

## POLICING ADVISORY COMMISSION

October 12, 2023

The Honorable Evan Glass, President Montgomery County Council 100 Maryland Avenue Rockville, Maryland 20850

Re: Bill 32-23 -Policing Advisory Commission Amendments

Dear President Glass:

The Policing Advisory Commission (PAC) voted on October 9, 2023, to encourage the Council to pass Bill 32-23 as reported by the Public Safety Committee on October 2. We believe the bill, as reported, will provide the Council with a strong **Advisory Commission on Policing** (the proposed new name of the Policing Advisory Commission) to assure that the voices of the community concerned about the practices, policies, and procedures of the Montgomery County Police Department can be heard and acted upon.

The Policing Advisory Commission greatly appreciates the great interest and strong support of our work by all the members of the Public Safety Committee, and especially Chair Sidney Katz, and urges passage of the Committee's reported bill.

With best wishes,

Eric E. Sterling, Chair

**Policing Advisory Commission** 

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