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From:Karina Fisher <kf321jump@verizon.net>Sent:Monday, June 18, 2018 5:18 PMTo:CouncilMailCc:Kittleman, AllanSubject:Written Testimony for CR82-2018 - Housing Unit Allocation Chart

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Thank-you to each and every one of you that is working on the flood relief efforts for Downtown Ellicott City!

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Susan Garber <buzysusan23@yahoo.com> Monday, June 18, 2018 5:50 PM CouncilMail; Kittleman, Allan CR 82-2018

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From:	Lisa Markovitz <lmarkovitz@comcast.net></lmarkovitz@comcast.net>
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Subject:	People's Voice positions on Bills June 2018

The People's Voice

Positions on current legislation:

CB40 - Support - glad to see these additions to requirements of pre-submission meetings.

CB 44 - Support with amendment - We would like to see a longer term than one year for the prohibition of representing a party for compensation that was a subject of legislation. The "subject" of legislation should also be more strongly defined to include an entity that financially benefits from legislation.

CR 82 - Oppose - seek significant amendment - The allocation chart could be used to plan development by region. When things are crowded in a certain area, allocations could be lowered. When there is room to grow in another area they could be raised. Instead of leaving it to APFO which has limited wait times, to pace growth with infrastructure, allocation waits are unlimited, and therefore, this could be used as a real tool for planning and not just countywide but with regional oversight and analysis.

I also believe new regions should be created for watersheds, with small numbers of units allowed That way there is more time between developments to make sure adequate runoff planning is taking place between changes, without too many affects at once.

We do realize that changing the General Plan requires a ballot question, but even having this tool for bi-annual use could be helpful to analyze what DPZ says is being used, if there are any wait times for allocations, and if not, then if an area is crowded and there is no allocation wait, they should be lowered.