabor	Roderiques	1714 baldwin drive, mclean, 22101	<i>It's not smart to waste</i>
Steven	Solar		
Olin	Shipstead		
Sya Bury	Kedzior		
Victor	Tawansy	4000 North Charles, Baltimore 21218	<i>It's important that we reduce waste and sustain our environment.</i>
Gonzalo	Percovich	3203 n charles Street, 21218	
Larry	Williams		
Carlos	Tenreiro-Braschi		
cheryl	stehlik	21206	
Connor	Caputo		
Erica	Peery	2509 Madison Ave, 1A	<i>The future of our planet depends on carbon sequestration, which should be available to all.</i>
Stephanie	Lee		
Naeem	Sbaiti		
Diane	Wittner	243 Stanmore Road	
Hanna	Tran		



Pat	Cassidy	2406 HALCYON AVE	<i>This is essential for our city and our earth and I'm hopeful that our city can take steps like this to create necessary change!</i>
George	Slade Jr		
Myeasha	Taylor	2744 north rosedale st baltimore md	<i>Because food doesn't belong in the trash! Incinerators are toxic. Composting can create jobs!</i>
ruth	cassilly		
Rebekah	Lynn	146 George Street	<i>The climate crisis is not going away any time soon. We need to take swift and radical action to stop it. Take action now!</i>
Katie	Huffling	2901 Shepherd St Mount Rainier, MD 2012	
Martha	Ruffin	3 Bellemore Road, Baltimore, MD 21210	
Brendan	Burns	3600 Yolando Rd 21218	
Anastasi a	Kupstas	123 Station North Mews, Baltimore, MD 21202	
Eesha	Patne	1111 Park Ave, Baltimore MD 21201	
Alison	Cain	Frederick MD	
Alexis	Stone		
Devonie	Doles	4529 Arabia ave	
Kristian	Bjornard	735 Bay Street	<i>For the health of our city and the health of our planet we need city wide composting for all</i>
Beverly	Bickel	741 Weatherbee rd Towson 21286	<i>The economic and environmental justice needs and opportunities for ALL of Baltimore's communities are urgent and enormous. Now is the time to act boldly for our shared future.</i>
Kathy	N		
Ronald	Hernandez	3719 Timahoe Cir	
Jessica	Croteau	2917 N Calvert St.	<i>Black people deserve to breathe clean air</i>



sera	fleishman	2605 Guilford Ave, Baltimore, MD 21218	
John	Bremerman	121 BURNETT ST	Baltimore has an obligation to its citizens to eliminate the burning of trash and to utilize every available natural resource at our disposal to do so.
KellyAnn	Callahan	100 HARBORVIEW DR	
William	Morrison	33Portshio Rd Baltimore, MD 21222	
Diana	Emerson	3205 Abell Ave, Baltimore, MD 21218	
Niloofer	Haeri	230 Stony Run Lane 21210	
Naisa	Rahman		
Veronica	Wallace		
Aditi	Varshneya	616 West 184th St, New York City, 10033	My aunt, uncle, young cousins live in Baltimore and I want them to live in a city with a clean environment that doesn't put their health and well being into jeopardy because of polluting facilities like incinerators. I want them to grow up in a city and world that boasts climate-friendly, equitable, community-centered solutions to the environmental and social problems created by the make-take-waste that must be left behind. As a young person, I believe that it's the responsibility for cities like Baltimore to take action, show other cities that better waste systems ARE possible, and contribute to the global reduction in climate emissions we need to ensure a livable world for young people like me and elementary-aged cousins in Baltimore.
Morgan	Thapa	1408 Belt St Baltimore MD 21230	
Carl	Latkin	6062 Red Clover Lane	This needs to be a collective effort
Erin	Kosloski		
Michael	Degani		



