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## Re: AGAINST CB9-2017

JM 

J.D. Ma <jdma19@gmail.com>

Wed 2/1, 1:22 AM

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CB9-2017

Dear County Council Member:

As a resident of Howard County, I am totally AGAINST Howard County Sanctuary Bill CB9-2017. This bill embodies complete disregard of federal immigration law and effectively gives reliefs to illegal immigrants who came to our great nation illegally, both of which are contrary to the founding principles of this great nation!

Accordingly, I sincerely and earnestly ask you to vote NO on CB9-2017, so as to help us to show that Howard County stands firm in serving the interest of its residents and defending against illegal immigration.

Jundong Ma  
[5804 Wild Orange Gate](#)  
[Clarksville, MD 21029](#)

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## I support CB9



Eman Ottallah <dmdgator@gmail.com>

Wed 2/1, 7:53 AM

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CB9-2017

Hello my name is Eman Ottallah. I am a resident of Howard County and I support making Howard County a sanctuary county. I believe that my neighbors should not fear going to the police or any other government employee.

Thank you.



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## Sanctuary county designation





Stacia Hejeebu <stacia@hejeebu.com>

Wed 2/1, 8:42 AM

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CB9-2017

Dear Council members,

I respectfully offer my opinion encouraging you to vote against CB-9, designating Howard County as a 'sanctuary county'. Thank you.

Stacia Hejeebu

[12121 Deer Haven Rd](#)  
[Marriottsville, Md 21104](#)

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## AGAINST CB9-2017



Wendy Wang <wendy.wangkong@yahoo.com>

Wed 2/1, 9:39 AM

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CB9-2017

Dear County Council Members Mary Kay Sigaty, Jon Weinstein, Dr. Calvin Ball and Jan Terrasa:

I reside in Howard County. I am strongly AGAINST Howard County Sanctuary Bill CB9-2017. Diversity, Yes, Illegal, No! This is a constitutional country. Everyone should follow the law. Your bill only encourages more illegal actions, more immigrants and more family separations caused by this! I implore you to vote NO on CB9-2017.

Sincerely,

Wendy Wang & Dehong Kong

[11914 Northern Bell Way,](#)  
[Clarksville, MD 21029](#)

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## AGAINST CB9-2017

TL 

Tom Lokey <tomlokey@rocketmail.com>

Wed 2/1, 9:48 AM

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CB9-2017

Dear County Council Members Sigaty, Weinstein, Ball, Terrasa: I reside in Howard County. I am AGAINST Howard County Sanctuary Bill CB9-2017. I implore you to vote NO on CB9-2017. Tom Lokey [3113 Cabin Run Woodbine MD 21797](#)

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NS 

Nicole Salvia <nsalvia1@gmail.com>

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Hello,

My name is Nicole Salvia. I am a resident of Howard County and I support making Howard County a Sanctuary County. I believe my neighbors should never fear going to the police or any other government employee.

Please pass CB9!!!!

Sincerely,

Nicole Salvia

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## Vote NO to CB9-2017



B Dulaney <closnuf7@hotmail.com>

Wed 2/1, 10:40 AM

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CB9-2017

Dear County Council Members Sigaty, Weinstein, Ball, Terrasa:

I reside in Howard County. I am AGAINST Howard County Sanctuary Bill CB9-2017. I am not against immigration but I want to see immigration in a natural progression with a screening process that has been updated and improved that ensures the people relocating to our country want to embrace our country, want to be fully integrated citizens of America. Please hear my voice and take it into consideration, my opinion is to vote NO on CB9-2017.

Your Name Bonnie Dulaney

Your Address [15024 Bushy Park Rd](#)

[Your City, State Zip Woodbine, MD 21797](#)

Sincerely,

Bonnie Dulaney

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## Sanctuary county



Jim Milner <jimmilner43@yahoo.com>

Wed 2/1, 10:57 AM

CouncilMail; akittleman@hiwardcountymd.gov 



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Please note my opposition to the sanctuary bill, and please veto it if it passes.

American history is rife with individual efforts to act outside of the law, and I feel most have been wrong. Think of the use of illegal drugs, people in white sheets terrorizing the black population, people trying to thwart voting rights, not to mention other acts by white supremacy groups and individuals.

Thank you.

James Milner  
Highland, md

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## Favor Passage of CB-9 on Feb. 6



dan henderson <danjhenderson@yahoo.com>

Wed 2/1, 12:05 PM

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My name is Danny Henderson and I have been a Howard County resident for 73 years. I want the Council to pass CB-9 on Feb 6. Howard County needs to be a welcoming open community.

Yours Truly,  
Danny J. Henderson  
[6075 Granite Knoll](#)  
[Columbia, MD 21045](#)  
Phone 410-997-9363

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## AGAINST CB9-2017

BY 

Beverly Yang &lt;xuanyang02@yahoo.com&gt;

Wed 2/1, 12:13 PM

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CB9-2017

Dear County Council Members Mary Kay Sigaty, Jon Weinstein, Dr. Calvin Ball and Jan Terrasa:

I reside in Howard County. I am strongly AGAINST Howard County Sanctuary Bill CB9-2017. I implore you to vote NO on CB9-2017.

Sincerely,

Bing Yang  
[7021 Golden Seeds Row](#)  
[Columbia, MD 21044](#)



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GE 

Gina Ellrich <ggellrich@verizon.net>

Wed 2/1, 2:09 PM

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CB9-2017

Dear Council Members -

I respectfully request you vote against CB-9 as I am not in favor of that legislation.

Gina Ellrich

[12100 Deer Haven Road](#)

[Marriottsville 21104](#)

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## Vote Against CB-9

HR 

Hostetler, Emily R. <HostetlerER1@GCC.EDU>

Wed 2/1, 2:09 PM

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CB9-2017

Dear Council Members of Howard County,

I want to respectfully offer my opinion encouraging you to vote against CB-9, designating Howard County as a 'sanctuary county'.

Thank you,  
Emily Hostetler

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MP 

Michele Perraymond <mperray@yahoo.it>

Wed 2/1, 2:13 PM

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This message was sent with high importance.

Dear Councilmen,

My name is Michele Smith. I am a resident of Howard County and I support making Howard County a Sanctuary County. I believe that my neighbors should never fear going to the police or any other government employee.

Please vote YES on Council Bill 9-2017.

Sincerely,

Michele Smith  
[5049 Netherstone Ct](#)  
[Columbia, MD 21045](#)

(651) 600-6812

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## Fwd: Council Bill





Wuqaas Munir <[wmunir@gmail.com](mailto:wmunir@gmail.com)>

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From: "Wuqaas Munir" <[wmunir@gmail.com](mailto:wmunir@gmail.com)>

Date: Feb 1, 2017 1:50 PM

Subject: Council Bill

To: <[akittleman@howardcountymd.gov](mailto:akittleman@howardcountymd.gov)>

Cc: <[councilmail@howardcountymd.cgov](mailto:councilmail@howardcountymd.cgov)>

Hi Council Executive Kittleman.

Having met you on many occasions at masjid Taqwa in Columbia, I have been left with the favorable impression that you are an open and understanding man. It is with that hope that I urge you to vote YES on Council Bill 9-2017.

As a US citizen and resident of Ellicott City, I wanted to take a moment to express my support for Council Bill 9-2017. Now more than ever, I feel we must stand up in support of the United States Constitution. I support Howard County's immigrant community, and I support Council Bill 9-2017.

Please vote YES on Council Bill 9-2017.

Thank you for your time and consideration.

Wuqaas M Munir  
[4958 Clearwater Dr](#)  
[Ellicott City, MD 21043](#)

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## vote YES on Council Bill 9-2017





Citlali M-a <citlalimiranda@gmail.com>

Wed 2/1, 2:31 PM

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Dear Executive Kittleman,

My name is Citlali Miranda. I am a resident of Howard County and I support making Howard a Sanctuary County. I believe that my neighbors should never fear going to the police or any other government employee.

Howard County is diverse and everyone in the county deserves to be treated fairly, no matter their immigration status. Council Bill 9-2017 promotes public safety, protects the constitutional rights to due process and privacy of immigrants and is simply giving legal force to a policy that Howard County police have been following for years. I support the United States Constitution, I support Howard County's immigrant community, I support Council Bill 9-2017.

Please vote YES on Council Bill 9-2017.

Sincerely,

Citlali Miranda

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vote YES on Council Bill 9-2017

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S shernandezkw@gmail.com on behalf of Shannon Hernandez <shannon.hernandez@e  
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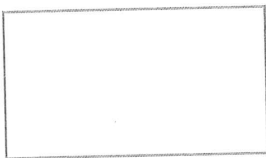
Hello,

I am a lifetime resident of Howard County, MD. I am a local Realtor. I'm a married mother of 3. I have always been proud to have grown up in Columbia. It was a city that prided itself on diversity and welcoming all, and that's why I chose to raise my family here! My children's father is an Immigrant born in El Salvador. A majority of my business comes from Immigrants, legal and illegal. These are decent, hard working, family oriented, and majority of them are Tax Paying residents of Howard County. Yes, that's correct...if they are W2 employees of a business, they are paying taxes!

I support making Howard County a Sanctuary County. I believe my family, neighbors, clients and friends should never fear going to Police for help or any other government employee. I've already had calls from family and friends, who are scared! This makes me sad and angry, this shouldn't be happening here. Passing CB9 will not make more immigrants come here, as many have suggested. We have to stand up for those who can't stand up for themselves!

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***Respectfully,***  
***Shannon***

**Shannon Hernandez, Realtor**

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## Against Sanctuary County

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**Last Name:** Downs  
**Email:** [lendowns@yahoo.com](mailto:lendowns@yahoo.com)  
**Street Address:** 9244 Redbridge Ct  
**City:** Laurel  
**Subject:** Against Sanctuary County

**Message:** Please do not make Howard County a Sanctuary County, we should be enforcing the laws not ignoring them. This should not even be a topic of conversation much less going to a council for implementation. This is absurd. There are immigrants that come to this country legally and do what is necessary to stay here. Illegal immigrants need to be sent packing. I should not pay for illegals. and if you pass this bill our county will suffer and it will cost us all.

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Ken Katzen &lt;kkatzen01@gmail.com&gt;

Wed 2/1, 3:12 PM

Kittleman, Allan; CouncilMail; Ball, Calvin B ▾

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If it is passed, please do not veto CB9. I have heard too many stories of the hour by hour fear our immigrant residents live in, especially those who are undocumented. There is no research that supports a rise in crime where undocumented people live, work, or pass through. An overwhelming number of chiefs of police have reported, on the record, that their ability to enforce the law, protect the people and their property, and deter crime is enhanced by refusing, with appropriate exceptions included in CB9, to become agents for ICE. You know this. You know the experiences of localities that have already refused. You know the limits on withholding federal funds. You have spoken to immigrants and their sons and daughters in our community. Do what is right. Please allow the measure, if passed, to stand.

