



February 7, 2022

Budget and Taxation Committee
The Honorable Senator Guy Guzzone
3 West
Miller Senate Office Building
Annapolis, Maryland 21401

RE: SB 0405 - Retirement Tax Elimination Act of 2022 - Support

Dear Senator Guzzone:

SB 0405 seeks to eliminate taxes on retirement income. In light of the positive fiscal situation in which we find ourselves, the time is now to provide this relief to Maryland's retirees.

Maryland is one of the most unfriendly states in the country to retire in; fixing this now will enhance our competitiveness, and keep more retirees in our state.

The Carroll County Chamber of Commerce, a business advocacy organization of over 680 members, strongly supports this bill and therefore requests that you give it a favorable report.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Mike McMullin'.

Mike McMullin
President
Carroll County Chamber of Commerce

Cc: Senator Justin Ready
Delegate Haven Shoemaker