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Dear New Homeowner,

Congratulations on the purchase of your new home. On behalf of the County Executive and the Fire Chief, I would like to welcome you and your family to Montgomery County. This is an exciting time for you with many new tasks to complete. Please take a few minutes to review the attached information regarding some of the fire safety features that are in your home. For instance, did you know.....

- If you have a fire, only the sprinkler where the fire is located operates to control the fire. *Please read the attached information to learn more.*
- Many smoke detectors now have a “hush” button that will allow you to silence your detector for up to ten minutes if toast happens to get too “toasty”. *Please read the attached information to learn more.*
- You should contact your phone carrier to see if they have your correct address and if they have forwarded this to our “911 Center”. If you ever need to call 911, this will ensure that your address will be displayed on the 911 operator’s screen to allow for faster response.

If you have any questions about these topics, or other fire safety concerns please check our website at Montgomerycountymd.gov And again, congratulations on your new home purchase.

Sincerely,

Division Chief Michael Love, Fire Marshal
Montgomery County Fire & Rescue Services

“Together We Can Save Lives And Prevent Injuries”