I have written to the County Council stating my support for CB9, and encouraging them to remove the divisive lines 6-11.

Ken Katzen

Resident

*Caller, Vitality & Diversity Focus Group**Kittamaqundi Community Church*


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## Support for Council Bill 9-2017



Pamela Gutman <pamela.gutman@gmail.com>

Wed 2/1, 3:17 PM

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Hello Mr. Kittleman,

Howard County is diverse and everyone in the county deserves to be treated fairly, no matter their immigration status. Council Bill 9-2017 promotes public safety, protects the constitutional rights to due process and privacy of immigrants, and is simply giving legal force to a policy that Howard County police have been following for years. I support the United States Constitution, I support Howard County's immigrant community, I support Council Bill 9-2017.

For years, Howard County law enforcement agencies have protected their immigrant communities by not questioning residents' immigration status. Given the national political climate and the President-Elect's promise to target vulnerable noncitizen communities, Howard County must take steps to ensure that our residents' constitutional rights are protected.

Enacting a formal policy that clarifies the responsibilities of our police to enforce criminal law and not civil immigration law will allow our officers to focus on the public safety of the community. This bill does not hinder current law enforcement priorities. It recommits Howard County's responsibility to protect and serve its most vulnerable residents, not just its citizen residents.

This bill furthers public safety by helping build trust between local law enforcement and noncitizen communities, preventing the racial profiling of noncitizens by local law enforcement officers, and limiting the incidence of discrimination against people of color.

I believe that protecting the civil rights and liberties of all Howard County residents, including vulnerable noncitizen residents, should be a top priority.

Again, I **support** Council Bill 9-2017.

Sincerely,

Pamela Gutman

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## Support for CB9



Phillips, J. D. (Dan) &lt;Dan.Phillips@jhuapl.edu&gt;

Wed 2/1, 4:18 PM

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CB9-2017

I have been watching this debate on CB-9 and thinking it would be a good idea that all of our neighbors, even if they are not here legally, should feel they could go to the police or any county employee without being afraid of being deported. Although I live in District 5 of Howard County in the Woodmark neighborhood, I have not engaged in County politics other than to vote. The current climate of divisiveness in the US makes me realize that every citizen should engage to support the climate of inclusiveness that in so many ways defines Howard County and our country. Count me all in for CB-9 and for being active in Howard County from here forward.

Your Neighbor,

Dan Phillips

[Willowind Ct.](#)

[Howard County, MD](#)

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## Please make county safer



julie dunlap &lt;juliejdunlap@earthlink.net&gt;

Wed 2/1, 4:31 PM

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Dear Council Members,

I am writing to urge you to support the proposed CB-9, to name Howard County as a Sanctuary City. I have lived in Howard County more than 20 years, and sent my children to local public schools where they have learned values such as inclusiveness and fairness. It is not fair that my neighbor, a legal immigrant from Puerto Rico, is afraid to take a walk in her neighborhood at night because she might be mistaken for an "illegal" and harassed or worse. Mr. Kittleman is incorrect to say that the bill would be a hollow political statement offering a false sense of security. It would be a moral stance against prejudice, divisiveness, injustice, and hate. My neighbor, a tax paying county resident, and all of us would be safer knowing that we have stood up for the rights of all.

Thank you. I look forward to hearing that the council has passed this important measure.

Best wishes, Julie Dunlap, Columbia, MD

2/5/2017

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## Sanctuary county

TS 

tammy spengler <tammy424@icloud.com>

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Wed 2/1, 4:38 PM

Kittleman, Allan; CouncilMail 

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Mr. Kittleman, I am incredibly disgusted by your response to the sanctuary bill. You show a lack of leadership and care for the people of Howard County. Instead you betray the values this county was built on without a second thought. All of our residents must be safe and welcomed here. Your thoughtlessness and heartlessness will never be forgotten. I will do everything I can to end your term in office as quickly as possible. I want a leader, not a spineless puppet.

Sincerely,  
Tammy Spengler  
[5218 wood stove lane](#)  
[Columbia Md 21045](#)

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2/5/2017

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## AGAINST CB9-2017



JC 

Jeff R. Chen <rjeffchen@yahoo.com>

Wed 2/1, 4:15 PM

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CB9-2017

Dear County Council Members Mary Kay Sigaty, Jon Weinstein, Dr. Calvin Ball and Jan Terrasa:

As a Howard county resident, I am strongly AGAINST Howard County Sanctuary Bill CB9-2017. I implore you to vote NO on CB9-2017.

Sincerely,

Jeffrey R Chen

6447 Galway Drive  
Clarksville, Maryland, 21029



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## Sanctuary County



Barbara Greenfeld <bgreenfeld@comcast.net>

Wed 2/1, 5:31 PM

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CB9-2017

Dear Council Members:

I am opposed to the proposal to make Howard County a sanctuary county. Having close family members who legally immigrated to the US over a period of 16 years, including one young man, who enlisted in the army to facilitate his path to citizenship, I cannot support de facto codification of illegal immigration and the violation of federal law. I believe the priority goes to facilitation of legal immigration.

The idea of picking and choosing - locale by locale - which federal laws we uphold is disturbing and chaotic. Where exactly would that end? If citizens seek to change laws, it is imperative they do so through lawful means.

I am not without sympathy for people in the US illegally and their family members, particularly children, many of whom I have worked and helped throughout my career in k-12 and higher education. However, support and help is different from approving the county's open defiance of federal law.

Respectfully,  
Barbara Greenfeld

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Barbara Greenfeld



2/5/2017

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CB-9

SB

Susan Burger <susfbur@aim.com>

Wed 2/1, 5:47 PM

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CB9-2017

This message was sent with high importance.

I am a Howard County resident who has lived in Columbia since 1979.

I am writing to express my desire for Howard County to be designated a sanctuary County so that fellow residents will not fear going to the police or other government employees/officials for help and support.

~Susan F. Burger

[susfbur@aim.com](mailto:susfbur@aim.com)

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CB9-2017

KH

Karol Hess &lt;Karol.Hess@LongandFoster.com&gt;

Wed 2/1, 6:06 PM

Kittelman, Allan; CouncilMail ✕

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CB9-2017

Dear Allen

*Rarely do I contact my legislators to urge action on legislation. Today, however, I must do so.*

*On Monday, February 6th the County Council will vote on this bill. I am truly hopeful the council will vote in favor. If that is the case, then I understand you would then veto the bill. The question I keep asking my self, and now ask you, is WHY? WHY?*

*You and I are American citizens, and I do not believe either one of us is descended from Native Americans. Therefore, you and I and all the council members are standing on the shoulders of immigrants. Now, however, based on the opinion of many others (but certainly not all) immigrants are no longer welcome to enter this incredible country and county and those who are here now are being pushed away. This is not how our country was made great. I am so incredibly saddened at how hatred, bigotry, injustice, segregation and discrimination are being extolled as morally compelling. The isolationist attitude being expressed is impossible to tolerate.*

*The citizens and legislatures of Howard County are above these heinous acts. I implore you to not veto Council Bill 9...I have confidence those council members not in favor of the bill will have a change of heart and act as a true human being and vote in favor of this bill.*

*Let all of us embrace the diversity of our residents and help all be safe and united.*

Karol

[8616 Secret Waves Way](#)[Columbia, Md 21045](#)

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"Just Ask for Karol with a K"

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## In favor CB-9

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Juana Espinal &lt;juanaespinal73@gmail.com&gt;

Wed 2/1, 6:53 PM

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CB9-2017

Hello, my name is Juana Espinal. I am a resident of Howard County and I support making Howard a Sanctuary County should never fear going to the police or any other government employee.

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Re: Support for a Sanctuary County

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## Re: Support for a Sanctuary County



LAWRENCE ARENA <larcar4@comcast.net>

Wed 2/1, 7:02 PM

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CB9-2017

We apologize for the e-mail below; we clicked the "send" button before completing the spelling of our last name! We are Carolyn and Lawrence Arena.

Thank you for all the work you do for the county.

Sincerely,

Carolyn and Lawrence Arena

----- Original Message -----

From: LAWRENCE ARENA <larcar4@comcast.net>

To: councilmail@howardcountymd.gov

Date: February 1, 2017 at 6:37 PM

Subject: Support for a Sanctuary County

Dear Howard County Council Members,

We are residents of Howard County, and we both give our support to making Howard a Sanctuary County. We believe that our county should stand for honor, and that our neighbors should never fear going to the police or any other government employee. Please stand up for humanity in your vote.

Sincerely,

Carolyn and Lawrence A

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## YES on CB9

**Zee Beams** <zbeams@gmail.com>

Wed 2/1, 7:11 PM

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First, a definition:

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adjective

adjective: undocumented

1.

not recorded in or proved by documents.

2.

NORTH AMERICAN

not having the appropriate legal document or license.

"undocumented immigrants"

I write today to tell you why I support Howard County Council bill 9, also referred to as CB9. This is a bill that establishes Howard County as a sanctuary county, simply stating that law enforcement officials will not ask for citizenship or immigration information unless it is legally appropriate. It commits to preventing discrimination by Howard County employees based on citizenship or immigration status. This allows members of the community who need help to access police protection without fear. It creates opportunity for all our neighbors to acquire work without prejudice. It confirms that Howard County employees will always cooperate with federal, state, and local laws.

Like most Americans, I am the child of immigrants. My parents came here when America was desperately in need of doctors. In the 1970's, we didn't have enough physicians to care for sick Americans. Many doctors did not want to work in poor or rural areas. So scientists from around the world were invited to help. These highly trained professionals came here to help our forebears. And they came to love this country. My parents proudly carry an American passport. They always wear their American flag when they travel in airports. They work in the community to help poor, sick and less educated kids. He proudly participates in every election. He taught me to love this country, its laws, and customs, and our people. They taught me to dedicated my life to service and education, and like them, I have. They taught me to respect our American laws and appreciate our American life. I kept a copy of the constitution in my pocket for decades. We love America.

We love that anyone can come here and educate themselves, work hard, and make a life without the chains of prejudice, poverty, illness, lawlessness, military coups, or religious oppression. These are all a mundane part of every day life where my father was raised. He came here and we became free. And we love America.

I have family and friends and patients who have been "undocumented." It doesn't mean you forced your way in or you jumped on a boat with 300 other starving refugees. Sometimes it means you did everything you were supposed to, and then waited for the authorities to complete their tasks. It means that while you complete your training, you depend on fortune and friends to protect and believe in you. In this country, though, administrators in immigration and embassies produce results without bribes or coercion. Because simple acts like getting a new passport or driver's license happen without a dirty handshake, we love America.



