

Civic Association, Inc., for the restoration and preparation for civic use of the masonic building of Chesapeake City, Cecil County, subject to the requirement that the Association grant and convey an historic easement in the said property to the Maryland Historical Trust.....10,000"

(4) Item J1(k) appearing on page 38 of the bill, entitled

"(k) Grant to the Colonial Charlestown Commission for acquisition of "The Tory House," Charlestown, contingent upon the community, the town of Charlestown, assuming responsibility for all costs of alteration, repairs and operations; subject to the requirement that the Commission grant and convey an historic easement in the said property to the Maryland Historical Trust.....13,000"

(5) Item J1(l) appearing on page 38 of the bill, entitled

"(l) Grant to the Society for the Preservation of Maryland Antiquities, Inc., for preparation to exhibit Rogers Tavern in Perryville, Cecil County; subject to the requirement that the Society grant and convey an Historic Easement to the Maryland Historical Trust.....5,000"

My reasons for vetoing these items are as follows:

With respect to Item F1(h), this appropriates \$90,000 for preliminary plans for a biology building at the College Park Campus of the University of Maryland. This project is premature. The site for the proposed building is presently occupied by another facility housing the Department of Agriculture Engineering, which cannot be relocated until Phase II, Animal Sciences Building is constructed. The construction of that building has not yet commenced; and, in fact, the University has only recently requested approval for the planning of the Animal Sciences Building.

With respect to Item G1(d), this appropriates \$2,100,000 to assist in converting the existing Student Center at Bowie State College into a central dining facility. It has been the policy of the State for many years that facilities such as this, which are ancillary