

PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY GOVERNMENT

April 7, 2017

Prince George's County
Local Development Council
C/O The Office of the County Executive
14741 Governor Oden Bowie Drive
Upper Marlboro, Maryland 20772

Dear Local Development Council Members:

Thank you for providing your recommendations for consideration in the FY 2018 Multi-Year Spending Plan. I recognize and appreciate your efforts to be proactive in presenting your suggestions prior to the Spending Plan being transmitted to the Prince George's County Council.

The Prince George's County Council must review the Multi-Year Spending Plan in accordance with the County Code (CB-88-2015) and provide their comments to me before it is officially transmitted to the Local Development Council for action. You will note that your recommendations related to public safety spending, health and human services spending and funding for scholarships were largely incorporated into the plan. In addition to your specific recommendations, I concur with your subsequent request to continue spending for the Crossland High School vocational training program. It is of paramount importance that we develop our workforce so that it is well positioned to benefit from the increased economic development activity here in the County.

Your time and efforts to serve our beloved community are greatly appreciated. You have been diligent in your ongoing efforts to ensure that the Prince George's County Local Development Council is viable and representative of the citizens and residents we serve. I look forward to working with you as we work together to develop future spending plans.

Sincerely,

Rushern L. Baker, III County Executive