

NORTH COLLEGE PARK CITIZEN'S ASSOCIATION

c/o YOUTH, FAMILY and SENIOR SERVICES

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21st Delegation
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Annapolis, MD 21401

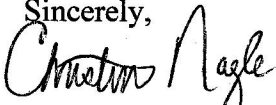
Dear Delegates and Senator Rosapepe:

At the February 2015, meeting of the North College Park Citizen's Association, the members present voted unanimously to support passage of HB682. NCPCA thanks Delegate Peña-Melnik for filing this legislation and Delegates Frush and Barnes for co-sponsoring the Bill.

We feel this enabling legislation will empower residents and municipal governments across the State. As you know, charter amendments in all 157 municipalities must adhere to a standard that was enacted in 1955. Municipalities across the State are very diverse. This legislation will enable local governments and their residents to decide whether their governing body wants to send charter amendments to binding referendum and the percent of their registered voters that is necessary to petition for a referendum on a charter amendment.

When HB682 crosses over to the senate we look forward to Senator Rosapepe's support.

Sincerely,



Christine Nagle, President
North College Park Citizen's Association