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The Honorable Delegate Marc Korman, Chair
Environment and Transportation Committee
Room 241, House Office Building
Annapolis, Maryland 21401

Re: HB766 – Calvert County - Roadside Solicitation of Money or Donations - Prohibition

Chair Korman, Vice Chair Boyce, and Committee Members:

The Board of County Commissioners for Calvert County writes in **SUPPORT** of **HB766** and requests a **FAVORABLE** Committee report. This Bill represents our request that the existing solicitation laws in effect in Carroll, Charles, Harford, and Washington Counties (at Md. Ann. Code, Transportation Art., §21-507(c)) be applied in Calvert County. With rising traffic, and unfortunate opportunities for vehicular and pedestrian traffic conflicts, we feel it is necessary to address the issue of solicitation in roadways for public safety.

Your thoughtful consideration of this request is sincerely appreciated. Should you have any questions or require further information, please do not hesitate to contact County Administrator Julian M. Willis at 410-535-1600, extension 2202 or County Attorney John Norris at 410-535-1600, extension 2566. Thank you for your kind consideration of our position regarding this important local Bill.

Sincerely,

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
CALVERT COUNTY, MARYLAND

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Earl F. Hance, President

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Catherine M. Grasso, Vice President

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cc: Calvert County Delegation