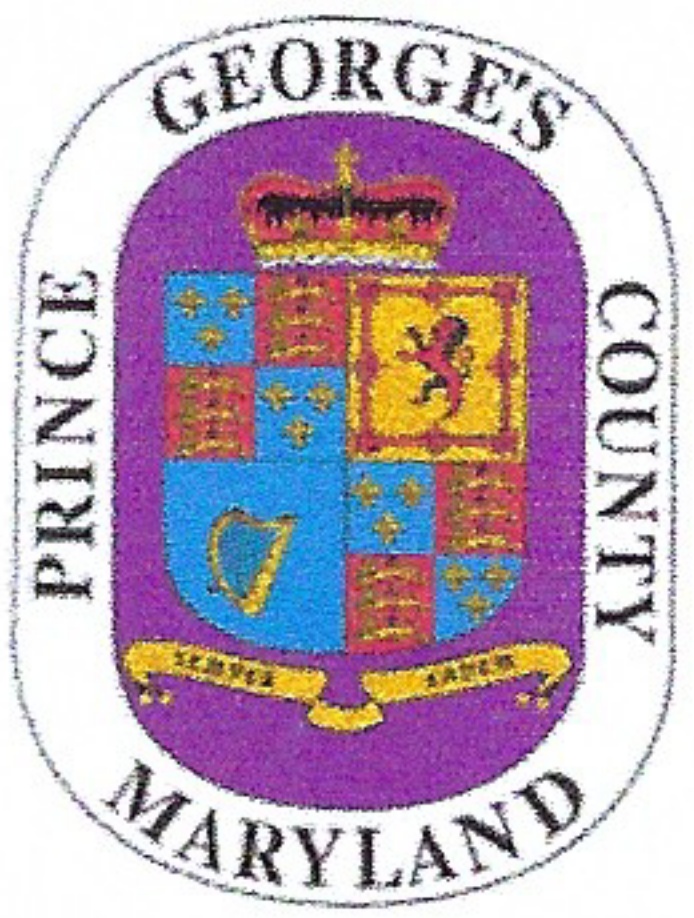
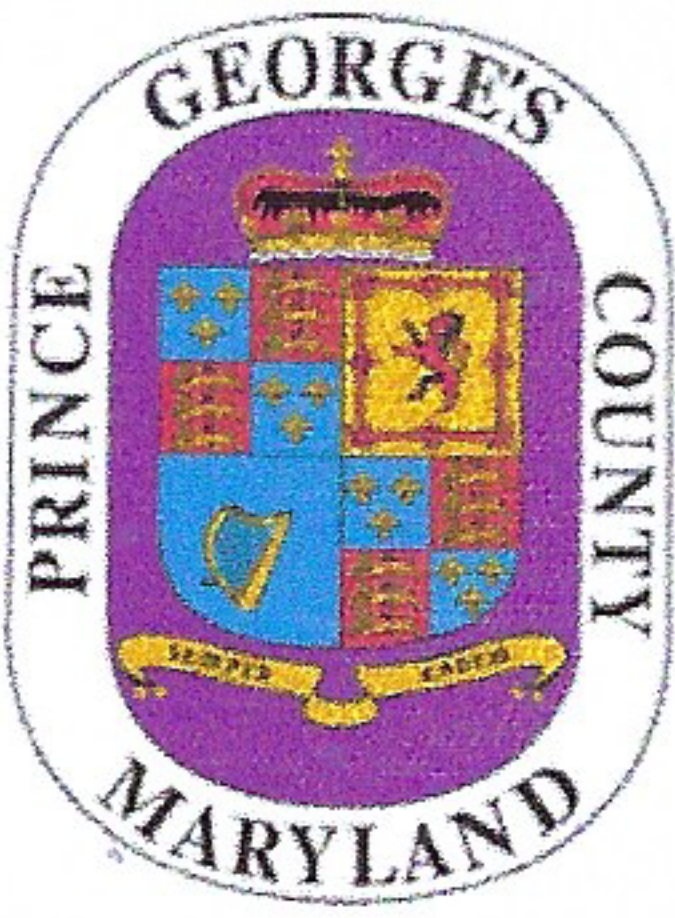




