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Howard County Citizens Association

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Dear Council-members,

I am Stu Kohn from Scaggsville testifying on behalf of the Howard County Citizens Association, HCCA as its President with questions about CR50-2026. We are simply looking for more information and to get educated as to what this Resolution means for Howard County. We believe this Resolution requires amendments such as detailing milestones specifically when this project is to start and the estimated completion date.

The contents of this Resolution states, "A 1-million-dollar loan by the Maryland Economic Development Assistance Authority and Fund for a conditional loan from the Maryland Department of Commerce to support the company known as Feast and Fettle in its initiative to establish a meal delivery production and distribution facility in our county. It **may** include the costs of construction or installation of machinery, equipment, fixtures, leasehold improvements or infrastructure improvements at its new location at 701 Dorsey Run Road in Elkridge." Please kindly tell us the specifics of this "conditional" loan? How much will this project cost for Howard County? The word "may" in bold is too nebulous! It should be changed to "shall" to ensure definitive requirements.

The major question is how much is Howard County on the books to pay?

The reviews state that overall Feast and Fettle appear to be a premium delivery service with strong focus on quality and variety, but potential customers should consider the pricing."

We strongly suggest with the aforementioned information this Resolution be Tabled so you can ask pertinent questions in your Work Session. We need to be informed about the pros and cons. We need utmost transparency to ensure this project is feasible and will be successful for all concerned parties.

Thank you,

Stu Kohn
HCCA President