

## **Howard County Bird Club**

#### A Chapter of the Maryland Ornithological Society Founded 1972

#### Preventing Residential Window Bird Collisions Film Installer Information Sheet

If a bird has collided with your home, you are not alone as up to 1 billion birds die each year following window collisions in the United States. The good news is that you can install one of the effective solutions in the second American Bird Conservancy reference below to prevent future collisions.

- 1. American Bird Conservancy Preventing Bird Collisions at Home <a href="https://abcbirds.org/solutions/prevent-home-collisions/">https://abcbirds.org/solutions/prevent-home-collisions/</a>
- 2) American Bird Conservancy Products and Solutions Database: <a href="https://abcbirds.org/glass-collisions/products-database/?\_product\_interest=homeowners">https://abcbirds.org/glass-collisions/products-database/?\_product\_interest=homeowners</a>

These products are easy to install, but if you think you need help you can call a local film installer, handyman, house painter, or window washer – every product listed at the first link above should be a quick job for them.

### **Howard County Organizations selling bird safe window products\*:**

- 1. Howard County Conservancy
- 2. Robinson Nature Center
- 3. Wild Birds Unlimited Columbia

# In case homeowner cannot install film safely: <u>List of Window Film Installers Within 20 mi. of Columbia</u>

1.	D & L Window Tinting	dltinting@yahoo.com	410-661-6000
2.	Solas Window Tint	solastint@gmail.com	410-451-8050
3.	The Tint Man of MD	https://www.thetintmanofmaryland.com	410-768-8787
4.	3 Brothers Window Tinting	http://3brotherswindowtint.com	240-552-0004
5.	Premier Glass Tinting	https://windowtintinganddecorativefilm.co	com/installation-in/ellicott-
	city_md_2389035-498/		410-592-7182
6.	Arctic Window Tinting	https://arcticwindowtinting.com/resident	tial-window-tinting.html
			301-332-5300
7.	Premier Glass Tinting	https://windowtintinganddecorativefilm.co	com/installation-
	in/catonsville_md_2389287	7-498/	410-592-7182
8.	American Window Film	https://americanwindowfilm.com	301-231-9500
9.	APTinting	https://www.aptinting.com/service-area/maryland/rockville/	
			888-481-8468

<sup>\*</sup> **Note!!** Bird-safe film should be applied to windows when the temperature is consistently above 50°F (10°C). The film needs to be at this temperature for it to adhere properly to the glass.