

## AUTHORITY TO LEVY ADDITIONAL TAXES

Authorization to levy and collect an additional \$0.3933 per \$100 of assessed value in New Castle County and an additional \$0.0924 per \$100 of assessed value in Kent County to provide funding for programs and operating expenses, effective July 1, 2025, and every year thereafter primarily regarding the following:

- Recruit and retain staff by providing competitive salaries.
- Expand the public safety initiative to support additional constables.
- Support programming and extracurricular activities for the new middle school.
- Enhance student instructional technology materials.
- Provide for inflationary increases across all operations including utilities, technology, etc.

The district spans parts of New Castle and Kent County.

If approved, the annual current tax shall increase on average by \$277.00 for a New Castle County property in the district assessed at \$70,500 (a market value of \$300,000) and a Kent County property in the district assessed at \$300,000.

**For the Additional Levy**

**Against the Additional Levy**