

ST. MARY'S COUNTY GOVERNMENT  
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ST. MARY'S COUNTY**



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September 29, 2020

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


Re: St. Mary's County - To request to amend §20-405 of the *Local Government Article* to request authority to increase the cap on the St. Mary's County Public Accommodations Tax from five (5) percent to seven (7) percent.

Dear Chairman Morgan:

The Commissioners of St. Mary's County support the request to amend §20-405 of the *Local Government Article* of the *Annotated Code of Maryland* to request authority to increase the cap on the St. Mary's County Public Accommodations Tax from five (5) percent to seven (7) percent as requested by Commissioner President Randy Guy.

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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Delegate Gerald Clark  
Delegate Brian Crosby  
Commissioner Eric Colvin  
Commissioner Michael Hewitt  
Commissioner Todd Morgan  
Commissioner John O'Connor  
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