

May 28, 2021

The Honorable Adrienne A. Jones  
Speaker of the House of Delegates  
H-101 State House  
Annapolis, MD 21401

Dear Speaker Jones:

In accordance with Article II, Section 17 of the Maryland Constitution, I have vetoed House Bill 813 – *St. Mary's County – Public Facilities Bond*.

This bill authorizes the St. Mary's County Commissioners to issue up to \$30.0 million in general obligation bonds for the acquisition, construction, improvement, or renovation of public buildings, facilities, and public works projects. The date of maturity of the bonds may not exceed 30 years.

Senate Bill 861, which was passed by the General Assembly and became law without my signature, accomplishes the same purpose. Therefore, it is not necessary for me to sign House Bill 813.

Sincerely,

Lawrence J. Hogan, Jr.  
Governor