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Maryland, nobody has ever knocked on my door to impose their religion on me. In fact, I'm welcomed by curious friends whenever religion is a topic. I belong to the American Ethical Union as a practicing Secular Humanist, I have friends and family of every religion, and we are not afraid of each other. We can think and love and practice our religions freely here, and that is why we love America.

We are called on now to stand for these American values: freedom of religion, freedom to work, and the opportunity to be treated as equals, and pursue our happiness. This requires respect for the law, and our legal tradition protects our neighbors in need with due process and equal protection under the law. We must protect our constitution, our American way of life, and our laws. These very laws protect all of us. They protect our freedoms, and thus our very way of life. This is why CB9 is sensible, important, and necessary.

I urge all Howard County residents and all our council members to support our American way of life by supporting CB9.

Zaneb K. Beams, MD. FAAP

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## Support for CB9-2017



Judy Canahuati <jcanahuati@theansible.net>

Wed 2/1, 7:25 PM

Kittleman, Allan; CouncilMail 



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CB9-2017

Dear Mr. Kittleman,

I would like to express my support for CB9-2017 to make Howard County a sanctuary county. The USG is proceeding in an extremely radical way against immigrants and expresses support for even more aggressive action. It is important for communities to stand up and say this is not America. I certainly agree that it is important that our community safety improve, but it is also important to remember that the majority of terrorist attacks after 2001 have been carried out by US citizens so that requiring local communities to provide information on community members doesn't increase our security.

Thank you very much. I hope you will support this measure.

*Judy Canahuati*

Judy Canahuati, MPhil.

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[Columbia, MD 21045](#)

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"The future is not some place we are going to, but one we are creating. The paths to it are not found but made, and the activity of making them changes both the maker and the destination." John Schaar


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RV 

Robin Vestal &lt;robinvestal@yahoo.com&gt;

Wed 2/1, 7:37 PM

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I beg and implore you to work for passage of sanctuary in Howard County. While we can't change federal laws we can take steps to let our neighbors live less fearfully and not worry that any chance encounter with police will lead to family separation. I don't think it's a proper role for our police to be put in the position of looking to decide if people living in our communities have proper federal documentation, our police are here to help ensure our community safety not to act as immigration officers for the federal government.

As I'm sure you are aware our immigration system is badly broken and leaves no route for many worthy and contributory neighbors to get proper documentation, let's not act to compound the problems but work to allow our community to be a safe place for everyone. Please help to pass the CB 9 bill.

Thank you,

Robin Vestal

8420 Savage Guilford Rd

Savage MD

20763



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## CB9-2017 -- Yes, yes YES!



Bec Hamadock <hamadock@gmail.com>

Wed 2/1, 7:46 PM

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Action Items



I am a resident of Howard County and I support making Howard a Sanctuary County.

I am appalled when I read some of the online comments from my so-called 'neighbors' in the county about immigrants generally and about immigrants in Howard County specifically. They may be trolling on-line, but they do NOT speak for all of us. Or even most of us. Most of us have more decency, as well as more common sense.

I've been a county resident nearly 30 years, and I have no desire to see "papers, please" become the law of the land. Please, remain a small bastion of sanity, and decency, in this currently insane country.

Rebecca Hamadock

Clarksville

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The old world is dying, and the new world struggles to be born.  
Now is the time of monsters. -- Antonio Gramsci

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JM 

Janelle McIntyre &lt;creamyjif6@gmail.com&gt;

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Hello, my name is Janelle McIntyre and I am a resident of Howard County and I support making Howard a sanctuary county.

I believe that my neighbors should never fear going to the police or any government employee.

I stand with Calvin Ball and Jen Terrasa in support of this bill.

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laub4 <laub4@verizon.net>

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Viteri-Lopez, Martin <martin.viterilopez@howardcc.edu>



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Hello my name is Martin Viteri. I am resident of Howard County and I support making Howard a Sanctuary County. I believe that my neighbors should never fear going to the police or any other government employee.

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## Howard County Sanctuary County



Verizon <gardnerrm@verizon.net>

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Hello, my name is Mary Gardner and I am a resident of Howard County and I support making Howard a sanctuary county.

I believe that my neighbors should never fear going to the police or any government employee.

I stand with Calvin Ball and Jen Terrasa in support of this bill

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Arantza Partearroyo <arantza\_p@hotmail.com>

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Hello, my name is Arantza Partearroyo and I am a resident of Howard County. This email is to let you know that I am a strong supporter of making our county a sanctuary one. Our neighbors should never have to fear not been treated with dignity.

Trust you will take the right decision for our community.

Best wishes

Arantza Partearroyo

Maple lawn - Fulton MD.

Arancha Rego sent from my Ipad


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## Council Bill 9





Richard A. Kohn <rkohn@umd.edu>

Wed 2/1, 9:53 PM

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County Executive Kittleman,

I am disappointed that you have chosen to associate yourself with Howard County Republicans who have waged a divisive and angry campaign against anyone who happens to not agree with the GOP position on Council Bill 9. At the national level as you are quite aware, the GOP has drummed up fear and racism to excite the base. It started with Trump and it is now backed by the mainstream Republicans who initially opposed him. Now, we find you are also joining the march. Certainly, if you don't disavow these people, and you haven't, we have to assume you support them. I have to say I am more afraid of what Trump will do than what he has already done – as bad as that is. We must stand up to him. Those who don't, in either political party, will need to be replaced in primary challenges and the next election. Specifically, what I find offensive is the stereotyping that all immigrants or undocumented are violent criminals and gang members etc. That they carry disease. That they don't contribute to society. They are lazy and using our resources. I know all of these to be false. Your party is also pushing the narrative that they are taking our jobs. Interesting, that they can be both taking our jobs and lazy at the same time!

Two parents complained that their kids didn't get into the University of Maryland (at least not initially) because their position was taken by undocumented students. I hear this a lot as a faculty member there. There are 113 Dreamers out of more than 40,000 students at the University of Maryland. It is difficult to get into the University, but really those who didn't were behind at least about 40,000 citizens and 113 undocumented, but the parents are focused on the undocumented. This is just one example of finding a scapegoat. The complaints about crime or terrorism are equally unbalanced. Statistics are thrown away if they don't support their view. They don't. There are examples of immigrants who commit crime. So arrest them and deport them. But statistics show they are less likely to be arrested than citizens, even if they are profiled in many places. As we learned from the terrorist attack in Canada this week, and many others over the years, white Christians, and Trump supporters are often terrorists. Do we say they can't live in our county? I hope not.

This county was a more peaceful place and we got along better before you became County Executive. Is it all your fault? Probably not. But you certainly haven't helped either, not when you seem to give tacit support for members of your party at the national and local level who have fomented anger to support your shared political vision. Even if you do not support CB-9, you should have disavowed yourself from these people.

You should support CB-9 because it would allow undocumented residents to call the police when they are in trouble, and to act as witnesses to crimes. This would make us safer. You can say, they should already feel that they can do this, but we hear the hatred expressed by your party, and we hear you say, you don't want to give them a false sense of security. That sends the message that they can't trust the police. Your opposition to this bill also sends that signal. This makes all of us less safe. As one person testified, gangs prey on immigrants. I don't think that is really an issue here, but if it were to happen, wouldn't you want the immigrants to report that activity to the police. Why wouldn't they? We need community policing where victims feel comfortable coming forward to the police.

Richard Kohn, Ph.D.  
5218 Wood Stove Lane  
Columbia MD 2104



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## Bill CB9-2017



Gary Styer &lt;g.styer@icloud.com&gt;

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Dear council members, I'm totally against the proposed bill. I'm a registered Democrat and will change party's if passed. The democrats have ruined this state enough already. Over developing our once beautiful state , so you can tax more people . Government is no longer for the people but a business. Your out to make as much money as you can at our expense . Hell maybe we should get rid of some of you.

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## Re: CB9: I Support



Sunmy Brown <s\_brown0304@yahoo.com>

Wed 2/1, 10:20 PM

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Greetings,

I'd like to share an article regarding how Sanctuary Counties statistically have lower crime rates and stronger economies as you consider voting For CB9:

<https://www.americanprogress.org/issues/immigration/reports/2017/01/26/297366/the-effects-of-sanctuary-policies-on-crime-and-the-economy/>

Best,

[Sunmy Brown](#)  
[Ellicott City, MD](#)

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On Feb 1, 2017, at 8:26 PM, Sunmy Brown <[s\\_brown0304@yahoo.com](mailto:s_brown0304@yahoo.com)> wrote:

Greetings,

I am a resident of Ellicott City in Howard County, Maryland. As I've been attending the public hearings, listening to public testimony regarding Council Bill 9, I support making Howard a sanctuary county.

I believe that my neighbors and I should never have to live in fear of police or any government employee due to immigration status or national origin. After reading through the CB9 legislation, I've come to understand that this bill symbolizes how we as a county, can stand up against the xenophobic rhetoric spreading throughout our nation during these unprecedented times. We live in such a dynamically diverse county and it would only make sense to pass CB9 giving the peace of mind to all residents and those who desire to live in this county to feel safe and welcome in Howard County.

I stand with Calvin Ball and Jen Terrasa in support of this bill.

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Best Regards,  
Sunmy Brown

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## AGAINST CB9-2017



Qinghua You <qhyou@yahoo.com>

Wed 2/1, 11:03 PM

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Dear County Council Members Mary Kay Sigaty, Jon Weinstein, Dr. Calvin Ball and Jan Terrasa:

I reside in Howard County. I am strongly AGAINST Howard County Sanctuary Bill CB9-2017. I implore you to vote NO on CB9-2017.

Sincerely,  
Qinghua You

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## Howard County Council should Vote YES on CB9-2017



Raymond Donaldson <rtdonaldson@gmail.com>

Thu 2/2, 12:03 AM

Kittleman Allan <akittleman@co.ho.md.us>; Kittleman, Allan; CouncilMail; +1 more 



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It distresses me that there seems to be so much opposition to Howard CB9-2017, I just do not understand it. I originally moved to Columbia in Howard County because of the vision of James Rouse. My guess is that there are now many people living in Howard who have no knowledge of Rouse's vision of a community for all people. The overwhelming majority of refugees who have come to America have fled from brutal oppression or brutalizing poverty. They have come here for **freedom**. They contribute enormously to American society and our economy. Through hard work they take on individual and social responsibility. They have earned not just recognition as Americans, but our **gratitude** as well for all they've contributed through hard work (often at low pay). The issue is **empathy** and **respect** for these refugees as human beings.

