



THE LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS  
*of Montgomery County, MD, Inc.*

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June 11, 2015

**In re: Bill 18-15, Environmental Sustainability - Montgomery County Green Bank**

Dear Chairman Berliner, Members of TIEE Committee, and Councilmembers:

I am writing to you to inform you that **the League of Women Voters of Montgomery County supports** bill 18-15.

The League has long fought for the protection and wise use of natural resources and their protection from pollution. We recognize particular urgency in identifying and supporting more effective ways to fight climate change – such as through investing in clean energy technologies. We appreciate that this bill identifies not only an innovative structure for funding mechanisms but also that assistance is needed for residential, municipal, small business, and larger commercial projects.

LWVMC is pleased that Montgomery County is taking this proactive step towards environmental sustainability.

Yours truly,

Linna Barnes, President