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Follow Up RE: CB 17

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Members of the Howard County Council:

As follow up to the hearing on CB 17, I am providing the following information for your consideration. The industry has real commitments to health and wellness; much of it very visible to the public eye.

- 1. <a href="http://deliveringchoices.org/">http://deliveringchoices.org/</a>
- 2. <a href="http://deliveringchoices.org/clear-on-calories/">http://deliveringchoices.org/clear-on-calories/</a> vending beverage program. You can currently see these on most of the County vending machines private/public. We are working with our 3<sup>rd</sup> party vendors to implement.
- 3. <a href="http://deliveringchoices.org/choices/">http://deliveringchoices.org/choices/</a> All the different choices; with the promise of more to come ©

Our hope is to work together short of legislation – that is always the "first-stop" solution on issues such as this.

Thank you again for your consideration.

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