

Urgent Request to Support SB34 and Protect Maryland

Dear Senator,

I am writing as a concerned constituent of Baltimore County Maryland to urge your support for SB34. This bill is crucial for protecting Maryland's precious natural resources, including our forests, farmland, and the character of our rural communities, specifically areas like Parkton.

As you know, overhead transmission line projects can have devastating impacts on the environment and surrounding communities. They fragment forests, disrupt wildlife habitats, diminish property values, and negatively affect the scenic beauty that makes areas like Parkton so special. SB34 offers a vital opportunity to ensure that these projects are carefully considered and that alternative solutions, which may be less impactful, are thoroughly explored.

Parkton and similar communities in Maryland deserve to have their voices heard in the planning process for these large-scale infrastructure projects. SB34 will provide a more balanced approach, ensuring that the needs of our environment and rural communities are given due consideration alongside energy infrastructure development.

I strongly urge you to support SB34 and help protect the natural beauty and rural character of Maryland. Thank you for your time and attention to this important matter.

Sincerely,

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