Aisha N. Braveboy
County Executive

PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY GOVERNMENT
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Chair Krystal Oriadha
County Council, District 7

October 13, 2026

VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL AND CERTIFIED MAIL

Mr. Kent Seton, Esq.
Chief Executive Officer
Edward Charles Foundation
269 S. Beverly Drive, Suite 338
Beverly Hills, CA 90212

RE: Joint Request for Return of Prince George's County Grant Funds — \$7,635,000 and Additional Unexpended County Funds.

Dear Mr. Seton:

On behalf of the Prince George's County Executive and the Prince George's County Council Chair, we jointly request that the Edward Charles Foundation return \$7,635,000 in Prince George's County, along with any additional unexpended funds originating from Prince George's County Government.

The County Executive and County Council Chair share a fundamental responsibility to ensure that public funds are administered in accordance with their intended purposes and that residents receive the direct community benefits envisioned through County investments. As a condition of all County Grant awards, this request is made to protect the financial resources of Prince George's County Government, preserve the public trust, and ensure the highest standards of accountability, transparency, and responsible stewardship of taxpayer dollars.

Upon receipt, the returned funds will be deposited into a separate, identifiable, non-lapsing Prince George's County Government fund or account, administered and managed by the County's Office of Finance, subject to applicable accounting, budgetary, and legal requirements and any necessary legislative authorization. These funds shall be separately accounted for and remain exclusively designated for community programs and initiatives benefiting Prince George's County Council District 7, consistent with the original public purposes of the funding, until fully and lawfully disbursed. Prince George's County Council District 7 Member shall continue to maintain oversight of the designated funds, including the selection of grant recipients, establishment of community programming priorities, and approval of scopes of work for programs and services benefiting District 7 residents, consistent with applicable law.

The Office of the County Executive, through the Office of Management and Budget, Office of Finance, and Office of Law, shall coordinate the administrative processing, financial oversight, legal compliance, and disbursement of funds to approved nonprofit organizations through a strengthened grant management process. This process shall be carried out in close

coordination with the District 7 Council Member, preserving the Council Member's role in identifying community needs and directing programmatic priorities while ensuring appropriate financial safeguards, transparency, accountability, and measurable community impact. The County Executive and County Council Chair share a commitment to keeping these funds protected, properly administered, and available for their originally intended purposes, ensuring the resources ultimately reach the nonprofit organizations, communities, and residents of District 7 for whom they were designated.

We request written acknowledgment of this correspondence within five (5) business days. We further request that the Foundation coordinate directly with the Prince George's County Office of Finance and follow the instructions in the attached document to facilitate the timely and orderly return of the funds. The attached instructions establish remittance procedures and are intended to ensure that all funds are properly transferred, documented, and accounted for in accordance with County financial requirements.

The Prince George's County Office of Finance will serve as the primary point of contact for coordinating and confirming the return of these funds. Until the reconciliation and return process is completed, we request that the Foundation preserve all relevant financial records, documentation, and refrain from further expenditure or transfer of the funds identified in this request, except as otherwise agreed in writing with the County.

The County Executive and County Council Chair remain committed to working together to ensure that public funding is administered responsibly, transparently, and in the best interests of the residents of Prince George's County.

We appreciate your prompt attention and cooperation in resolving this matter.

Sincerely,



The Honorable Aisha N. Braveboy
County Executive
Prince George's County, Maryland

Sincerely,



The Honorable Krystal Oriadha
Chair, Prince George's County Council, District 7
On behalf of the Prince George's County Council

cc: Prince George's County Council Members

Council Administration
Chief Administrative Officer
Director, Office of Management and Budget
Director, Office of Finance
County Attorney, Office of Law