

Dear Dr. Jacobs:

I am receipt of your letter of January 23rd that expresses, once more, your opposition to Bill 23-07, passed by the Council and signed into law by myself.

Your reading of the terms of the bill is in error. The legislation as passed and signed does not include locker rooms and showers. Moreover, the County Attorney has indicated that the law does not apply to those facilities. That is County policy, period. The fact that the County's Human Rights Commission, in the bill's early stages, declared that, in their view, the legislation would cover these facilities is irrelevant. The County Council and the County Executive make policy, not the Commission.

If you are in disagreement with this, that is your right. However, you have an obligation to state the facts.

Sincerely,

Isiah Leggett
County Executive