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Senator Pamela Beidle, Chair
Finance Committee
3 East Miller Senate Office Building
11 Bladen Street
Annapolis, Maryland 21401

Re: Letter of Support on SB872 – Local Government – Hiring and Promotion Preferences for Veterans and Spouses of Service Members and Veterans (Families Serve Act)

Dear Chairwoman Beidle and Committee Members,

Harford County is home to Aberdeen Proving Grounds (APG), a major military installation and Harford's number one employer.

Senate Bill 872 will allow Harford County Government to implement a hiring and promotion preference for military veterans and their spouses as well as spouses of active military members. These men, women, and their families have made considerable sacrifices for our Country. This enables local government to show appreciation for our veterans' sacrifices and support our active-duty military families.

I respectfully request that the Finance Committee report favorably on SB872.

Thank you.

Yours truly,



Robert G. Cassilly