Susan	Talbott	3908 N Charles Street	<i>I want to help save our environment so my grandchildren will be able to thrive.</i>
Gregory	Cundiff	8 Charles PLZ Apt 501, Baltimore, 21201	<i>We're drowning in waste. It is killing the land, the air, the water, and eventually the people.</i>
Ellis	Woodward	21211-1415	
Caitlin	Wellman	19 W Ostend St.	<i>It is imperative that we move to Zero Waste to ensure a better tomorrow for our city.</i>
Crystal	Barrett	5911 SHADY SPRING AVE	<i>If we do not do it, who will?</i>
Elizabeth	Tipson		
Elizabeth	Lewis	1208 Regester Ave	<i>I want to leave a functioning planet for my grandchildren</i>
Rejia	Camphor	21216	<i>ENVIRONMENTAL JUSTICE IS JUSTICE FOR ALL</i>
Peggy	Meyer		<i>We are destroying the planet!</i>
Van	Dixon		
katherine	moon	325 W 27TH ST	<i>food waste, climate change, environmental justice, local economy</i>
Justyna	Nicinska	2219 Arden Rd	<i>Composting, and having the right infrastructure to do so on a wide scale, is a critical part of reducing landfill waste, pollution, and greenhouse gases generated by incinerated food. It is time for Baltimore to transition to a zero waste system and foster greater environmental sustainability that supports our communities.</i>
Leah	Kelly	1507 Upshire Rd. Baltimore, MD 21218	<i>It's past time to stop incinerating and landfilling our waste.</i>
Bernadette	Krol, RN	814 Chumleigh Rd	<i>We need action now! It's bad enough the waste incinerator has been kept in business. It's time to show you're behind efforts to change the trajectory towards more sustainable living!</i>
Ally	Bartell	3900 N Chalres St, Baltimore, MD 21218	<i>This a public health and environmental issue. This is about survival</i>



Sharon	Krumm	100 Harborview Dr, Unit 314 Baltimore, MD 21230	<i>This is essential to the health and well being of all Baltimore citizens!</i>
Lois	Hybl	4107 Westview Rd, Baltimore 21218	<i>I want to reduce pollution for south Baltimore neighborhoods and reduce greenhouse gases.</i>
Hannah	Lin	1321 North Calvert Street	
Emil	Volcheck	3040 Guilford Ave	<i>I support the Zero Waste Fair Development Plan for Baltimore, along with the whole Baltimore Ethical Society. Composting infrastructure is a key step toward achieving zero waste for our city.</i>
Kimberly	Sheridan	1216 West Cross St.	<i>I live within a mile of the incinerator. My lungs know when the filtration system isn't working properly. Especially on those still muggy summer days when the whole atmosphere oozes an aroma like rancid iron. Baltimoreans wrack up 55 million dollars in excess emergency asthma treatment because of this incinerator. I'm an asthmatic myself. I suppose 55 million dollars adds to the GDP. But being able to breathe a steady stream of fresh air would more than make up for that in greater productivity and job opportunities for city farming. I'd like to see Bresco gone before I die. Sincerely Kimberly Sheridan</i>
Casey	Levitt	310 E University Parkway Baltimore 21218	
Carol	Fordonski	1612 Ebbotts Place	<i>We all need to do these things!</i>
Ayla	Frost	310 East University Parkway	
Jackie	Rittenhouse	310 E University Parkway, Baltimore 21218	
Ciara	Henry		
Maddie	Wells	Baltimore 21218	
Hugh	Taft-Morales	10 Pine Ave. Takoma Park, MD 20912	



Vilde	Ulset	21 W Preston St apt 102	
Jacob	Hamer	3925 Beech Ave #305, Baltimore, 21211	
Oz	Amram	3514 Beech Ave.	
Lauren	Nowicki		
Christina	Lindberg	4129 Roland Ave	
Becky	Slogeris	131 W North Ave	
Thomas	Gardner		
Quinton	Batts	2024 Jefferson St	
			<i>It matters because we need to be able to pour back into our communities while also holding what we owe to each other as a city. Curtis Bay, and many other areas, already see the negative health effects which incinerating trash carries — higher asthma rates; more generalized breathing issues, like poor air quality for elders. Why not create healthier soil and waste management for Baltimore communities while limiting the pollution that comes with food waste in trash streams? Also — if I can be so frank — what it currently marketed as compost by DPW and the Department of Planning goes to the county, not Baltimore. What is currently being done isn't supporting us, even though it's marketed by an attempt to start compost streams. Do better.</i>
Cameron	Morgan	4429 Harcourt Rd, Baltimore, MD 21214	
Caleb	DeMario	3204 Rosekemp Ave	
Lee	Davis	7 S Wolfe St Apt 401	<i>This is an important public health, climate, and racial justice issue for the city.</i>
Vidisha	Agarwalla	1111 park avenue, Apt 605	
Baltimore Peoples	Climate Movement	Baltimore, MD, 21217	
Sydney	Lewis		
Meg	Berkobien	2703 Parkwood Avenue	



