

## Office of the County Executive STEUART PITTMAN

October 18, 2024

Anne Arundel County Council Arundel Center 44 Calvert Street, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor Annapolis, MD 21401

Re: Veto of Bill No. 70-24: Crimes, Civil Offenses, and Fines – Crimes – Miscellaneous Prohibited Act

Dear Members of the Council:

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Pursuant to Section 307(j) of the County Charter, I have vetoed the enclosed Bill No. 70-24 that was passed by the County Council on October 7, 2024. I am vetoing this bill because I believe this legislation amounts to government overreach and places an unreasonable imposition on individuals who may be housing insecure and are otherwise in compliance with county rules and regulations.

Sincerely,

Steuart Pittman
County Executive