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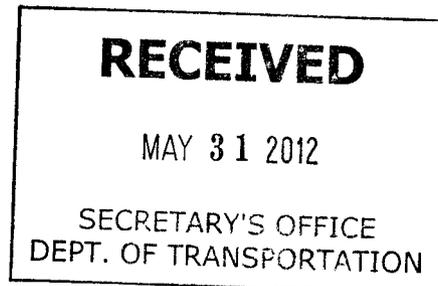
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The Honorable Beverly Swaim-Staley  
Secretary, Maryland Department of Transportation  
7201 Corporate Center Drive  
P.O. Box 548  
Hanover, MD 21706

RE: Kent County 2012 Transportation Priority Letter

Dear Secretary Swaim-Staley:

We would like to thank the staff of the Maryland Department of Transportation for its continued cooperation and support in meeting the transportation needs of the County. The Board of County Commissioners, in cooperation with the municipalities in Kent County, presents the following priority listing of transportation projects for your consideration.

- ≈ Restore Highway User Revenue distribution to local governments, "Fuel & Vehicle Tax Fund Transportation Infrastructure"
- ≈ Construction, Engineering, and Project Planning Priorities
  - ◆ Chester River Bridge Crossing
  - ◆ Intersection of Maryland Routes 20, 291 and Upper High Street in Chestertown
  - ◆ Drainage Improvements along Maryland Route 291 between Millington and the Delaware State Line
  - ◆ Maryland Route 313 overpass of US301
- ≈ Streetscape Priorities
  - ◆ Millington - Cypress Street
  - ◆ Galena – Maryland Routes 313, 290, and 213
  - ◆ Butlertown and Worton – Maryland Routes 298 and 297 – sidewalks, drainage improvements and traffic calming
- ≈ Trail and Pedestrian Priorities
  - Chestertown Rail Trail – connections and expansion
  - Sidewalks and pedestrian walkways along Flatland Road



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- Maryland Route 289 to Radcliffe Creek bike /pedestrian improvements for connections to the water trail
- Rock Hall Trail System
- Addition of bike lanes during resurfacing projects

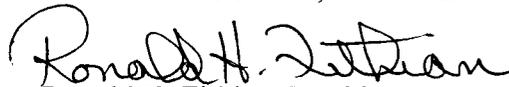
≈ Stoplight Violation Camera at Maryland Routes 291 and 213

≈ Rock Hall Transit Improvements

Thank you for your consideration of these transportation priorities in Kent County. We look forward to working cooperatively with the Maryland Department of Transportation on the planning and implementation of these important local transportation improvements.

Very truly yours,

THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
OF KENT COUNTY, MARYLAND

  
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