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Members of the Carroll Delegation  
401 James Senate Office Building  
11 Bladen Street  
Annapolis, Maryland 21401-1991

Dear Delegation Members,

We are requesting authorization of \$36.9 million for FY26. Attached is a copy of our anticipated bonding needs for FY26 based on the Preliminary Recommended FY26-31 Community Investment Plan.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Zaleski", with a stylized flourish at the end.

Ted Zaleski  
Director

c: Carroll County Board of Commissioners w/enclosure  
Jennifer Hobbs, Comptroller w/enclosure

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## Bond Authorization Request

<b>Project Description</b>	<b>FY26 Bonds</b>
<b><u>Public Schools</u></b>	
Freedom Elementary Addition	\$2,218,500
HVAC System Replacement - Carroll Springs	738,000
Prekindergarten Additions	7,071,000
Roof Replacement - Shiloh Middle	3,466,000
Sykesville Middle Addition	5,514,500
<b>Total Public Schools</b>	<b>\$19,008,000</b>
<b><u>Conservation and Open Space</u></b>	
Agricultural Land - Maryland Ag Land Preservation Program	\$1,333,400
Stormwater Facility Renovation	310,000
Watershed Assessment and Improvement (NPDES)	3,000,000
<b>Total Conservation and Open Space</b>	<b>\$4,643,400</b>
<b><u>Public Works</u></b>	
<b><u>Roads</u></b>	
Monroe Avenue Extension	\$1,364,000
Pavement Management Program	7,820,562
Ramp and Sidewalk Upgrades	103,000
Ridenour Way Extension	1,155,000
Small Drainage Structures	210,000
<b>Total Roads</b>	<b>\$10,652,562</b>
<b><u>Bridges</u></b>	
Gaither Road over S. Branch Patapsco	\$96,000
Hughes Shop Road over Bear Branch Road	40,000
McKinstry's Mill Road over Little Pipe Creek	50,000
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McKinstry's Mill Road over Tributary to Little Pipe Creek	136,002
Patapsco Road over E. Branch Patapsco	29,000
Stone Chapel Road over Little Pipe Creek	50,000
Woodbine Road over S. Branch Patapsco	224,200
<b>Total Bridges</b>	<b>\$675,202</b>
<b>Total Public Works</b>	<b>\$11,327,764</b>
<b><u>General Government</u></b>	
County Building Systemic Renovations	\$1,575,000
Fire & EMS - Regional Water Supply	160,000
Generator Replacements	150,000
<b>Total General Government</b>	<b>\$1,885,000</b>
<b><u>Total</u></b>	<b><u>\$36,864,164</u></b>