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**Subject:** Ord 2017-19-21 Land Trust appropriation and proposed amendment

I support full funding for education. I do not support a one-time appropriation, whether it is \$3M or \$4.5M, from the Land Trust Fund because it is not responsible to address a chronic problem with a temporary fix. I urge the Assembly to raise property taxes to balance the 2019 budget, and give the voters the opportunity to vote on a sales tax increase in October, after which time the property tax could be re-adjusted if warranted.