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Delegate Luke Clippinger, Chair
Judiciary Committee
100 Taylor House Office Building
Annapolis, Maryland 21401

Re: HB 1006 Immigration Enforcement - Sensitive Locations - Guidelines and Policies (Protecting Sensitive Locations Act)

Dear Chair Clippinger:

The City of College Park Council respectfully requests your support for HB 1006, which requires the Attorney General to develop guidelines limiting immigration enforcement at certain sensitive locations. This is an urgent measure to counter the fear across our state created by new federal policies authorizing immigration enforcement practically everywhere.

All residents should be able to attend school, receive healthcare, and practice their faith without the fear and disruption of immigration officials checking for documentation. The new federal actions have led to lower school attendance and missed healthcare appointments and prescriptions. HB 1006 will assist a wide range of organizations adopt consistent policies to support the health and safety of residents.

Thank you for consideration of the City's position.

Sincerely,

Fazlul Kabir
Mayor

cc: Members of the Judiciary Committee
Delegates Joseline Pena-Melnyk, Ben Barnes, and Mary A. Lehman