Matthew	McGough	100 W University Parkway, Baltimore, MD, 21210	
Caroline	Storen	3301 St Paul Street Apt# 801C, Baltimore. 21218	
Joseph	Castagno	30 Tanglewood Lane Basking Ridge 07920	<i>I go to college in Baltimore so I want the waste system to be improved.</i>
Jonik	Surprenant	15718 allanwood drive silver spring md 20906	<i>I go to college in Baltimore and I would like the waste system to have improved infrastructure.</i>
Emerson	Davis		
Hannah	Fu	3339 N Charles street, Baltimore, 21218	<i>By the developing the infrastructure, it can make a huge difference in Baltimore and set an example.</i>
Michelle	Liu	3339 N Charles St, Baltimore, 21218	
Eric	Ji	52 Stoneyside Ln St Louis 63132	<i>I, as a student in the Baltimore area, have an obligation to support any and all initiatives that work to further the economic and social upstanding of the region.</i>
Chase	Lahr	12200 Cotswold Lane, Knoxville TN, 37922	
Jay	Heyman	3116 Pacific Avenue, Cannon Beach, Oregon	<i>I care about sustainability!</i>
Steven	Rua	3022 Guilford Avenue	<i>Because we want to see clean water</i>
Emma	McElrath		<i>The earth is dying</i>
Richard	Soucy	20 Bonbon Court	<i>People are hurting from the incinerator</i>
Katherine	Overbey	3900 N Charles St Baltimore MD 21218	
Nancy	Poznak	2310 Bright Leaf Way, Baltimore, MD 21209	
Alex	Welna	7127 Fairfax Rd	
Myeasha	Taylor	2744 N. Rosedale St	
Nicole	King	601 N Eutaw st	<i>We need to all work towards zero waste to make Baltimore a more sustainable city ... climate change is not going away. We need strong and decisive action.</i>



Judd	Crane	931 S Linwood Avenue, Baltimore, 21224	
Sam	Lynch	108 E Preston St	
Sean	Jennings		
Nicole	Devlin	1615 belt st Baltimore, MD 21230	<i>We need to work as a community to create sustainable infrastructure which helps reduce disparities within Baltimore City and Maryland in general</i>
Pickett	Slater Harrington	5703 Cross Country Blvd Baltimore, MD 21209	<i>Greener, cleaner, more prosperous city</i>
Nancy	Poznak	2310 Bright Leaf Way, Baltimore. MD 21209	<i>We must do everything possible to be environmentally-responsible.</i>
Karen	Elliott	6106 Old Harford Rd., Baltimore, 21214	
Grace	Ware	609 S KENWOOD AVE	
Lee	Boot	2312 E Baltimore St	<i>Great idea</i>
Alan	Shapiro	1505 Eastern Ave. 21231	<i>anything that help counter the enormous waste of our style of living needs to be done</i>
monique	stins	503 Overbrook rd	<i>I care about the environment</i>
Andy	Collins	804 Starbit Ct, Towson, MD, 21286	<i>I want my grandchildren to have a normal childhood like I did.</i>
Emma	Cenicacelaya	402 David Court, Bel Air, 21015	
Lucia	Baran		
Jason	Lin	3339 N Charles St, Baltimore, MD 21218	
Ellen E	Barfield	814 Powers St	
Nick	Lindow	4138 Roland Ave	<i>for me and the next seven generations to have the resources to survive and thrive</i>
Mansha	Kapur	116 W University Pkwy	



