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Good Evening County Commissioners,

My name is Maria A.V. Medrano and I am a resident Waldorf, MD. I am originally from Nicaragua and I have seen corruption in government all of my life, my father was imprisoned for years for standing against the corruption in our government. As I and my family came here to escape the corruption, death squads and more, I am dismayed that I find myself in yet another country, the greatest country on Earth, again with a county with corruption, discrimination, no transparency, and the like, the only thing that is missing is the death squads. I do however think that at least one of you is capable of that, the biggest bully in the commissioners office.

I want to know where are the Latino/Hispanic Commissioners in this county? How many county employees do you have that are Latino/Hispanic? How many employees do you have that speak Spanish or at least a second language for that matter? How do you reach out to the many Latino/Hispanic Business owners? Do you give them proclamations as you do with certain others? Where's the complete representation of ALL of the county residents??

I hear people in this county and beyond talking about all the criminals at the border, what about the criminals running this county? Where's the accountability? Better yet-where is the shame?

Would all those people at the borders be considered criminals, if they were from the Ukraine? Don't discriminate against Latino/Hispanic people! There are not any individuals in this county that didn't come here from another country seeking a better life. Don't shut the door to all other immigrants, once you and yours are here for this generation or at least two. You are not any better than I am.

How much of this great country belonged to Mexico before the United States took it's territories as Russia is now trying to do with Ukraine?

I am concerned that this county has one of the highest property tax rates in the State of Maryland, yet no services. I am concerned that you want to fund a Sportplex of \$50M, yet the county is in the arrears by the same amount, in addition to the legal defense of Commissioner Thomaseena Coats for over a \$1million. I am concerned that you want a new courthouse, yet you put all the criminals back on the street. Do you know that most crimes against Latinos/Hispanics won't even be reported for the distrust of police that comes from most of our countries, so why do we need more courthouses? What's next a new prison? For what, you don't keep the criminals locked up.

I don't want to pay more taxes whether its the tax rate or an increase in property value, however you disguise it, I don't want to pay.

Maria A. V. Medrano