Ray Donaldson

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**From:** "'Leslie Salgado' <[cuba\\_is\\_hope@comcast.net](mailto:cuba_is_hope@comcast.net)> [HoCoPeaceAction]"  
<[HoCoPeaceAction@yahoogroups.com](mailto:HoCoPeaceAction@yahoogroups.com)>  
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**Reply-To:** [HoCoPeaceAction@yahoogroups.com](mailto:HoCoPeaceAction@yahoogroups.com)

Folks,

Please read the response from Councilman Ball, one of the authors of the bill that would make our County a sanctuary for undocumented immigrants. County Executive Kittleman needs to hear from us. His email is: at [AKittleman@howardcountymd.gov](mailto:AKittleman@howardcountymd.gov) Please send a copy to the Council at [councilmail@howardcountymd.gov](mailto:councilmail@howardcountymd.gov)

They need to hear from us!!

Leslie

PS They will vote on this bill on Monday, February 6<sup>th</sup>. If you don't live in Howard County, you can help us by passing the word.



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Date: 2017-01-31 13:06 GMT-05:00

Subject: RE: Vote YES to CB9-2017

To: Citlali M-a <[citlalimiranda@gmail.com](mailto:citlalimiranda@gmail.com)>

Cc: "Pruim, Kimberly" <[kpruim@howardcountymd.gov](mailto:kpruim@howardcountymd.gov)>

Good afternoon,

Thank you for your email in support of CB9.

I am honored and heartened to see the outpouring of support from and for our community. Especially in light of the most recent profiling incident in Bel Air coupled with President Trump's Executive Order placing a premature and dangerous immigrant travel ban, I know we must stand up and speak up. We are better than this. Inscribed on the Statue of Liberty are words that reflect the true fabric of America and reinforce that we have always been a nation built upon immigrants. "Give me your tired, your poor, your huddled masses yearning to breathe free, the wretched refuse of your teeming shore. Send these, the homeless, tempest-tossed to me, I lift my lamp beside the golden door!"

We will continue in our journey and I thank you for your unwavering support in this venture.

In fact, during the entirety of my nearly eleven years on the County Council, Howard County has been an exemplar of what it means to strive for excellence and our hard work has paid off. We have some of the best schools, parks and pathways, and remained champions for our environment. We also pride ourselves on establishing a sense of community and in preserving it. I believe we should look out for one another and ensure that we can all enjoy the best quality of life possible.

Our advocacy and support for our causes knows no bounds. We were one of the first jurisdictions to recognize the dangerous health effects of second-hand smoke and took the necessary steps to ban smoking inside bars and restaurants. We adopted a plan to provide affordable health care before the federal government passed the Affordable Care Act. We coined "Choose Civility" and now that message echoes across this great nation. In Howard County, we are proactive in establishing policies that have made us the best in what we do and protecting everyone.

CB 9-2017 is our chance to take another positive approach and be a leader for civil and human rights. It allows us to stand up for our undocumented brothers and sisters once again striving to do what's right. Striving to be the best at ensuring Howard County is a safe and welcoming place for all to live, learn, work, play and worship.

I introduced this legislation along with my co-sponsor Jen Terrasa because I knew there was still work to be done ensuring a more fair and just society for all. We can and must do better if we want to continue considering ourselves the "best". No one in Howard County should have to live in the shadows just because of their immigration status. We all deserve to live in communities that are safe and free from crime. There is room at our table for all our families, regardless of where you are from or the path that led you to Howard County. Together, we can continue our legacy of promoting Howard County as a cultural and economic hub that infuses energy and life into our neighborhoods.

We don't know what the next four years will bring, but we know for certain it will mean tough times for those CB9 is intended to protect. We cannot allow Howard County to stay silent while others suffer – We must be their voice.

So you can continue to following along, I would like to apprise you of important upcoming dates. The deadline for Councilmembers to submit amendments for is this Thursday, February 2nd at 2pm. They will then be posted online here: <https://apps.howardcountymd.gov/olis/LegislationDetail.aspx?>

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While I'm disappointed that the County Executive has taken a stance to veto this legislation; especially so soon after it was filed to not even hear from our Howard County voices – residents like yourself, I still remain hopeful that he will take our lead. Therefore, I encourage you to make your voice known to the County Executive that Howard County is better than this – that we embrace our diversity and want all of our residents to feel safe. Now is our time to unite and celebrate all those who live among us... embracing the diversity that we have always held dear. You can email the Executive Kittleman at [AKittleman@howardcountymd.gov](mailto:AKittleman@howardcountymd.gov). Please continue to copy the Council at [councilmail@howardcountymd.gov](mailto:councilmail@howardcountymd.gov) so we can stay informed of your outreach.

While the fight is far from over and although we have tough days ahead, I stand resolute in knowing Howard County's best days are in front of us and this fight will be worth the work. Thank you for joining me in this cause and I applaud your courage in standing alongside of me and Councilwoman Terrasa and doing what is right even in the face of adversity.

All the best,

Dr. Calvin Ball  
Vice Chair  
Howard County Council, District 2  
Ph: [410-313-2001](tel:410-313-2001)

[www.howardcountymd.gov/District2Bio](http://www.howardcountymd.gov/District2Bio)

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**Sent:** Monday, January 30, 2017 8:57 AM  
**To:** CouncilMail <[CouncilMail@howardcountymd.gov](mailto:CouncilMail@howardcountymd.gov)>  
**Subject:** Vote YES to CB9-2017

Hello,

My name is Citlali Miranda. I am a resident of Howard County and I support making Howard a Sanctuary County. I believe that my neighbors should never fear going to the police or any other government employee.

Howard County is diverse and everyone in the county deserves to be treated fairly, no matter their immigration status. Council Bill 9-2017 promotes public safety, protects the constitutional rights to due process and privacy of immigrants and is simply giving legal force to a policy that Howard County police have been following for years. I support the United States Constitution, I support Howard County's immigrant community, I support Council Bill 9-2017.

Please vote YES on Council Bill 9-2017.

Sincerely,  
Citlali Miranda



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Howard County Council should Vote YES on CB9-2017

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## CB9-2017



Ann Coren &lt;anncoren@hotmail.com&gt;

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Please vote YES on Council Bill 9-2017.

Sincerely,

Ann Coren

Columbia, MD

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## Support for CB-9



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Gary Yoshioka <garyyoshioka@hotmail.com>

Thu 2/2, 5:49 AM

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I am a resident of Columbia and strongly support designation of Howard County as a Sanctuary county.

Gary Yoshioka

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## The impact on legal immigration



David Ager <dager@town-scape.com>

Thu 2/2, 6:56 AM

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The Road to Citizenship....   
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Dear Councilmembers, I have tried to put into words the mess you call CB9, and you could write a book. However, sometimes pictures can convey what words can't, so I took to a few cartoons to try and illustrate my thoughts.

Dave Ager

[5044 Jericho Road](#)

[Columbia MD 21044](#)

301.704.4404



## Howard County

*"That shining sanctuary county on a hill"*

Man, this bus is taking forever

I know but its the right way

The Legal Route



I don't think this is the right way

Don't worry, this bus will get us there faster, those chumps will have to wait for us

The CB9 Route



and no citizenship required!

# *The Road to Citizenship*

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akittleman@howardcountymd.gov


SR 

Stacy Rey <thereyfam@gmail.com>

Thu 2/2, 7:26 AM

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Hello, my name is Stacy Rey and I am a resident of Howard County and I support making Howard a sanctuary county.

I believe that my neighbors should never fear going to the police or any government employee.

I stand with Calvin Ball and Jen Terrasa in support of this bill.

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## Vote yes to CB-9



Leah Roberts <leah.roberts.111@gmail.com>

Thu 2/2, 7:31 AM

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Hello Council Members,

Thank you for taking the time to read this.

My name is Leah Roberts and I am a senior at Oakland Mills High. I'm asking you to vote yes to CB-9. Listening to the hearing, it seemed there was a lot of worry about illegal immigrants lowering our test scores, harming our education, and taking resources away. The following are my thoughts on that.

I am currently taking Spanish 5 AP, where there are 10 Hispanic students and 3 nonhispanic. For all I know, everyone in my class is a documented immigrant/citizen. But I don't know because frankly that is not something that I go around asking people. But if they are undocumented immigrants, I would want them to feel safe and protected and wanted.

When the class first began, I was a little intimidated. Everyone was joking around in Spanish and I had no clue what they were saying or laughing at. But now we have gotten very close and I see how much I have benefited from them. If anything, they help my education, not harm it. They help fix my grammar when I'm mistaking; they translate vocabulary if I don't understand; I get to hear complex conversations with them in Spanish. The AP class is also heavily emphasized on Hispanic culture-- my classmates are primary sources from all different Latin American countries who are excited to teach us about their culture. They teach me things you can't find in a textbook. Everyday even my teacher learns from them about what it's like living in a country and how the language differs in each locality.

If you only care about the point of view of a white American citizen, born and bred in Howard County, then that's my argument to pass CB-9. But I urge you to think of immigrants as people, not "illegals," or statistics, or criminals, or problems. There is too much dehumanization occurring across the country. I hope you ran for office because you truly want to educate students and make the county as great as it can be, with diversity celebrated. Do the right thing and vote green.

Thank you,

Leah Roberts

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## Fwd: Veto of Sanctuary



Laura Lee Cox <volkmannhomerepair@gmail.com>

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From: **Laura Lee Cox** <[volkmannhomerepair@gmail.com](mailto:volkmannhomerepair@gmail.com)>

Date: Thu, Feb 2, 2017 at 7:44 AM

Subject: Re: Veto of Sanctuary

To: [AKittleman@howardcountymd.gov](mailto:AKittleman@howardcountymd.gov)

Dear Mr. Kittleman,

As a member of UUCC, the church your family helped establish, I am astonished despite the (r) behind your name, that you would veto sanctuary status for Howard Co. at this point in our history. I believe a veto of this legislation will leave a stain on your political career for the rest of your life and that stain will not be yours alone but the Kittleman name in Howard Co. and Maryland will not stand for anything but cowardice anymore. Those are very harsh words appropriate to the moment.

You sir are on the wrong side of history. The exposure for Howard Co. to federal reduction in our budget is minimal but the exposure of so many of our varied residents is not. So many people in Howard Co. are immigrants, moslems, permanent residents with citizenship in an other country and my God the number of green carded folks in this country is astounding. How about you stand up for the people who live here instead of reflexively behaving like a careless heartless indifferent republican.

I know you learned something at UUCC and that something was not to turn your back on the suffering of refugees thrown out of their own countries and lives through no fault of their own.

You say that nothing will change legally and the all of the legal protections are in order in Howard Co. so why do this?

WHY DO THIS? TO TELL THE WORLD, WE IN HOWARD CO MD, ARE NOT HATFUL BIGOTS AND PUBLICLY SUPPORT HOWARD COUNTY CITIZENS AT RISK OF THE FEDERAL AUTHORITIES.

