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Maryland General Assembly Ways and Means Committee Hon. Vanessa E. Atterbeary Committee Chair 100 State Cir. Annapolis, MD 21401

February 12, 2024

Re: House Bill 636 -Allegany County - Property Tax Credit – Evergreen Heritage Center

Dear Chair Atterbeary:

I write today on behalf of the Board of County Commissioners of Allegany County, Maryland, to express my support of House Bill 636, sponsored by Delegates Buckel. Historically, Allegany County, Maryland has granted a property tax credit to certain non-profit organizations as a means of supporting the non-profit's mission.

House Bill 636 adds Evergreen Heritage Center to the list of non-profit organizations that may be granted a property tax credit by the Board of County Commissioners of Allegany County or any of the municipalities of Allegany County, Maryland. We support House Bill 636 and request a favorable recommendation from the members of the Ways and Means Committee.

Respectfully,

David J. Caporale, President Board of County Commissioners of Allegany County, Maryland

cc: Hon. Jason C. Buckel (via e-mail)