

EXECUTIVE PROCLAMATION

*On behalf of the Citizens of Anne Arundel County,
Maryland*

- WHEREAS:** the County Executive is declaring April 1, 2019 to be the official beginning of the Census2020 count to encourage participation by Anne Arundel County Citizens; and
- WHEREAS:** the Census Bureau estimated a response rate of 80% in 2010, resulting in an undercount of the population in Anne Arundel County; and
- WHEREAS:** funding in the State of Maryland for more than 50 federal programs is based on the population in the 2020 Census; and
- WHEREAS:** the County Executive has determined that it is in the best interest of the County and its residents that the population be accurately counted during the 2020 Census;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, STEUART L. PITTMAN, County Executive, do hereby proclaim April 1, 2019 the beginning of the Census 2020 count and calls upon the County citizens and agencies to support initiatives aimed at increasing citizen participation in 2020.

In Anne Arundel County. Given Under My Hand and the Great Seal of Anne Arundel County this 1st Day of April in the Year of the Lord, Two Thousand Nineteen.



STEUART L. PITTMAN
County Executive
April 1, 2019