

THE MARYLAND HOUSE OF DELEGATES Annapolis, Maryland 21401

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The Honorable Johnny Olszewski, Jr. Baltimore County Executive Towson, MD 21286

Sent Via Electronic Communications

Dear Baltimore County Executive Olszewski,

We are writing to request the immediate release of the 9-1-1 recording, which led to the investigation of Ravens Player Xavien "Zay" Kevonn Flowers for domestic violence. Numerous prominent news organizations have reported on this story, and a few have approached us to ask for our help in making the 9-1-1 recording available to those who have requested it.

It is crucial to condemn domestic violence without exceptions unequivocally. Upholding this principle maintains public trust in our law enforcement and governmental procedures.

Transparency within our community is essential. Denying the release of the recording, citing its relevance to the ongoing investigation, warrants reconsideration. Precedents have shown that recordings have been released immediately in previous cases. Withholding these recordings perpetuates a narrative that some individuals are exempt from scrutiny due to their affluence and social status.

Authorizing the release of the requested 9-1-1 calls would affirm the county's commitment to treating every case equally while assuring the public that matters involving high-profile individuals are not veiled in secrecy.

Thank you for your attention to this critical issue.

Matt Morgan

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