New eComment for Charter Board - Public Hearing District 3

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Katie Stickel submitted a new eComment.

Meeting: Charter Board - Public Hearing District 3

Item: 3) Public Comments

eComment: I have grave concerns about giving our ability to determine when and where we can build schools and how to fund them. This is a responsibility charles county loses if it goes to Charter. The state legislature will have to give us permission and send us the funfing. This is from the presentation that Kevin from MACO explained. Now he has never seen a county be denied a request for their school funding but it could happen. I fear that larger counties having more need may be able to defer or delay our building of schools. Then there is Harford county in a lawsuit between the Council and the Executive. When the Exec learned the council was going to over rule his deciding not to build another jail facility the Executive moved the funds so even tho the council over ruled him they have no funds to build with. This is too much power in one persons job description and how do they hold him or her accountable? More million dollar court cases the tax payers have to pay for and no one will win. Charter appears to be less transparent and less accountable to tax payers.

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