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VIA ELECTRONIC & FIRST CLASS MAIL

The Honorable Jack Bailey
402 James Senate Office Building
11 Bladen Street
Annapolis, MD 21401

Re: SB356 – Calvert County - Sunday Hunting

Senator Bailey:

We began our public session acknowledging Senator Miller's legacy. Later, we expressed our appreciation for your proposal to allow persons to hunt on Sundays of the game bird and game mammal seasons. There is a multitude of benefits that come from this proposal, including additional recreation activities that have added land management benefits.

However, we respectfully request deferring Sunday hunting on public lands until the Department of Natural Resources can identify the location of those public lands that may be opened. Therefore, we ask you to consider an amendment to delete "Calvert County" at Line 8 of Page 5 of SB356. When and if the Department were to consider allowing Sunday hunting on public lands, we would be happy to revisit that topic with you and public input.

Thank you for your continued support of local initiatives for the benefit of our community.

Sincerely,

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
CALVERT COUNTY, MARYLAND

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