I beg you to reconsider this decision for the sake of the county, country and frankly for your own sake - this veto will turn you into political roadkill. A veto is hate filled - this is not about money it's about taking a stand when stand needs taking.

**If not you who?**  
**If not now when? - Primo Levi**

Very Sincerely,

Laura Lee Cox

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I am strongly AGAINST Howard County Sanctuary Bill CB9-2017.

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Pei-I Chu <pchu.bw.nj@gmail.com>

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Dear County Council Members Mary Kay Sigaty, Jon Weinstein, Dr. Calvin Ball and Jan Terrasa:

I reside in Howard County. I am strongly AGAINST Howard County Sanctuary Bill CB9-2017. I implore you to vote NO on CB9-2017.

Sincerely,

My Name: Peggy Chu

My Address : [5853 Indian Summer Drive, Clarksville, MD, 21029](#)

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## Sanctuary County



Bill Holt &lt;holtw1a@gmail.com&gt;

Thu 2/2, 9:38 AM

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To the council:

Please pass this. **CB9-2017**. It matters. We have to do whatever we can to protect the people that live here and to undo the damage our current president is doing. Thank you.

Sincerely,  
Jennifer Holt


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Re: CB9 - 2017



Nurjahan Uddin &lt;bnurjahan@hotmail.com&gt;

Thu 2/2, 9:41 AM

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Hello Mr. Kittleman,

I wanted to let you know that we support the good cause of CB 9- 2017 will bring civil and human rights. It does not matter where you are in the world or where you are from and religion individuals practice are the basic human rights given by GOD. It is unfortunate, that currently we see so many countries are taking actions that are taking away basic human rights to leave peacefully with oppressed leaders that does not respect human beings as people. As you can see not all fingers are same size but supports you in picking up a glass to drink water. Same applies to people who are from different races, color and sizes created by GOD to learn from one another, respect one another and be together to support good and avoid evil. Instead of being political, please support what your heart yawns for choosing "right" instead of "wrong".

Thanks,  
Nurjahan Uddin

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## I support CB9-2017



Justine <justinegarrett@gmail.com>

Thu 2/2, 9:50 AM

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Justine <justinegarrett@gmail.com>

Thu 2/2, 9:50 AM

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JustineGarrett

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AS

Alexis Soto <lexsoto@gmail.com>

Thu 2/2, 9:50 AM

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Greetings,

I am a voting resident of Ellicott City, Howard County. I am writing in support of making Howard a sanctuary county.

I stand with Calvin Ball and Jen Terrasa in support of this bill.

I hope you will also support this bill on February 6th.

Alexis Soto



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Sanctuary County


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## Sanctuary County

LM 

Linda McIvor <llm5210@icloud.com>

Thu 2/2, 9:53 AM

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CB9-2017

Hello, my name is Linda McIvor. The United States is a country of immigrants and our diversity makes us stronger. I am a resident of Howard County and I support making Howard County a Sanctuary County. I believe that my neighbors should never fear going to the police or any other government employee. Do not be intimidated by those who threaten our American values of welcoming immigrants.

Regards,

Linda McIvor

8377 Grove Angle Rd.  
Ellicott City, MD 21043

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## Support for Sanctuary



Stephanie <[sgurwitz1@verizon.net](mailto:sgurwitz1@verizon.net)>

Thu 2/2, 10:29 AM

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Immigration and refugee rescue is one of the most central values of our American democracy. I just took a group of students to the Holocaust Museum. Afterwards we talked about the lessons learned. The students had a hard time grasping the concept that the world's doors were closed to Jewish refugees. That Hitler in the beginning allowed them to leave, he wanted Germany to be Judenfrei - Jew free. He resulted to the Final Solution of killing Jews after his theory that no one cared about Jews or wanted them was confirmed through the Evian Conference when the world's countries including the United States refused to open their doors. Whether we look at the Evian conference or the plight of the S.S. St. Louis we see what happens when countries and people do not step up. There is no real point in remembering the Holocaust if we do not learn lessons from it now.

At the Holocaust Museum there is an exhibit From Memory to Action. Currently that exhibit includes a video about Syrian refugees and a live stream to a cafe in the Middle East where visitors in DC can speak with refugees directly.

I strongly support the sanctuary bill and ask you to do the same.

Stephanie Gurwitz Zurier  
[6246 Deep River Canyon](#)  
[Columbia, MD 21045](#)  
[443-414-3510](#)


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## Vote Yes on CB9



Alex Barr <alex.m.barr@gmail.com>

Thu 2/2, 10:56 AM

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Councilman Kittleman,

I am writing you in support of Council Bill 9. As a professor at Howard Community College I greatly value the diversity of our students, staff, and faculty. Having previously taught at the much less diverse University of Texas, I can personally attest to the value of a diverse campus. In my four years as full time faculty at HCC I have learned a great deal from my students and colleagues with backgrounds different from my own. Not once when I was learning from my students or my colleagues have I thought 'Someone should check their immigration status.' A diverse student body and a diverse community where students and residents are focused on learning and contributing rather than looking over their shoulder is to EVERYONE'S benefit.

I know you have quoted Trump's vow to withhold funding from 'sanctuary cities' as your reason for opposing this bill. I find that argument unacceptable. There are going to be many times in the coming years when Trump threatens or acts against the best interest of our country and our community. We need local leaders with the strength and values to stand up to Trump and do what is right. I hope that on Monday you will show yourself to be one of those leaders.

Thank you for your time,

Alex Barr

Assistant Professor of Physics at Howard Community College  
Member of Indivisible HoCo Maryland


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## CB 9-2017

AB 

Adila Baig &lt;adilabaig@gmail.com&gt;

Thu 2/2, 11:09 AM

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CB9-2017

Dear County Executive &amp; Members of the County Council,

I am a resident of Howard County, I support the United States Constitution, and I support making Howard County a Sanctuary County. I believe that my neighbors should never fear going to the police or any other government employee.

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Sincerely,

**Adila Baig**[2979 Poland Springs Drive](#)[Ellicott City 21042](#)

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## AGAINST CB9-2017



fang hu <fanghuluck@yahoo.com>

Thu 2/2, 11:16 AM

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CB9-2017

Dear County Council Members,

I reside in Howard County. I am AGAINST Howard County Sanctuary Bill CB9-2017. I implore you to vote NO on CB9-2017.

My name: Fang Hu

My address: [6109 Swift Current Way, Clarksville, MD, 21029](#)

Thank you so much!

Fang

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## Support of Sanctuary County Status



Michelle Covington <michellemcovington@gmail.com>

Thu 2/2, 11:18 AM

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Dear Councilpersons,

My name is Michelle Covington and I live in Columbia, Howard County.

I support CB-9, and feel that our neighbors should never be afraid to approach the government or police, for fear of reprisal.

Thank you,

Michelle Covington

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## AGAINST CB9-2017



zhang jun <zj1968@yahoo.com>

Thu 2/2, 11:19 AM

CouncilMail; Jweinstein@HowardCountyMD.gov 



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CB9-2017

Dear County Council Members,

I reside in Howard County. I am AGAINST Howard County Sanctuary Bill CB9-2017. I implore you to vote NO on CB9-2017.

My name: Jun Zhang

My address: [6109 Swift Current Way, Clarksville, MD, 21029](#)

Thank you so much!

Jun



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AM 

Arif Mannan &lt;arifmannan@gmail.com&gt;

Thu 2/2, 11:22 AM

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CB9-2017

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Sincerely,

**Arif Mannan****Your Address**[10384 Kingsbridge road](#)[Ellicott city, MD 21042](#)

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Sanctuary

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## Sanctuary



HR

Helen Ruther <Heruther@hotmail.com>

Thu 2/2, 11:24 AM

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CB9-2017

Dear Alan,

I urge you not to veto the sanctuary bill when it is passed by the Council. This is a time for people to stand up courageously and be counted when it comes to maintaining the ideal of inclusiveness and civility that your father always stood for and we've always prided ourselves on here in Howard County.

Helen Ruther

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## Bill 9-2017



Zubair Mohamed &lt;imzubair@aol.com&gt;

Thu 2/2, 11:31 AM

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CB9-2017

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Sincerely,

**Zubair Mohamed****11548 Manorstone Lane  
Columbia MD 21044**

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## FW: Vote No on CB9 - Montgomery County impact on schools as comparison

WJ

Weinstein, Jon

Thu 2/2, 12:15 PM

Sayers, Margery ✕

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For the legislative file

**From:** jtrocher@verizon.net [mailto:jtrocher@verizon.net]

**Sent:** Thursday, February 02, 2017 11:55 AM

**To:** Weinstein, Jon <jweinstein@howardcountymd.gov>; Ball, Calvin B <cball@howardcountymd.gov>; Terrasa, Jen <jterrasa@howardcountymd.gov>; Sigaty, Mary Kay <mksigaty@howardcountymd.gov>; Fox, Greg <gfox@howardcountymd.gov>

**Cc:** Kittleman, Allan <AKittleman@howardcountymd.gov>

**Subject:** Vote No on CB9 - Montgomery County impact on schools as comparison

Yesterday I sent you all a note asking about any research done on budgetary and infrastructure impacts as a result of immigrant influx and CB9. I mentioned that approximately 2600 students are in the ESOL program in HC schools. This is a 30% increase since 2010 and a 11.3% increase since 2015.

Here are Montgomery County statistics for their schools under Sanctuary County codification:

- The 2017 school budget was hiked 8.7%
- School system had to negate negotiated 8% teacher raises and offered instead 4.5% because of budget constraints
- In Montgomery County, ESOL grew from 15,931 in 2010 to 22,600 in 2016, increase of 42%. About 15% of MC students are ESOL and county will spend \$412 million in 2017, about \$142 million more, or +53% than 2010.
- Overall student achievement for ESOL is slow and pulling down overall rankings
- Maryland overall is projected to hire 492 additional ESOL certified teachers at a cost of \$31.2 million, or \$3,400 per teacher.

Has the Howard County Council and School Board planned for similar impacts?

Oh, one last statistic.....Montgomery County, like Howard County used to be listed as one of the four most prosperous counties in the US. It has since dropped out.....will this also happen to Howard County

Vote No to CB9!

Sincerely,

John and Joyce Trocher  
2918 Excelsior Springs Ct  
Ellicott City, MD 21042

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## My support for HoCo to be a sanctuary county.



Alice St Germain-Gray <beadlady@me.com>

Thu 2/2, 12:17 PM

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I am Howard County resident. I live in Ellicott City.

I would like Howard County to be designated sanctuary county. I believe that my neighbors should never fear going to the police or any other government employee for support.

