

February 24, 2024

Honorable Senator Guy Guzzone Budget and Taxation Committee 3 West Miller Senate Office Building Annapolis, Maryland 21401

**Re:** SB 963 – Carroll County – Office of Permits and Inspections – Denial of Permit or License for Unpaid Personal Property Taxes - Support

Dear Senator Guzzone:

We support the critical changes to the current permit process when there are disputed late tax payments. This would reduce delays in the permitting process.

The Carroll County Chamber of Commerce, a business advocacy organization of nearly 700 members, supports this bill. We therefore request that you give this bill a favorable report.

Sincerely,

Mike McMullin

President

Carroll County Chamber of Commerce

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CC: Senator Justin Ready Delegate April Rose