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Ms. Julie Hummer
Chair, Anne Arundel County Council

Via Email: Kaley Schultze, ccschu24@aacounty.org

Dear Ms. Hummer:

I am writing to provide a formal update on the progress made over the month of May 2026 by the Moratorium Strategy Mitigation Workgroup. As of June 3, 2026, the County Executive lifted the moratorium on development in the Baltimore City Sewer Service Area after signing a letter of intent with the Maryland Aviation Administration to share sewer capacity. Staff will now work with MAA to sign a formal memorandum of understanding.

In addition, the Maryland Department of the Environment has confirmed that the preferred method of estimating peak flow is to use actual data, which helps provide the county with some additional peak flow capacity. Finally, the Department of Public Works continues to pursue multiple strategies to reduce our reliance on Baltimore City and Baltimore County. Specifically,

- The Infiltration and Inflow (I&I) desk study is complete, and a comprehensive field study is targeted for completion by November 30th.
- We are highly focused on prioritizing specific manhole and pipe repairs within the Baltimore City sewer service area.
- The Linthicum Shipley pump station upgrade remains on schedule to bid this summer for a 2028 completion.
- A formal evaluation regarding the increased use of reclaimed water is due by June 30th.
- Evaluating the process for allocating the available EDUs to the projects that are the closest to being ready and determining if legislation is needed.

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Given that the moratorium is lifted, this will be the last monthly letter. We appreciate your patience and understanding as we worked through the implications of the moratorium over the last few months.

Sincerely,



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Chief Administrative Officer

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Jenny Proebstle, Chief of Staff
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