St. Mary's County Government

COMMISSIONERS OF ST. MARY'S COUNTY



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September 28, 2021

The Honorable Matthew Morgan Maryland House of Delegates 310 House Office Building 6 Bladen Street Annapolis, MD 21401

Re: St. Mary's County - To amend \$10-402(c)(11) of the *Courts and Judicial Proceedings*Article to allow St. Mary's County Animal Control Officers to wear body cameras

Dear Chairman Morgan:

The Commissioners of St. Mary's County support the request to amend \$10-402(c)(11) of the *Courts and Judicial Proceedings Article* of the *Annotated Code of Maryland* to allow St. Mary's County Animal Control Officers to wear body cameras as requested by Stephen Walker, Director of Emergency Services.

We appreciate the introduction of this legislation and believe this legislation will benefit the citizens of St. Mary's County. We look forward to working with you on this and other initiatives throughout the session.

Sincerely,

COMMISSIONERS OF ST. MARY'S COUNTY

James Randy Guy, President

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