Billy Boniface
Harford County Executive 2022
Keeping Harford County on Track

Dear Harford County Neighbor,

If you are like me, you might not be the biggest fan of politics. The bickering, the name-calling, and the overall dysfunction that seems to dominate politics in DC and Annapolis are exhausting. But I also know how important it is to have good people with core family values and sound financial integrity in office to represent us and to run government efficiently.

I am writing this letter to tell you a little bit about my husband Billy Boniface whom I believe is that person. He is a Republican running for Harford County Executive in the June 28th primary election. Whether it's serving as a volunteer firefighter, coaching youth sports, participating in school events, or helping with 4-H, Billy has always been someone who understands the importance of giving back to the community.

In 2006, after many years working on the family farm and in the thoroughbred horse business, Billy became dissatisfied with the direction of Harford County so he answered the call to serve and ran for President of the County Council. He served 8 years as President and then in 2014, he was appointed the County's Administrator, overseeing County Executive Glassman's fiscal policies and the challenges of reducing spending. During this time, Harford County cut taxes four times saving taxpayers over $130 million, doubled funding for the Sheriff's Office personnel, built seven new schools, and surpassed 60,000 acres of permanently preserved farmland, forest, and open space.

Being a working mother and as we raised our three children, Billy, Ben and Bethany, I can tell you that both Billy and I understand the importance of sticking to a family budget. For 15 years he has had a role in creating and implementing a balanced budget for the county. Billy is a strong supporter of **the right of parents to have a say in their children's education,** and of the need for accountability in the county's school system. That is why he has also proposed reforming the way that the Board of Education is structured which will allow voters to elect the entire board with no appointed members.

Most importantly now let me talk about Billy the family man. Billy guided us through the very worst of tragedies. He is the glue that holds our family together. It is not unusual for my husband to be up before the sun making rounds on the farm, then heading into the office. His evenings are normally filled with county events so the day doesn't end at 5 pm. The hours may be long, but he is dedicated to doing the best job that he can. He has a work ethic unlike anyone I've met! Billy follows the golden rule and treats others the way that he would want to be treated himself. If there is a need, Billy is there to lend a hand or a hammer. Maybe you have seen him installing campaign signs throughout the county on his days off. He doesn't ask others to do what he isn't willing to do himself!

He is not running for County Executive as a springboard to a higher office or to add another line to his resume. **He is running because he loves Harford County and he knows he can make a positive impact on things voters care about such as public safety, education, land preservation and our overall quality of life.**

In closing, I am asking you to vote for my husband Billy Boniface as the next Harford County Executive. You have my word that he will do his best to **keep Harford County on track.**

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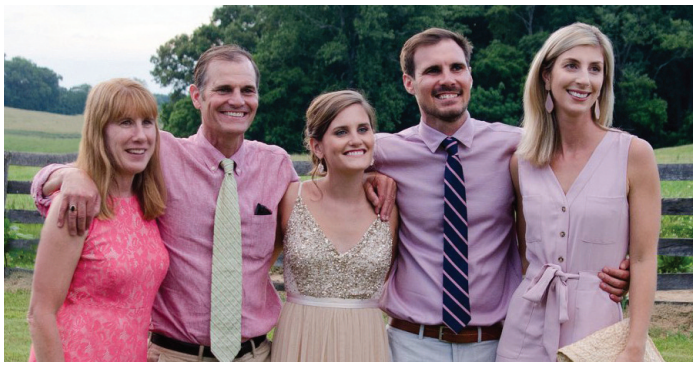

P.S.: Come join in the fun as we celebrate our last big event before the election "Down the Stretch with Billy Boniface" at beautiful Vignon Manor Farm on Darlington Road on Saturday, March 19. $45/per person. Food by Lib's Grill and music by Chasing Friday.

Visit BillyBoniface.com for tickets and more information.

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