NOTICE OF INTENT TO PURCHASE A CRITICAL FARM AGRICULTURAL LAND PRESERVATION EASEMENT OPTION

The Board of County Commissioners of Carroll County, Maryland, announces its intent to purchase an Option for a Critical Farm Agricultural Land Preservation Easement over **165.273 acres of land**, located at 1920 Bachman Valley Road, Manchester, Maryland, 21102, from **GROVES MILL LLC** for \$633,412.50. The County Commissioners will decide whether or not to purchase this option at a public meeting which is to be held no sooner than fifteen days from the date this notice appears. Any person wishing to comment on the proposed purchase may do so, either orally or in writing, by contacting the County Commissioners Office, 225 North Center Street, Westminster, Maryland, 21157, and/or may appear at the meeting. Questions should be addressed Deborah Bowers, Program Manager, (dbowers@carrollcountymd.gov), Agricultural Land Preservation Program, Department of Land and Resource Management, 410-386-2214.

THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF CARROLL COUNTY, MARYLAND