doug	fuller	21217	<i>people suffer greatly from the air pollution of incineration, and climate change is getting worse, municipal compost service has been in place successfully for many years and is a great service to humans and the environment as well as reducing pests and improper disposal of garbage in our most divested neighborhoods deeply affecting health of both bodies and minds of all who must face the stream of junk and consumerist waste created by companies who only think of profits for shareholders not the well being of others. Politicians need to gather the political will to stand with people not corporate interests, it's well past time to be on the right side of history.</i>
Erin	Baeder		
Caitlin	Goldblatt	1210 Saint Paul St, 3A, Baltimore, MD 21202	
Samuel	Winans	7 Sparrow Hill ct	<i>The residents of South Baltimore have been exploited, had their communities poisoned and destroyed, and suffered the consequences of government incompetence for far too long. It is time for the mayor and city government to act in the interest of the cities residents instead of the corporation in the industrial district.</i>
Sharyn	Blum	440 E Oliver St, Baltimore, 21202	<i>We're in a rapidly escalating climate crisis. Not only is it important to reverse that, it's beyond foolishness to let a useful resource end up in landfills rather than cycling back into beneficial agriculture.</i>
Jennifer	Cookus	2005 E Lombard St Baltimore 21231	
Eva	Elbert		<i>Toxic pollution from incinerators has caused millions of dollars of health damages in Baltimore's underprivileged areas when so much of this waste could be redirected. Using food waste for compost would provide many more jobs than landfills, and could be used in fresh soil to</i>



			<i>help local farmers grow crops and to plant grasses that remove CO2 from the air. This legislation would help improve racial equity, public health, agriculture, and the economy in Baltimore.</i>
Caitie	Curtis	E 27th st, Baltimore, 21218	
Mia	Morrison	1502 McHenry Street Baltimore, MD 21223	<i>I want to systemically reduce waste and repurpose that waste into helpful resources!!</i>
India	Jones	407 S Gilmor St, Baltimore, 21223	<i>I am promoting sustainability, starting in South Baltimore</i>
Nsedu	Obot Witherspoon	2455 Tuckahoe Court	<i>As a Maryland resident for over 2 decades and a public health leader that leads the Children's Environmental Health Network, I support any and all efforts to stop burning and burying food waste and organics in Black and poor communities. We know this practice is harmful to residents and continues to present a serious injustice situation.</i>
alice	ferrari	1301 cambria st, baltimore, md 21225	<i>it's my home and i care how the people in charge treat it</i>
Lucy	Zhao		
Lisa	Avila	1604 cereal st,Baltimore, MD 21226	<i>We have to stop putting public money to projects that make us sick.</i>
Sharon	Brown	1612 Cereal St, Baltimore, MD 21226	<i>Please listen to what residents have been saying for years and make this the end of giving money for burning trash.</i>
Bivek	Povdyaz	2600 Madison	
Pamela	Glimore	1621 Filbert Street, Baltimore, MD 21226	
Holly	Loydd	1627 Locust St, Baltimore, MD 21226	
David	Mazan	1619 Cherry St, Baltimore, MD 21226	
Faye	wilsonburg	1603 Cherry St,Baltimore,MD 21226	<i>Youth in our community already spent 5 years stopping a new incinerator from</i>



			<i>making our air even worse...why are we still giving money to incinerators and calling it clean? It's not!</i>
<i>Liz</i>	<i>Ottey</i>	<i>1603 Cereal St, Baltimore, MD 21226</i>	<i>Our community has been used as a dumping ground and a place for incinerators to pollute for way too long. We deserve better.</i>
<i>Karen</i>	<i>Vanstory</i>	<i>1611 Cereal St, Baltimore, MD 21226</i>	<i>Our money shouldn't be wasted on burning trash and calling it green.</i>
<i>Chantelle</i>	<i>Wills</i>	<i>4402 Fairhaven ave, Baltimore, MD 21226</i>	
<i>Donna</i>	<i>Chappell</i>	<i>1425 Filbert Street, Baltimore, MD 21226</i>	
<i>Nathanie l</i>	<i>Russell</i>	<i>4408 Fairhaven ave, Baltimore, MD 21226</i>	<i>We need clean air now</i>

Please support the community and worker led effort to initiate common sense approaches to sound materials management in Maryland. Thank you.

Sincerely,

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