Alice Gray

Sent from Alice's mobile



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 **decentdoc2006@yahoo.com**  
Thu 2/2, 1:05 PM  
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Dear council officers,  
I ask to please vote yes to support the above bill and make Howard county a sanctuary county

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RD 

rebecca dickerson &lt;rdd7@verizon.net&gt;

Thu 2/2, 1:26 PM

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To the Above:

As a resident of Howard County for 40 years, it is my desire that as our representatives you would vote AGAINST CB09-2017 and not allow Howard County to become a Sanctuary County. I am a supporter of all people who want to go through the LEGAL process to enter the United States and have had to go through the process myself. I know that it does take patience and perseverance; however, anything worthwhile, is worthwhile pursuing through the proper channels as most of our legal immigrants will give testimony to.

Thank you for supporting the residents and VOTING AGAINST A SANCTUARY COUNTY.

Respectfully,

Rebecca D. Dickerson  
Columbia, MD 21044



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## Support for CB 9

RM 

Rick Miller &lt;bluemax57@live.com&gt;

Thu 2/2, 1:30 PM

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Dear Council Members,

My name is Ellery Miller and I am a resident of Howard County. I have lived in Howard County for over forty years and I vote in every election. I support making Howard a Sanctuary County. I believe that my neighbors should never fear going to the police or any other Howard County government employee. I believe our safety and security will be enhanced by passage of this bill. When we drive people into the shadows, they refuse to report, communicate or become involved. Hundreds of other communities have chosen to become Sanctuary sites. While this vote may have minimal impact on the lives of the majority of Howard County residents, it will have a major impact on who we are as a county and what kind of council we have representing us!

*Our lives begin to end the day we become silent about things that matter.*  
*Martin Luther King, Jr.*

Sincerely yours,

Ellery M. "Rick" Miller, Jr.

[5647 Vantage Point Road](#)  
[Columbia, MD 21044](#)

410.952.2604

[bluemax57@live.com](mailto:bluemax57@live.com)




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AM  


Akbar Masood &lt;akbarmasooddds@gmail.com&gt;

Thu 2/2, 1:37 PM

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CB9-2017

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Sincerely,

**Akbar Masood**[6621 Towering Oak Path](#)[Columbia, MD 21044](#)

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Akbar Masood, DDS

Fellow, Academy of General Dentistry

[masooddental.com](http://masooddental.com)

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## Make Howard County a Sanctuary!



Jessica Feltner <jessica.e.feltner@gmail.com>

Thu 2/2, 1:44 PM

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Hi,

My name is Jessica Feltner and I live and work in Howard County. I would like Executive Kittleman to NOT veto making Howard County a sanctuary county. I have worked several different jobs in Howard County, particularly at the Mall in Columbia. Many of my coworkers are tax paying immigrants, they work hard to serve the better off residents of Howard County. Vetoing CB9 would be a betrayal of their hard work and trust. I do not want to see my coworkers or family be subject to police profiling or other forms of targeting. Moreover, no one should be afraid of approaching a government official or police officer.

Please do not stand in the way of a bill that would protect ALL of our residents.

Best,  
Jessica Feltner

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## I support CB9-2017




Carl Uhrmacher <cuhrmacher@gmail.com>

Thu 2/2, 2:01 PM

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We have lived in Howard County for nearly 50 years. We are children and grandchildren of immigrants with whom we grew up. We raised three sons here.

As a resident, parent, engineer and businessman, I have viewed the diverse population of the county as an asset. We also adopted children from another country. As a family we enjoyed neighbors from other countries; Our sons made friends with children from other cultures which furnished them a broader worldview than we were able to provide. As volunteers for FIRM we taught English and American culture to recent immigrants.

The immigrants I have known came to the United States for diverse reasons. They wanted to escape poverty, civil strife, and class divisions. They sought economic opportunity, education for their children, and stability. Immigrants I have known worked hard here. Those who had been white collar workers in their home countries took blue collar jobs. None of the immigrants I grew up with and have known have engaged in criminal activity.

As a taxpayer, I object to tasking our police, sheriff's deputies, corrections department and courts with additional labor determining U.S. citizenship.

For these and other reasons too voluminous to mention here, I enthusiastically support CB9-217.

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CB-9



Colleen Palmateer <colleen@newspirityoga.com>

Thu 2/2, 2:03 PM

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CB9-2017

I'm a Howard County resident, and am writing to express my opposition to Howard becoming a sanctuary city. Please vote no to CB-9!

Colleen Palmateer  
Yoga Teacher, E-RYT-500  
410-371-5059  
[www.newspirityoga.com](http://www.newspirityoga.com)


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## Support CB9



katherine wolf <kwolf1@gmail.com>

Thu 2/2, 2:04 PM

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Dear Mr. Kittleman,

I have learned that you intend to veto CB9 and therefore ask that you reconsider this decision.

CB9 will help assure a nonthreatening living environment for all Howard County residents, regardless of immigration status. As I stated in a message to the council at large, the bill bars Howard County public servants from asking about immigrant status unless a person is suspected of a crime. This inaction does not encourage criminal behavior and lawlessness. It simply allows all residents to go about their daily lives without the worry of possible deportation.

We the people must be pro-active in taking steps to protect all residents of Howard County by holding each level of government accountable to the Constitution and to the humanitarian values the Statue of Liberty represents.

Sincerely,

Mary Katherine Wolf  
[4040 St Johns Ln](#)  
[Ellicott City MD 21042](#)  
303.875.6138

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CB-9 -- NO!

SP 

Scott Palmateer <spx-spx@hotmail.com>

Thu 2/2, 2:09 PM

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CB9-2017

Dear Howard County Council,

I am a Howard County resident, and am writing to express my strong opposition to Howard County becoming a sanctuary county. We cannot have local jurisdictions simply deciding not to uphold federal law; that is a recipe for anarchy. I wonder if supporters of this bill would support, say, Howard County disregarding ObamaCare. Probably not, and rightfully so.

Please vote no to CB-9!

Scott Palmateer

[4611 Isaac Drive](#)

[Ellicott City, MD 21043](#)




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## Howard County Council should Vote YES on CB9-2017



evandstevebuff <evandstevebuff@verizon.net>

Thu 2/2, 2:12 PM

Kittleman Allan <akittleman@co.ho.md.us>; Kittleman, Allan; CouncilMail; +1 more 



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To: Allan H. Kittleman  
County Executive, Howard County, MD

Dear Mr. Kittleman,

I find it hard to improve upon the fine letter in support of CB9-2017 from my friend and colleague Ray Donaldson (below.) I wish to also support this bill. We must remember that refugees are made homeless and torn from their countries by the barbaric and random events of war. We of Howard County, who have so much, can we not empathize and reach out to those families who have so little, to help repair lives that have been totally uprooted? Will we help ameliorate the cruelty of war, albeit in a small way, or will we confirm such cruelty? A long, noble, American tradition of laws and humanitarian action, stemming from World War II, helped alleviate such hardship on a significant scale. It is up to us, as Americans, and as citizens of both Howard County and of the world, to do the same.

Respectfully yours,

Stephen A. Buff, Ph.D.  
Coordinator,  
Howard County Peace Action

----- Original message -----

From: "Raymond Donaldson [rtdonaldson@gmail.com](mailto:rtdonaldson@gmail.com) [HoCoPeaceAction]"

<[HoCoPeaceAction@yahoogroups.com](mailto:HoCoPeaceAction@yahoogroups.com)>

Date: 2/2/17 12:02 AM (GMT-05:00)

To: Kittleman Allan

<[akittleman@co.ho.md.us](mailto:akittleman@co.ho.md.us)>, [AKittleman@howardcountymd.gov](mailto:AKittleman@howardcountymd.gov), [councilmail@howardcountymd.gov](mailto:councilmail@howardcountymd.gov)

Cc: HoCoPeaceAction <[HoCoPeaceAction@yahoogroups.com](mailto:HoCoPeaceAction@yahoogroups.com)>

Subject: [HoCoPeaceAction] Howard County Council should Vote YES on CB9-2017 [3 Attachments]

It distresses me that there seems to be so much opposition to Howard CB9-2017, I just do not understand it. I originally moved to Columbia in Howard County because of the vision of James Rouse. My guess is that there are now many people living in Howard who have no knowledge of Rouse's vision of a community for all people. The overwhelming majority of refugees who have come to America have

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social responsibility. They have earned not just recognition as Americans, but our **gratitude** as well for all they've contributed through hard work (often at low pay). The issue is **empathy** and **respect** for these refugees as human beings.

Ray Donaldson




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## Council Bill 9-2017



Judith Schneider <schneide@umbc.edu>

Thu 2/2, 2:12 PM

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Dear County Executive Kittleman,

I am writing to request that you support Council Bill 9-2017. I have been a resident of 21042 for the past 30 years. I moved to Howard County because of the inclusive family and educational values for which its citizens are known.

Everyone in the county deserves to be treated fairly, no matter their immigration status. Council Bill 9-2017 promotes public safety, protects the constitutional rights to due process and privacy of immigrants, and is simply giving legal force to a policy that Howard County police have been following for years.

I believe that protecting the civil rights and liberties of all Howard County residents, including vulnerable noncitizen residents, should be a top priority. Noncitizen residents of Howard County are making important contributions to the quality of life in the community and deserve our humanitarian protection.

Please lend your support to Council Bill 9-2017.

Yours sincerely,  
Judith M. Schneider

2/5/2017

NO to Sanctuaries in HOCO

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## NO to Sanctuaries in HOCO



Matt Anderson <matthew.andersonsc@gmail.com>

Thu 2/2, 2:34 PM

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Dear Howard County Council,

I am a Howard County resident and am in opposition to Howard County becoming a sanctuary county. Please consider very strongly before inviting this type of action as who know then what is to follow.

Thank you,

Matt Anderson  
843.217.1400

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## When something is unjust...speak up



Sarah Malik <sarahmalik4@gmail.com>

Thu 2/2, 2:46 PM

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Dear County Executive Kittleman,

In 2015, my daughter won the Women's History Month Student Essay Contest for 2015. The attached picture shows her with you after she was presented the award.

She wrote in her essay, "When something is unjust, women are the ones who speak up, even when no one hears them."

I am proud of her winning the competition, but I am even more proud of what she wrote. That we need to speak up against injustice.

I humbly request, County Executive Kittleman, that you do the same at this critical point in American history. When you see an injustice, please speak up. **Please do not veto CB9.** I believe that, in your heart, you know President Trump's Executive Orders are unjust.

Please do what is right for American values, Muslim values, Christian values, and human values.

"...show kindness to parents, and to kindred, and orphans, and the needy, and to the neighbour that is a kinsman and the neighbour that is a stranger, and the companion by *your* side, and the wayfarer, and those whom your right hands possess. Surely, Allah [God] loves not the proud *and* the boastful." (The Holy Quran, Ch 4, verse 37)

***Matthew 25:35 "For I was hungry and you gave me food, I was thirsty and you gave me drink, I was a stranger and you welcomed me."***

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Highland, Maryland

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## AGAINST CB-9



Kelly <chickcop11@gmail.com>

Thu 2/2, 2:50 PM

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CB9-2017

Kelly Tibbs

[7839 Marioak Drive](#)

[Elkridge, MD 21075](#)

I am against CB9-2017.

