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# PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY GOVERNMENT

## OFFICE OF THE COUNTY EXECUTIVE

August 26, 2021

The Honorable Calvin S. Hawkins, II  
Chairman  
Prince George's County Council  
County Administration Building  
Upper Marlboro, Maryland 20772

Dear Chairman Hawkins:

Enclosed for the County Council's consideration is a Resolution that expresses Prince George's County's (the "County") support for declaring September 22, 2021 as World Car Free Day in Prince George's County. World Car Free Day promotes the improvement of mass transit, cycling and walking, and the development of communities where jobs are closer to home and shopping is within walking distance.

World Car Free Day is organized in various cities throughout the world in different ways, but with the common goal of reducing the number of cars on the streets. The benefit to our County and region is less traffic congestion, appreciation for a greener environment and reduced gasoline demand. Today, World Car Free Day includes celebrations in forty-six (46) countries and over 2,000 cities.

World Car Free Day is in-line with the Department of Public Works and Transportations (DPW&T) goal of reducing the number of cars on the County's roadways by promoting mass transit, cycling and walking for the County's residents and visitors.

The County Council's favorable consideration of this legislation is greatly appreciated. If you have any questions, please contact Martin L. Harris, Deputy Director of (DPW&T), at (301) 883-5600.

Sincerely,

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Enclosures

cc: Tara H. Jackson, Chief Administrative Officer  
Terry L. Bell, County Council Liaison  
Martin L. Harris, Deputy Director, DPW&T