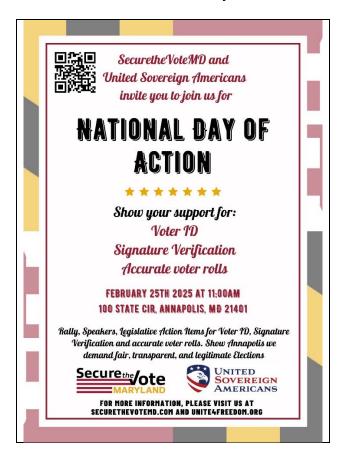
20250203 Comments to Montgomery County BOE

by Michael Fletcher, Derwood, MD:

Today I would like to address two topics to the Montgomery County Board.

The first topic is that Secure the Vote MD (https://securethevotemd.com/) and United Sovereign Americans are hosting a rally in Annapolis on February 25 to support several initiatives to make our voting system more secure. These are Voter ID, Signature Verification, and Accurate Voter Rolls. Here is the flyer. You all are welcome to attend.



The second topic is a query regarding accurate voter rolls, specifically, a question about the list of deceased registrants that I provided to your Election Director by email dated January 15. That list was compiled using the State BOE guidance regarding acceptable references for obituaries and other reliable reports of the death of a registrant. Using that guidance, over 200 deceased registrants were identified. Since this list was provided to your staff outside of the ordinary schedule for registration list maintenance, I am asking if there is a mechanism that would permit me or other citizen volunteers to reduce the burden on your staff by preparing the notices required by § 3-504 of Maryland Code to confirm the status of the registrants? If this is possible, I or citizen volunteers could prepare the notices for review by your staff prior to their mailing. Of course, this would be done on a voluntary basis at no cost to the Board.