I am against any amendments to this bill or attempts to rename it or modify it in any way.

The Bill needs to be voted down PERIOD!

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"As you grow older, you will discover that you have two hands, one for helping yourself, the other for helping others." ~ Audrey Hepburn

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## Against CB9

LC 

Louise & Dave Carlson <dacarls4@gmail.com>

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## Support CB9 for Howard County



Michelle Covington <michellemcovington@gmail.com>

Thu 2/2, 3:20 PM

Kittleman, Allan; CouncilMail 



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CB9-2017

Hello Mr. Kittleman,

I am disappointed to discover that you have pledged to veto CB 9-2017.

I am a long-time resident of Columbia in Howard County and feel that your veto does not represent the kind and diverse population that chooses to call Howard County home. You are ignoring the fact that we embrace our diversity and are stronger together BECAUSE of it, not despite it.

Thank you,  
Michelle Covington

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Ellen Sowry &lt;ellenbsowry@yahoo.com&gt;

Thu 2/2, 3:31 PM

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CB9-2017

Dear County Council Members-

I am writing to express my support for CB9 and to ask you to please do the same. One of the main reasons that my family moved to Howard County almost 8 years ago was because of its progressive nature and diverse community. We built a home in Dayton and our children started at Dayton Oaks Elementary School a year later. We now have 3 children in grades 5, 3, and Kindergarten. Over the years at Dayton Oaks we have watched the diversity of the community expand and seen how beneficial this has been for all of our children. During this challenging time, when the national election did not turn out as I had hoped and it seemed that hate was being expressed more openly throughout the country, I took comfort in volunteering in my daughter's Kindergarten class and seeing children of such diverse races, ethnicities, religions, and country of origin playing and learning together without even realizing how special it was. I was volunteering when the principal made the statement on the morning announcements that came from HCPSS central offices about all students being welcome and safe at our schools. That is what Howard County is about. That is why our community thrives, and that is why I am asking all of you to support CB9 next week!

Thank you for your service and for your time and consideration-

Ellen Sowry

[5008 Green Bridge Rd](#)  
[Dayton, MD 21036](#)



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## Support for Council Bill 9



JL Jessica Leedy <jessica.leedy@gmail.com>

Wed 2/1, 4:22 PM

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Good evening,

I am emailing to express my desire for the council members to support Bill 9 to make Howard County a sanctuary. HoCo is known for being a safe and progressive county in MD, which are the reasons I choose to live here. I believe this bill would help make it safe for EVERYONE, regardless of immigration status. Please help keep HoCo the melting pot that the United States was created to be.

Thank you,

Jessica Leedy

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## Sanctuary County Bill

SR

samia riaz &lt;samia1192000@yahoo.com&gt;

Thu 2/2, 4:24 PM

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CB9-2017

Dear County Executive & Members of the County Council,

I am a resident of Howard County, I support the United States Constitution, and I support making Howard County a Sanctuary County. I believe that my neighbors should never fear going to the police or any other government employee.

Howard County is diverse county, and everyone in the county deserves to be treated fairly, irrespective of their ethnicity, race, faith, or immigration status. Our County has been known and respected for its diversity and respect for the rights of all its residents. Let's continue to be in the lead against any type of stereotyping or discrimination. I believe that protecting the civil rights and liberties of all Howard County residents should be a top priority. I appreciate the efforts made by the County Executive with programs like OneHoward; I believe CB 9-2017 would strengthen these programs and build trust between its citizens and local law enforcement agencies. Council Bill 9-2017 promotes public safety, protects the constitutional rights to due process and privacy of its residents including immigrants. It simply gives legal force to a policy that Howard County police have been following for years.

As I am sure you are aware, there is a lot of fear of government officials, in particular the police because of the recent revival of racism, xenophobia and hate in our country. I know that many immigrants, especially those that have been targeted because of their darker skin or their indigenous looks have suffered from discriminatory practices. Now is the time to reduce that fear by adopting Council Bill 9-2017.

Sincerely,

Samia Riaz

11629 Quarterfield Drive  
Ellicott City, MD 21042

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## Support for CB 9-2017



AS 

Alyson Schuster <aschus1@yahoo.com>

Thu 2/2, 5:02 PM

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I am writing to say that I am supportive of CB 9-2017.

This is Howard County and I believe we are a community of immense diversity and that we need to ensure all residents feel safe. We are also a county with great resources that has the ability to stand up to protect all residents.

I hope you will reconsider supporting this legislation.

Sincerely,

Alyson Schuster

[11041 Wood Elves Way](#)  
[Columbia, MD 21044](#)

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DeNise Jordan <denisesjordan@live.com>

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**Sent:** Tuesday, January 31, 2017 11:13:39 PM

**To:** jweller123@comcast.net

**Subject:** PATH I kind of wanted you to look over this prior to my sending it. Is it too political?

Dear Councilwoman Jen Terrasa and Councilman Calvin Ball,

Regarding CB-9

After a long Homeric odyssey with monsters at every turn, fear-mongering, indications and warnings, slogging through confrontation after confrontation to the next fission of fear, appeals to our worst instincts and greatest fears, with special attention paid to those who value instinct over logic, and emotion over intellect, we have arrived at a new and depressing terrain.

Since the election, I have felt dispassionate and unmoored. Until now! I've grown weary of the lying, the bullying, the executive action to expand the US-Mexican border wall, threats of funding cuts for sanctuary cities, the dangerous rhetoric and pandering regarding deportation and now the Muslim ban. Trump and his goons stink of Western conceit, and they are hopelessly mired in mind sets, biases and other impediments to critical or original thinking., and what they are doing IS "mean-spirited, un-American," and forged in hate and intolerance.

I was flailing about, wanting to do something, ANYTHING good, altruistic, kind, to help this country find its conscience. My friend invited me to the PATH meeting at Wilde Lake, and I am so glad I went. These three beautiful, talented and brave young women are on the front lines, fighting in a war that has yet to be given a name. They are bright ships on the horizon, and they filled my heart with joy and hope.

I am an incorrigible optimist, I know there is a God, and that he hates injustice. I'm also a realist. I know that most injustices benefit someone.

Due to my background, and the uncertainty of these times, I often find myself doing a threat assessment of a room, or group of people surrounding me. I felt welcome, and safe at Wilde Lake. Thank you for gathering in these people in to speak to us last Sunday. The air was charged with positivity, acceptance, and it felt like we were entering a realm of equality of income and opportunity. Be "actively available to moments of recognition, the portals of insight." and act with a singularity of intent and we will be successful!

I am for the passage of CB-9. Those opposed, including Executive Kittleman are already suffering from the hell of closed minds and hearts. And those who remain silent are no better.

"Better the pride that resides in a citizen of the world, that the pride that divides when a colourful rag is unfurled."

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## Support CB-9

A  a.khan@comcast.net  
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Please support CB-9  
Ahmad Khan, M.D.

*Sent from my Verizon 4G LTE Smartphone*



## RE: [HOWARD-CITIZEN] CB9 Amendments

SK

Stu Kohn &lt;stukohn@verizon.net&gt;

Thu 2/2, 7:45 PM

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Joel,

Per your request I am sending to the Council, the County Executive, Chief of Staff, and our Howard County Citizens Association (HCCA) Listserv Members your reference. This was sent to the Council on 5 Nov 2016. I have included below, Appendix A – Rules of Procedure for the County Council of Howard County, MARYLAND - Rule 1.007 - Consideration of bills.

I don't recall the last time the Council fulfilled the Rule of Procedure regarding "substantive amendments."

To see other Letters, Reports, Documents, or Testimony conducted by our HCCA Board please go to <http://howardcountyhcca.org/member-info/reports-documents-and-testimonies/>.

Stu Kohn

HCCA, President

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Dear Council Members,

We, the Howard County Citizens Association (HCCA) would like serious consideration by our County Council Members to permit your constituents to testify on the 46 Downtown Columbia Amendments introduced yesterday, 4 November at the Work Session. See attachment – "Downtown Columbia Amendments Table 11-4-16."

On 30 October, HCCA sent an email to the County Council, Executive, and posted it on the HCCA Listserv Members (see below) asking the Council to consider permitting the public to testify on "substantive" amendments. This was based on the Rules of Procedure under Rule 1.007 – Consideration of Bills where the Council is to conduct a Legislative Public Hearing on "substantive" amendments. When you consider what is at stake for Columbia and the future of Howard County the Council should undoubtedly permit testimony especially since there are now 46 amendments for consideration.

We would appreciate having the Council provide us with feedback as to whether you will allow your constituents the ability to testify on the amendments that were introduced regarding the Downtown Columbia proposal. This would be appreciated by those concerned as it is warranted when you consider the complexity of this case.

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Sincerely,

Stu Kohn  
HCCA, President

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## APPENDIX A - RULES OF PROCEDURE FOR THE COUNTY COUNCIL OF HOWARD COUNTY, MARYLAND

### Rule 1.007 - Consideration of bills.

(a) Reading of Bills. Every bill, before it shall pass the Council, shall be read on three different occasions. Any bill may be rejected upon introduction by a vote of two-thirds of the members of the Council. Any bill may be withdrawn from consideration before final reading by a vote of two-thirds of the members of the Council. On the first reading, a bill shall be read by number and title only when introduced or when read as a substantively amended bill following re-advertisement and re-hearing as provided by these Rules. The public hearing shall be the second reading. On final reading, a bill shall be read by number and title only, except that any member may request on final reading that a bill be read once, section by section for amendment before vote on final passage, and, if amended, any member may request that a bill be read as amended before vote on final passage. If amended as to substance, the bill shall not be passed until the title is rewritten to reflect the substance of *substantive* amendments, a hearing is set on the *substantive* amendments, and proceedings are conducted as in the case of newly introduced bills. Amendments may be determined to be *substantive* by a majority vote of the Council upon motion of any member.

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**From:** HOWARD-CITIZEN@yahoogroups.com [mailto:HOWARD-CITIZEN@yahoogroups.com]

**Sent:** Thursday, February 02, 2017 5:57 PM

**To:** HOWARD-CITIZEN@yahoogroups.com

**Subject:** Re: [HOWARD-CITIZEN] CB9 Amendments

Stu,

I think that these amendments make material changes in the purposes, functions and interpretations of the bill. Therefore, I urge you to forward your letter previously sent to the Council on other matters to hold additional hearings on the bill as amended.

