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THE SENATE OF MARYLAND Annapolis, Maryland 21401 February 5, 2025

Chairman Guzzone and Members of the Budget and Taxation Committee:

Senate Bill 416 is legislation requested by the Carroll County Senators. This bill gives the Carrol County Commissioners the ability to issue up to 36.9 million in general obligation bonds for the acquisition, construction, improvement, or renovation of public buildings, facilities, and public works projects. As it stands, commission counties do not have the legislative authority to create debt, as General Assembly authorization is required before any bonds can be sold. Carroll County is one of six counties in Marland that still operates under the commission form of government.

If passed, the moneys issued would give the Carroll County Boards of Commissioners the ability to fulfill their Fiscal Year 2026 Bond authorization requests the list of which is attached to your testimony

Senate Bill 416 was approved unanimously by the Carroll County Senate Delegation and is a cross-file of HB 833. The Carroll County Senate Delegation respectfully requests a favorable vote on Senate Bill 416.

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Carroll County Department of Management & Budget

Ted Zaleski Director tzaleski@carrollcountymd.gov 410-386-2082

January 10, 2025

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,

Ted Zaleski Director

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

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Bond Authorization Request

Project Description	FY26 Bonds
Public Schools	
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
Total Public Schools	\$19,008,000
Conservation and Open Space	
Agricultural Land - Maryland Ag Land Preservation Program	\$1,333,400
Stormwater Facility Renovation	310,000
Watershed Assessment and Improvement (NPDES)	3,000,000
Total Conservation and Open Space	\$4,643,400
Public Works	
<u>Roads</u>	
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
Total Roads	\$10,652,562
<u>Bridges</u>	
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
McKinstry's Mill Road over Sams Creek	50,000
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
Total Bridges	\$675,202
Total Public Works	\$11,327,764
General Government	
County Building Systemic Renovations	\$1,575,000
Fire & EMS - Regional Water Supply	160,000
Generator Replacements	150,000
Total General Government	\$1,885,000
<u>Total</u>	\$36,864,164

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THE MARYLAND GENERAL ASSEMBLY LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT 5 CARROLL COUNTY

February 5, 2025

The Honorable Guy Guzzone Senate Budget and Taxation Committee Miller Senate Office Building, 3 West 11 Bladen Street Annapolis, Maryland 21401

RE: Carroll County Senators Letter of Support Senate Bill 416 – Carroll County – Public Facilities Bonds

Dear Chairman Guzzone, Vice Chair Jim Rosapepe, and members of the Budget and Tax Committee,

The Carroll County Senate Delegation would like to notify the Senate Committee on Budget and Taxation of their support for Senate Bill 416 – Carroll County – Public Facilities Bonds.

The above referenced bill was considered by the Carroll County Senate Delegation and was subjected to a bill hearing. The Carroll County Senators and Delegates voted unanimously in favor of the bill.

Sincerely,

Senator Justin Ready

Chair, Carroll County Senate Delegation

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Carroll County Delegation Meeting

Friday, January 17, 2025

Voting on Bill

SB 416 CC Facilities Bond Bill

Sen Ready

Yes

No

Sen West

Yes

No

Del Bouchat

Yes

No

Del Rose

Yes

No

Del Stonko

Yes

No

Del Tomlinson

Yes

No

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February 3, 2025

The Honorable Guy Guzzone, Chair Senate Budget & Taxation Committee 3 West Miller Senate Office Building Annapolis, Maryland 21401

Dear Chair Guzzone and Members of the Committee:

We write in support of **SB 416**: **Carroll County - Public Facilities Bond** sponsored by the Carroll County Delegation on our behalf, which will enable borrowing to support the Carroll County government's Community Investment Plan (CIP) funding.

The Board respectfully requests a **FAVORABLE report on SB 416**.

Sincerely,

THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF CARROLL COUNTY

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