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Comment

Hello my name is Donta Varney I am a resident of the county I currently live in District 2 in Indian Head Maryland. But I am here to discuss a situation in D1. Lifestyles of Maryland Inc posted a flyer saying they had to reject referrals and applications for Emergency Financial Assistance in southern Maryland until July 15,2024. First of all this shouldn't even had to be put out there if we had county leaders and state delegates to have funds and a budget sent to lifestyles to help the need in the tri county area. You all know where I came from and how I made it to where I am today. I was homeless for 5 years in and out of safe nights and on the streets during the summer months. Moved into the fuller house in 2019 and once Covid hit I received a voucher through housing but I will never forget where I came from plenty times I spent in Ms Washington office planning and brain storming on what to do on how to end homelessness in this tri county area. I am a true homeless advocate and for you all in leadership to allow this to happen is unacceptable Ms Washington and her staff can't do it alone. No one knows how it is to be homeless until you go through yourself. Spend the night in a tent with no food for a night or so no shower or anything and see

how it is it's not fun and shouldn't even exist. This is unacceptable and we need change we need to come together to find funding to help lifestyles so they can help families that needs the help so step up and do what what you all suppose to do for us people in the county. This is a sensitive topic for me and if I can't speak up nothing will get done so please do something and get some funding for lifestyles you can give money to the board of ed and other organizations so why can't Lifestyles Ms Washington needs help and we going to help her no matter how many times I got to bring this to the table eventually you will get tired of me but I'm not giving up thank you for your time

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