Joel Hurewitz

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Posted by: [joelhurewitz@gmail.com](mailto:joelhurewitz@gmail.com)



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## Sanctuary bill

RH 

Ruthellen Hellyer <ruthellen.bluepearl@gmail.com>

Thu 2/2, 7:47 PM

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I live in Howard county and support the Sanctuary Bill.  
Dr. Ruthellen Hellyer

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2/5/2017

Vote Yes on CB-9

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## Vote Yes on CB-9




Mumtaz Choudhary <mumtazrazia@hotmail.com>

Thu 2/2, 8:16 PM

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Hello, my name is Mumtaz Choudhary. I live in Howard County and I support making Howard a Sanctuary County. I believe that my neighbors should never fear going to the police or any other government employee.

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## Sanctuary County

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Frank &lt;fturban1@verizon.net&gt;

Thu 2/2, 8:25 PM

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All Howard County Council

My name is Karl Turban and I have been a Howard County resident for more than 30 years.

My Father was an immigrant from Yugoslavia so I can understand a little on how people feel coming into a new country. I worked for 15 years as a Maryland Probation Monitor and dealt with immigrants I got to understand what hardships most went through.

I am in full favor of this bill that will give undocumented immigrants a feeling of safety and therefore will better support our community.

Karl Turban

[5465 Gloucester Road](#)



[Columbia, MD 21044](#)

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## I am in favor of CB-9 Howard County Sanctuary Bill

N  normalereg@verizon.net  
Thu 2/2, 8:44 PM  
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Dear Howard County Council,

I am writing to express my support of CB-9 (the Howard County Sanctuary Bill). Please make Howard County a Sanctuary County.

Even though the president has said there might be negative consequences for Sanctuary Jurisdictions, I still support CB-9. For me it is a moral issue. We need to establish a critical mass. My opinion is that the more jurisdictions become Sanctuary Jurisdictions the more difficult it will be to single out Sanctuary Jurisdictions. I doubt the Federal Government could give Howard County negative consequence since CB-9 specifically states the policy would not apply if it was in conflict with federal law.

I think, If anything, Sanctuary Counties would have less crime because undocumented people are more willing to cooperate with the police in preventing and solving crimes.

Our county employees (police, school teachers, college etc.) should not be using their time and energy to do the work of the Federal Immigration Department.

I live in Town Center, Mary Kay Sigaty's district and my friends and neighbors are very concerned that she has not spoken out in favor of CB-9. I know our County Executive said he will veto CB-9 even before he heard the testimony so I am counting on the County Council to override that veto.

I am especially grateful to Dr. Calvin Ball and Jen Terrasa for sponsoring the bill and starting this conversation!

I urge you to support CB-9 so that it passes and then again, if needed, to override the veto.

Thank you  
Normale Doyle  
[5580 Vantage Point Road, Unit 3](#)  
[Columbia, MD 21044](#)  
[normalereg@verizon.net](mailto:normalereg@verizon.net)  
410-992-7697

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Vote Yes on CB-9

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## Vote Yes on CB-9

SC 

Shafiq Choudhary <shafiq.choudhary@gmail.com>

Thu 2/2, 8:49 PM

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Hello, my name is Shafiq Choudhary. I live in Howard County for 25 years and I support making Howard a Sanctuary County. I believe that my neighbors should never fear going to the police or any other government employee.

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## Council Bill 9



Theresa Gale <tgale@transforminc.com>

Thu 2/2, 8:50 PM

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Hello, my name is Theresa Gale. I am a resident of Howard County and I support making Howard a Sanctuary County. I believe that my neighbors should never fear going to the police or any other Howard County government employee.

Who will we be, as a County, if we do not model "civility" right now to all those who's status, livelihood and dignity is threatened? If Howard County does not pass this bill, our children and their children will one day speak in disgust of our county as a hypocrite and cowards. I, for one, trust that you will not participate in creating this future!

My heart is heavy for this Country. It would be a sign of hope to know that those in the community I live are taking a stance that all human rights matter!

Theresa Gale

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## Vote to support Council Bill 9



Ellen Leiserson <leisersonellen@gmail.com>

Thu 2/2, 9:00 PM

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Please represent us and vote to make Howard County a Sanctuary County for undocumented immigrants. The bill would bar inquiries into citizenship and prohibit discrimination. It would help shield undocumented immigrants who came to this country as children. We can not participate in detaining and handcuffing refugees and émigrés from mid-eastern countries such as a 70 year old grandmother and 5 year old children. The refugees are seeking safety and a better life here. Except for Native Americans, all of us have come here for the same reasons. Our officials whether it be police, social services, or school personnel would not be violating federal laws by acting within the Sanctuary bill mandates. Gary Kuc, the county's legal advisor, said the passage of the bill does not violate the council members' oath of office or the U.S. constitution. Kuc also stated that only the federal government has the authority and power to enforce federal immigration law. Let us be the people we proclaim ourselves to be by placing the Statue of Liberty at the entrance of our country.

***From her beacon-hand***

***Glows world-wide welcome; ... "Give me your tired, your poor,***

***Your huddled masses yearning to breathe free,***

***The wretched refuse of your teeming shore.***

***Send these, the homeless, tempest-tost to me,***

***I lift my lamp beside the golden door!"***

Ellen Leiserson & Paul Kaplan

[6155 Shadywood Road, Unit 303](#)





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## Sanctuary

**Andrea** <andrea6270@gmail.com>

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CB9-2017

Hello.

My name is Andrea Erickson and I am a resident of Howard County. I support making Howard County a sanctuary county. I believe that my neighbors should never fear going to the police or any other government employee.

Thank you,

Andrea

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## Council Bill 9

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Rich Stokes <rlsbusiness.online@gmail.com>

Thu 2/2, 9:08 PM

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Hello, my name is Rich Stokes. I am a resident of Howard County and I support making Howard a Sanctuary County. I believe that my neighbors should never fear going to the police or any other Howard County government employee.

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Hello my name is Ruby Racine. I am a longtime resident of Howard County and I believe Howard should be a sanctuary county. Everyone who lives here should feel safe and not be afraid to call on police or social services or government employees if need...


RR 

Ruby Racine <rubylu2@verizon.net>

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CB-9

KL 

Kristin Lilly <kristin.lilly@gmail.com>

Thu 2/2, 9:20 PM

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CB9-2017

County Executive Kittleman:

My name is Kristin and I live in Ellicott City. I am writing to express my support for CB-9.

I support CB-9 because it promotes love and acceptance for some of Howard County residents' most vulnerable residents. At the two nights of hearings, I heard opponents of CB-9 call undocumented immigrants "criminals," "gang members," "murderers," and even "cancer." They were accused on being burdens to the community. One opponent asked an undocumented student who testified before him, who paid for her ESOL teacher. The implication was that because she was undocumented, the county paying for her ESOL teacher was a burden. However, ESOL teachers do not get paid by the number of students they teach and they teach documented and undocumented immigrants.

The trend I saw with testimony was that the people that were most fearful of undocumented immigrants were ones that did not seem to know any personally. Some read an article about an undocumented person who killed somebody (as if U.S. Citizens never do that). One man said if he ever meets an undocumented immigrant, he will report him/her to ICE. That leads me to believe that he has never met one before. Several documented immigrants seemed to think that passing the law would affect their status in some way although CB-9 does not interfere with federal immigration law at all. The people that testified in favor of CB-9 did know undocumented immigrants. They were teachers who had them as students. They were advocates who helped them through tough times. They were people who had family members that were undocumented. They were immigration lawyers who understand how immigration law functions and how some people have no way to come legally and cross the border illegally out of desperation.

Please pass CB-9. Thank you.

Kristin  
Ellicott city, md 21042

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## I support CB 9

**Don Link** <mydonlink@hotmail.com>

Thu 2/2, 9:43 PM

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Hello, my name is Donald Link. I am a resident of Howard County, and I support making Howard a Sanctuary County. I believe my neighbors should never have to fear going to the police or any other Howard County government employee because they are undocumented. Please vote in favor of CB 9.

Donald Link

[10205 Wincopin Circle, #301](#)  
[Columbia, MD 21044](#)

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SA 

Syed Asad &lt;wahajasad@yahoo.com&gt;

Thu 2/2, 10:04 PM

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**Dear County Executive & Members of the County Council,**

**I am a resident of Howard County, I support the United States Constitution, and I support making Howard County a Sanctuary County. I believe that my neighbors should never fear going to the police or any other government employee.**

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**Sincerely,**

**Syed Wahaj Asad, MD**

**11120 Radcliff Lane  
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## Sanctuary Bill

JL 

Jean Link <myjeanlink@hotmail.com>

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CB9-2017

Howard County Council,

I am a 45 year resident of Howard County. I strongly support the Council passing CB 9 making Howard County one of the Sanctuary Counties in the US. After Donald Trump recently made the Executive Order barring refugees into the US for 120 days and barring people from 7 predominantly Muslim Countries from entering the US for 90 days, I believe we in Howard County have civic duty to send a different message. Please pass CB 9 and make Howard County proud!

Jean Link

[10205 Wincopin Circle, unit 301](#)  
[Columbia, MD 21044](#)

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## I support cb-9

**Hiruy Hadgu** <hadguhiruy@gmail.com>

Thu 2/2, 10:27 PM

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CB9-2017

Hello,

Please pass cb-9. The last two weeks should be a strong indicator of how the Trump administration aims to use federal powers to coerce localities. We need local communities to stand up for the vulnerable. The time will come when our children ask what we did when it really mattered. This is not a fight between left and right. This is for what's right.

Thank you,

Hiruy.

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## Support for CB9



Oscar Cubillos <ocubillos7@gmail.com>

Thu 2/2, 10:28 PM

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CB9-2017

Dear Council Member:

I am a Hispanic that came from Chile during the military government thus I can feel for those that are coming from Salvador, Honduras, etc fleeing from persecution, and poverty in search of better life conditions for them and their family; I know many of them and know that they are honest, hardworking men and women. If we let the government expel them they will face horrible conditions and they will be separating their families.



Sincerely,

P. Oscar Cubillos Ph.D.

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## AGAINST CB9-2017

GT  guifang Tan <guifangtan@yahoo.com>  
Thu 2/2, 11:13 PM  
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CB9-2017

Dear County Council Members Mary Kay Sigaty, Jon Weinstein, Dr. Calvin Ball and Jan Terrasa:

I reside in Howard County. I am strongly AGAINST Howard County Sanctuary Bill CB9-2017. I implore you to vote NO on CB9-2017.

Sincerely,

Guifang Tan  
[6113 Trackless Sea Ct,](#)  
[Clarksville, MD 21029](#)

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MG Marcy Gitt <marcygitt@gmail.com>

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I support CB9 for Howard County.

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ronnittrue <ronnittrue@aol.com>

Thu 2/2, 11:25 PM

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I am a resident of Howard County and I support CB9. Do the right thing.

Veronica True

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