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Senate Bill 824

Economic Development - Broadband Providers - Joint Trenching and Fee (Building Out Broadband Act of 2021)

Hearing: March 16, 2021

SUPPORT

March 9, 2021

Senator Delores G. Kelley
Senate Finance Committee
3 East
Miller Senate Office Building
Annapolis, Maryland 21401


Re: **SB 824** - Economic Development - Broadband Providers - Joint Trenching and Fee (Building Out Broadband Act of 2021) - Hearing: March 16, 2021

Dear Chairman Kelley:

The Commissioners of St. Mary's County **SUPPORT** SB 824 - Economic Development - Broadband Providers - Joint Trenching and Fee (Building Out Broadband Act of 2021) which is being heard on March 16, 2021 in the Finance Committee.

We request a favorable report on SB824. We support the introduction of this legislation and believe it would benefit the citizens of St. Mary's County. Thank you for your consideration as well as your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,
COMMISSIONERS OF ST. MARY'S COUNTY


James Randy Guy, President

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