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Michael Brown	7651 Timbercross Lane	Glen Burnie	21060	Yes		COVID	
Tracy DeLeon	4921 Mariners Dr	Shady Side	20764	Yes		I am writing regarding Bill 53-20 to express my sincere hope you will consider grandfathering in any cell tower they was previously approved. The Shady Side Elementary cell tower is desperately needed here on the peninsula. As a federal employee with critical duties, I am required to work at home during the Covid emergency yet cannot get a strong enough signal to make contact with employees and vendors via phone. I lose every call. I have been I'm the middle of presentations and been disconnected continually. Sometimes I am unable to even make a call at all from anywhere in my home. But more often I am stuck in a single corner of my home to speak on any phone call. It's unimaginable in 2020 with Covid and everything else we are dealing with that this approved cell tower is not already being built. Please let it get started!	
Curtis Kingsland	1378 Becknel Ave	ODENTON	21113	Yes		beside raising taxes, what is the first thing the council should do when the county is opened up? We need to open up NOW. I know many jobs/businesses are REALLY hurting. thank you.	
Thomas H Marston	986 Nabbs Creek Road	Glen Burnie	21060	No	Greengurus LLC	Request that County adopt 2018 IECC with amendments that the State adopted when they reviewed and approved for the Counties consideration of the latest energy code. All thermal measures except for building leakage in the 2018 IECC are designated as (Prescriptive) and as such their value is not absolute. Building leakage is designated (mandatory). It shall not exceed 3.0 ACH50. This calculation uses volume in the denominator. Small buildings have a greater ratio of surface area to volume and leakage occurs at surface area. This creates a disparity between large and small houses, a problem that the State realized and corrected with their amendment. Please consider our request to allow R405 & R406, which enable energy modeling to demonstrate energy losses occurred in building leakage is recovered with increased performance through other measures and have parity with all thermal measures in the 2018 IECC.	Yes

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I rise to propose Anne Arundel County amend the 2018 IECC as written and include flexibility of building leakage as provided in the State's adoption of 2018 IECC including amendments.

This is allowed at County adoption of State mandated codes because the State recognizes that R405 & R406 of IECC allows trade-offs of building components to support the adjustment made in building leakage be offset by other thermal measures, (R405) and thermal and equipment measures, (R406)

This is important because Anne Arundel County may accept proposals for dwellings that have lower volume due to reduced size then current building practices in order to increase the availability of affordable housing. Small volume dwellings are a greater challenge for compliance than large volume dwellings.

This amendment will not be required when the State and County adopts the 21' IECC because it includes a provision for building leakage that considers conditioned floor area below 1500 square feet and multi-family dwelling are permitted use surface area rather than volume in energy modeling of building leakage, when supported by required performance testing.

There are claims that this adjustment will "weaken the Code". This is incorrect. The code is not weakened and if so, Howard, Harford and Cecil Counties who enacted this amendment are in violation of the State law. I have shared copies of Harford and Cecil County legislation for you to consider. In addition, Baltimore City recently accepted this amendment during their adoption of 2018 IECC.

Please support the State's provision that allows adjustments to building leakage not to exceed 5 ACH50 when considered through trade-offs in R405 & R406 and enable builders to construct smaller dwellings that are compliant with the minimum requirement of the 2018 IECC and are cost-effective to build and operate.

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