

PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY GOVERNMENT

OFFICE OF THE COUNTY EXECUTIVE

September 25, 2023

The Honorable Thomas E. Dernoga Chair Prince George's County Council Wayne K. Curry Administration Building 1301 McCormick Drive Largo, Maryland 20774

Dear Chair Dernoga:

Enclosed for the County Council's consideration is a Resolution regarding the Local Impact Grant (LIG) Funds Multiyear Plan. Pursuant to CB-88-2015, subsequent to the Local Development Council's review, comment and recommendations on the multiyear plan, the County Executive shall transmit the multiyear plan to the County Council for review and approval by resolution. The Local Development Council transmitted their comments and recommendation regarding the plan on August 30, 2023; therefore, the plan requires final approval by the County Council.

The enclosed plan specifies the use of LIG funds from Fiscal Years 2024 – 2026. The plan is consistent with the uses outlined in State Government Article, Section 9-1A-31 by which the LIG funds "shall be used for improvements in the communities in immediate proximity of the video lottery facilities and may be used for the following purposes - infrastructure improvements, facilities, public safety, sanitation, economic and community development, including housing and other public services and improvements." Additionally, the FY 2024 components of the plan were included in the FY 2024 Approved Budget enacted by the County Council on May 25, 2023.

The FY 2024 Approved Budget provides important services to residents, gives our County agencies the resources they need to serve our residents, and upholds the values of our community. It contains people-centered investments that will improve critical government services that our residents rely on while helping grow the commercial tax base long-term. The FY 2024 components of the LIG plan included in the approved budget help meet the immediate needs of our residents while positioning the County for long-term success.

If you recall, this was a particularly difficult budget cycle to navigate, and required all of us to work collaboratively to decide how we would allocate finite taxpayer dollars. Working together, we were able to produce a fiscally responsible plan and budget that uplifts all Prince Georgians. As we prepare to navigate another difficult budget cycle in the coming year, we should continue to support this fiscally responsible and people-centered spending plan that our residents were proud to see passed.

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The County Council's favorable consideration of this legislation is requested. If you have any questions, please contact my office or Stanley A. Earley, Director, Office of Management and Budget, at (301) 952-3300.

Sincerely,

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Enclosures