



Friends of Harford, Inc. focuses on Harford's land use issues, working for a fair balance between the rights of those wanting to develop a property and the rights of neighbors who might be impacted by that development. Our website is www.friendsofharford.com.

Land use is controlled by the County Executive and County Council members. In anticipation of the upcoming election, **Friends of Harford** is asking you to please respond to the questions below, so we may understand your perspectives and reasoning on these issues. We will post your responses on our website and notify our members that they are available.

Responses from all County Executive candidates are due back to us by April 15, 2018 (email@friendsofharford.com). Thank you for your cooperation and assistance in keeping Harford County citizens aware and informed of your goals and objectives.

County Executive

1. What are your top priorities for legislation for the County?
2. When we have questions about specific issues, how do we get your answers?
3. Would you, as County Executive, support better ways to provide the public with user-friendly notification of decisions by DAC and the Zoning Board of Appeals? If so, how?
4. Would you favor term limits for County Council members? Explain.
5. How do you propose to solve the County's traffic problems?
6. The Master Plan, HarfordNEXT, calls for a study on expanding the development envelope in an area beginning at I-95/MD 543 moving northwest along MD 543/Shucks Road to Harford Community College and beyond to US 1 at Hickory. What is your view on expanding the development envelope and specifically the aforementioned MD 543 proposal?
7. Would you agree to return the citizens' right to an interpretation of the Zoning Code by amending the code? If not, why?
8. Do you feel it is time for noise and lighting legislation in Harford County?
9. Do you approve of General Industrial (GI) zoning adjacent to residential communities or within a Village District? If not, how do you reconcile your disapproval with HarfordNEXT and recent Comprehensive Zoning Review decisions?
10. Do you approve of reducing the number of County inspections on construction sites when only 34 percent of contractors are in compliance with the Erosion and Sedimentation Ordinance?