

THANK YOU for helping us get these letters in the mail.

WHY ARE WE DOING THIS: We know representatives do not read all form emails. This letter writing technique that combines stamps and handwriting more personally connects the elected officials to the members of their community.

WHEN DO I NEED TO HAVE THIS DONE BY: Please get these in the mail as soon as you can but no later than Thursday, May 20.

WHO CAN HELP: Make it a family affair but please print neatly and clearly on envelopes and letters.

HOW:

Step 1: Use the enclosed voter list to address your envelopes. You do not need to include a return address.

Step 2: Address your letters with Councilperson after “Dear” and the date in the upper right-hand corner.

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Dear County Council Person (Enter Name of Council Person):

I love my students and miss our daily face-to-face interactions, but have worked hard during this pandemic to be a resource in helping our children navigate these extraordinary times:

(Personalize the letter here: Tell the CC why you love your students and list the ways you have supported your students and any other work considerations you think important for the Council to consider as they contemplate final budget decisions).

As the Council continues, under these unprecedented circumstances, reviewing the budget recommendations of County Executive Pittman, educators across the County -- ask that you and your colleagues keep in mind the commitment to provide Anne Arundel County competitive wages. This allows us to encourage educators to remain employed within our County and not leave for other nearby jurisdictions offering a better wage, while also putting our Anne Arundel educators in a position to provide the best services possible to our students and families.

We/I understand the impact the pandemic has had on our County budget, but remain hopeful educators will get similar wage considerations as other front line public servants. We play a central role in supporting our children and communities through these current challenges.

Thank you for your consideration and dedication to public service.

Step 3: Stuff envelope with corresponding letter with your handwritten Councilperson name on it. Use the sample messages, but please personalize your story. Handwriting this portion of the letter is best!

Step 4: Seal envelopes and place stamps on letter.

Step 5: Drop at the post office before May 20.

Step 6: Sign below, take photo, and send to rlone@mseanea.org or 240-997-6152 (our office needs this documentation)

Addresses of County Council Members:

District 1

Sarah Lacey
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Jessup, MD 20794

District 2

Allison Pickard
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Millersville, MD 21108

District 3

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Annapolis, MD 21401

District 4

Andrew Pruski
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Gambrills, MD 21054

District 5

Amanda Fiedler
County Council for Anne Arundel County
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District 6

Lisa Rodvien
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Annapolis, MD 21401

District 7

Jessica Haire
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