



Montgomery County Council
100 Maryland Ave
Rockville, MD 20850

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I am writing in support of Noise Abatement Bill 14-24. As I wrote in my email to the Council on 3/20/22, the noise and vibration from loud mufflers has a big impact on quality of life, and I applaud the Council for taking the State legislation to the next step.

I am happy to report that I have noticed a decrease in the frequency of "long range" mufflers that one can hear from $\frac{1}{4}$ mile away, although they are still around. More recently the problem is people cruising around and intentionally revving the engine to make noise. They particularly like the hill on Newport Mill Rd. northbound just north of Denfeld Ave., and therefore request a pilot system be placed there.

Sincerely,
Keith Walker