Billy Boniface
Harford County Executive
Keeping Harford County on Track

Dear Harford County Neighbor,

My name is Billy Boniface, and I am a conservative Republican campaigning to be your next Harford County Executive.

As I watch the dysfunctional politics and radical agendas being pushed in D.C. and Annapolis, I am more driven than ever to make sure this great county stays on track. Being your County Executive is all about managing the county budget, ensuring your tax dollars are being spent wisely and running local government efficiently. I have the record and experience to get the job done.

During my two terms as President of the County Council and later as the County's Administrator and Chief Advisor, **we cut taxes four times, saving taxpayers over $130 million.** We implemented business-style efficiency actions and right-sized the county government workforce allowing us to:

- **double** funding for law enforcement personnel,
- surpass 60,000 acres of permanently preserved farmland and forest,
- support local businesses through initiatives that fostered countywide job growth of more than twice the national average,
- increase education funding by 64% per pupil, **always putting teachers first,** and
- complete 24 major school renovations and open seven new school buildings.

All without raising tax rates. As your next county executive, I will continue this proven track record of cutting taxes and operating government efficiently.

Backing the Blue

While other jurisdictions talk about **defunding the police,** I am proud of **my record of doubling funding for Sheriff's Office personnel** (from $41 million to $81 million per year) to compensate our brave law enforcement officers and to give Sheriff Jeff Gahler the resources needed to keep our county safe.

As Council President, I led the fight against the effort to limit the power of the Sheriff and create a county police force. **Our Sheriff's Deputies and Corrections Officers will have my full and unconditional support always.**

Defending Land Preservation

The 60,000 acres of permanently preserved land in Harford County has extinguished over 6,000 development rights. **That's 6,000 houses that will never be built.** That's 16,000 fewer residents and 10,000 fewer cars on our roads. That's 3,500 fewer students that would have filled at least another elementary, middle, and high school that the taxpayers will never need to build. **All without spending a dime of your property or income taxes,** but instead through real estate transfers, ensuring a balance of growth and forever protecting our rural heritage and agricultural economy. Land preservation works!

Conservative Policies & Accountability for Our Schools

I do not take for granted the freedoms and liberties for which our nation's brave veterans and service members have fought and died. I strongly support the U.S. Constitution and the second amendment. I will fight any effort to make Harford County a "sanctuary county," and will defend the rights of parents to have a say in how their children are educated.

I was among the first to urge the Harford County Board of Education to not require masks and to leave that decision up to parents and employees to decide individually. And I was the first to speak out against the unnecessary and disruptive redistricting proposal.

Harford needs a Board of Education that is directly accountable to the citizens of this county – **not to the Annapolis bureaucracy.** There is too much at stake, which is why I strongly support a board that is fully elected by the county's voters and that has no appointed members.

Why It Matters to Me

I have lived in Harford County my whole life, married for 36 years to my high school sweetheart Barb, and we raised our three kids on the family farm.

It was on the farm that I learned the value of a hard day's work and the importance of being honest. I learned how to balance the checkbook and to follow the principle that you pay your help before you pay yourself.

I learned the importance of giving back to the community, which drove me to serve as a fire line officer with the Level Volunteer Fire Company and as a coach in local parks & rec programs.

We have a long campaign ahead, but the excitement that we've generated so far is very encouraging. Our positive message of experienced leadership and strong support for law enforcement, land preservation, and conservative policies is clearly resonating with voters. I may not be able to fix the dysfunctional politics of D.C. or Annapolis, but with your help, I promise to **Keep Harford on Track.**

Thank you for your unwavering support!

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P.S.: **Join the stampede!** Every bit helps. A donation of $20 will help us get our message out and ensure that Harford County has **conservative, experienced leadership!**

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