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TESTIMONY ON HB#/0617- POSITION: FAVORABLE

City of Frederick - Noise Abatement Monitoring Systems – Authorization

TO: Chair Korman, Vice Chair Guyton, and members of the Environment and Transportation Committee

FROM: Richard Keith Kaplowitz

My name is Richard Keith Kaplowitz. I am a resident of District 3, Frederick County. I am submitting this testimony in support of HB#/0617, City of Frederick - Noise Abatement Monitoring Systems – Authorization

This bill is submitted by the Delegates representing Frederick City in Frederick County at their request and applies only to that jurisdiction. This has also been requested by residents of the city who have complained about the problem of excessive noise from motor vehicles. I have heard loud cars when I am in downtown Frederick myself on multiple occasions.

This bill will authorize the use of noise abatement monitoring systems in the City of Frederick to enforce certain motor vehicle noise requirements.

I respectfully urge this committee to return a favorable report on HB#/0617.