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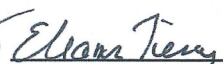
On behalf of the residents of the City of Annapolis, we are pleased to confer upon you this City Council Citation in recognition of Chesapeake Conservancy's efforts to expand education and public access to the Chesapeake Bay and its tributaries at Elktonia/Carr's Beach in the City of Annapolis and nearby Quiet Waters Park and Sandy Point State Park. Congratulations on your long-standing commitment to ensuring outdoor recreation on the beautiful Chesapeake Bay is available for everyone, not just residents of water-privileged communities. With an estimated two percent of the Chesapeake's nearly 12,000 miles of shoreline open for the public to visit, efforts such as the Chesapeake Conservancy's are imperative to ensure our deep connection to the history and ecology of the Chesapeake Bay is not broken. The City of Annapolis is grateful for Chesapeake Conservancy's partnership efforts to share the Black cultural history of Annapolis and expand education, recreation and open space opportunities at nearby parks where many Annapolis residents recreate. We wish you great success in your future endeavors and look forward to partnering with Chesapeake Conservancy on future endeavors.

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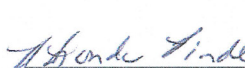
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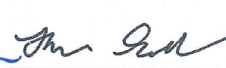

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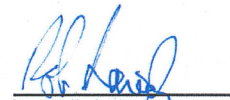

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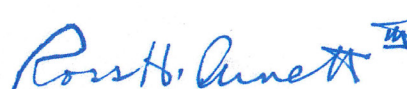

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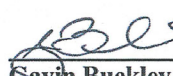
On behalf of the residents of the City of Annapolis, we are pleased to confer upon you this City Council Citation in recognition of Blacks of the Chesapeake Foundation's tireless 15-year effort to conserve Elktonia/Carr's Beach and create a public park as a place for education and interpretation of the vast cultural Black history in Annapolis, Anne Arundel County and the Chesapeake Bay. Congratulations on your long-standing commitment to educating the public about Black history and maritime community history. The residents of Annapolis are deeply grateful for Blacks of the Chesapeake Foundation's programs that educate residents and visitors to watermen communities, museums and educational institutions. We wish you great success in all of your future endeavors and look forward to our partnership to share the history of Sparrow's and Carr's beaches, the heart of entertainment throughout the mid-Atlantic region that welcomed Blacks during a time of segregation, at Elktonia/Carr's Beach, now an Annapolis City Park. In gratitude for your efforts, the citizens of Annapolis.

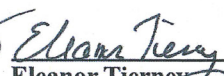
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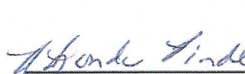
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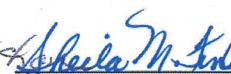


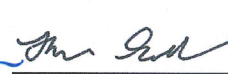

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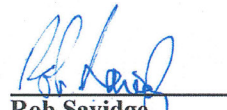

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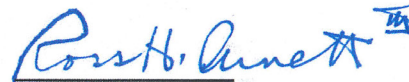

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