

Delegate Vanessa E. Atterbeary, Chair
and Members of the Ways and Means Committee
Maryland House of Delegates
Annapolis, MD

RE: HB 0422- Motor Fuel Tax Rates- Consumer Price Index Adjustment- Repeal- **SUPPORT**

Dear Chair Atterbeary and Members of the Committee,

I urge you to support HB0422. Marylanders, as well as all American citizens are suffering financially due to Biden's radical agenda and imposed policies! Continuing to increase motor fuel tax rates based upon CPI puts another nail in the coffin, so to speak. Maryland gasoline tax rate is currently .0427 and the undyed diesel tax rate is .04345. These are some of the highest in the nation! Where does it end? Marylanders are struggling financially and repealing the CPI adjustment for motor fuel tax rates would put a few dollars back into the pockets of Maryland citizens. I fully understand that the purpose of gas tax is to help pay for road infrastructure projects. If this is the case, why are our roads in such disrepair? To aid in the contribution of Marylander's finances, I urge your support for HB0422.

Please render a FAVORABLE report for HB0422.

Thank you for your time and attention to this matter.

Respectfully submitted,
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