WHEREAS, the Board of County Supervisors has endorsed the following Metro Washington Council of Government (MWCOG)'s climate action goals in November 2020:

- Reducing the county's greenhouse gas (GHG) emission to 50% below baseline 2005 levels by 2030
- Achieving 100% renewable electricity in Prince William County Government operations by 2030
- Becoming a Climate Ready Region and making significant progress to be a Climate Resilient Region by 2030
- Sourcing 100% of Prince William County's electricity from renewable sources by 2035
- Achieving 100% carbon neutrality in Prince William County Government operations by 2050.

WHEREAS, The Prince William Office of Sustainability is leading the development of the county's Community Energy and Sustainability Master Plan (CESMP) to serve as a roadmap to meet the County's Climate Mitigation and Resiliency goals; and

WHEREAS, on December 7, 2021, via Resolution Number (Res. No.) 21-663, the Prince William Board of County Supervisors (Board) established the Prince William County Sustainability Commission as a public body to provide recommendations to the CESMP; and

WHEREAS, on October 27, 2022 the Sustainability Commission brought forth a letter of concern regarding the environmental impacts of the Digital Gateway Comprehensive Plan Amendment on the County's achievement of the Climate Mitigation and Resiliency goals.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Prince William County Sustainability Commission hereby recommends that the letter of concern be shared with the Board of County Supervisors for consideration.

Ayes: Boutte, Brown, Carroll, Ward, Weir
Nays: Beeton, Freed
Absent from Vote: Barbour
Absent from Meeting: Barbour

ATTEST: ___________________________  ___________________________

[Signature]
Clerk to the Board