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The League of Women of Howard County is opposed to CR103-2020, which would require that property taxes may only be made with approval of the voters, based on positions supported by the League of Women Voters of Maryland.

The League supports an equitable and efficient fiscal structure which assures that adequate and timely revenues are available to finance planned expenditures. While recognizing that public acceptance of the need to increase taxes is desirable, the League is opposed to any constitutional amendment proposed to limit taxes and spending. A referendum on property tax increases could result in undermining the ability of the County Executive and County Council to fulfill its fiscal responsibilities to the taxpayers of Howard County.

Thank you for your attention.

Cynthia Williams President League of Women Voters of Howard County