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**THE SENATE OF MARYLAND**  
**ANNAPOLIS, MARYLAND 21401**

House Bill 1205 – Allegany County – Alcoholic Beverages – Class BWLT Beer, Wine, and Liquor  
Tasting Permit

April 4, 2024

Dear Chair Beidle, Vice Chair Klausmeier, and Members of the Committee,

As the Senator for District 1 and of Allegany County, I offer this letter of support for House Bill 1205. House Bill 1205 is a simple and local bill that authorizes a Class BWLT beer, wine, and liquor tasting permit to be issued by the Board of License Commissioners for Allegany County. The annual fee for this permit is \$150 and a first-time holder of this permit must also pay a one-time issuing fee of \$150. The board will adopt regulations to implement the bill. House Bill 1205 has the full support of the delegation, and we respectfully request a favorable report.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Mike McKay".

Senator Mike McKay  
Chair of the Allegany County Delegation  
Representing the Appalachia Region of Maryland  
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