



HOWARD COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF COUNTY ADMINISTRATION
3430 Courthouse Drive ■ Ellicott City, Maryland 21043 ■ 410-313-2022

Mark Miller, Administrator, Office of Public Information
msmiller@howardcountymd.gov

FAX 410-313-3390

October 5, 2018

Mary Reese, Chair
DC Metroplex BWI Community Roundtable
cincpink@gmail.com

Dear Ms. Reese:

The following is in response to your email to Howard County Government's Office of Public Information, requesting information in accordance with the Maryland Public Information Act, 4-101 *et seq.* of the General Provisions Article of the Annotated Code of Maryland (the "PIA"), which this office received on October 2, 2018.

Specifically, you have asked for "... copies of all correspondence with the FAA regarding the Administrative Petition Howard County filed with the FAA in July 2018."

The County has two records responsive to your request, one which you will find attached. The second record, a copy of "Howard County, Maryland s Administrative Petition for Action," is available online at <https://www.howardcountymd.gov/LinkClick.aspx?fileticket=LA8ISFJlzoI%3d&portalid=0>.

While Howard County has the right to charge a copying fee of \$0.25 per page for a black and white paper copy, as mentioned on page 10 of [Howard County Council Resolution No. 61-2018](#), an electronic copy of the record requested exists and is therefore free of charge. In addition, Howard County has the right under the Public Information Act to charge you for search time in excess of two hours; however, no more than two hours was expended on your request per office

Pursuant to MPIA § 4-362, you are entitled to seek judicial review of this decision by filing a complaint in the Circuit Court for Howard County or the Circuit Court in Maryland in the County where you reside or maintain a principal place of business. You may also refer any concerns about this decision to the Public Access Ombudsman pursuant to MPIA § 4-1B-01 *et seq.*

Sincerely,

Alexandra Bresani
Office of Public Information