



March 5, 2018

The Honorable Anne R. Kaiser
Ways and Means Committee
House Office Building
Annapolis, MD 21401

Re: HB 1707 – Inheritance Tax – Repeal – Support

Dear Delegate Kaiser:

House Bill 1707 repealing the inheritance tax; and applying the Act to decedents dying after December 31, 2017.

The Carroll County Chamber of Commerce, a business advocacy organization of over 600 members, supports this bill as it will help the State retain and perhaps attract retirees to move to Maryland. Such actions can only benefit the economic climate and Maryland's competitiveness with our neighboring States.

The Carroll County Chamber of Commerce requests that you give this bill a favorable report.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Mike McMullin'. The signature is written in a cursive, slightly slanted style.

Mike McMullin
President
Carroll County Chamber of Commerce

CC: Delegate Haven Shoemaker
Senator Justin Ready