

## Maryland DD Council – Priority Legislation

January 29, 2021

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Bill/Chapter (Cross/Chapter)	Title	Sponsor	Current Status	Org Committees & Hearings	Opp Committees & Hearings
<a href="#">HB0059 (SB0147)</a> Rachel – Support with Amendments	Task Force on Higher Education Students With Chronic Health Conditions	<a href="#">Delegate Pena-Melnyk</a>	In the House - Hearing 1/20 at 1:30 p.m.	<a href="#">Appropriations</a> 1/20/2021 - 1:30 PM	
<a href="#">HB0069</a> Rachel - Support	Environment - Single- Use Plastics - Restrictions	<a href="#">Delegate Love</a>	In the House - Hearing 2/17 at 1:30 p.m. (Economic Matters)	<a href="#">Economic Matters</a> 2/17/2021 - 1:30 PM <a href="#">Environment and Transportation</a>	
<a href="#">HB0090</a> Rachel - Support	State and Local Housing Programs – Affirmatively Furthering Fair Housing	<a href="#">Delegate Lierman</a>	In the House - Hearing 1/26 at 1:30 p.m.	<a href="#">Environment and Transportation</a> 1/26/2021 - 1:30 PM	
<a href="#">HB0097 (SB0066)</a> Keith - Support	Department of Housing and Community Development - Office of Digital Inclusion - Established (Digital Connectivity Act of 2021)	<a href="#">Delegate Lierman</a>	In the House - Hearing 1/26 at 1:30 p.m.	<a href="#">Economic Matters</a> 1/26/2021 - 1:30 PM	
<a href="#">HB0114 (SB0199)</a> Keith - Support	Maryland Transit Administration - Funding (Transit Safety and Investment Act)	<a href="#">Delegate Lierman</a>	In the House - Hearing 2/03 at 1:30 p.m.	<a href="#">Appropriations</a> 2/03/2021 - 1:30 PM	
<a href="#">HB0143 (SB0218)</a> Keith - Support	Maryland Child Tax Credit	<a href="#">Delegate Palakovich Carr</a>	In the House - Hearing 1/14 at 1:30 p.m.	<a href="#">Ways and Means</a> 1/14/2021 - 1:30 PM	
<a href="#">HB0153</a> Keith - Support	Election Law - Elections by Mail	<a href="#">Delegate Ivey</a>	In the House - Hearing 1/26 at 1:30 p.m.	<a href="#">Ways and Means</a> 1/26/2021 - 1:30 PM	
<a href="#">HB0155 (SB0098)</a> Rachel - Support	County Boards and Public and Nonpublic Prekindergarten Programs and Schools - Discrimination - Prohibition	<a href="#">Delegate Wilkins</a>	In the House - Hearing 1/27 at 1:30 p.m.	<a href="#">Ways and Means</a> 1/27/2021 - 1:30 PM	
<a href="#">HB0171</a> Rachel - Support	State Department of Education - School Discipline - Data Collection	<a href="#">Delegate Washington</a>	In the House - Favorable Report by Ways and Means	<a href="#">Ways and Means</a> 1/20/2021 - 1:30 PM	

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<a href="#">HB0192</a> Rachel – Letter of Information	Public Schools - Special Education Classrooms - Use of Video	<a href="#">Delegate Guyton</a>	In the House - Unfavorable Report by Ways and Means; Withdrawn	<a href="#">Ways and Means</a>	
<a href="#">HB0203 (SB0519)</a> Rachel - Oppose	Estates and Trusts - Wills and Advance Medical Directives - Notaries Public	<a href="#">Delegate Jackson</a>	In the House - Hearing 2/04 at 1:30 p.m.	<a href="#">Health and Government Operations</a> 2/04/2021 - 1:30 PM	
<a href="#">HB0245</a> Keith – Support	Election Judges - Training and Signs - Accommodations for Voters in Need of Assistance	<a href="#">Delegate Hill</a>	In the House - Hearing 1/19 at 1:30 p.m.	<a href="#">Ways and Means</a> 1/19/2021 - 1:30 PM	
<a href="#">HB0247</a> Keith – Support	Election Law - Voting Order Priority - Individuals Who Need Extra Assistance	<a href="#">Delegate Guyton</a>	In the House - Hearing 1/19 at 1:30 p.m.	<a href="#">Ways and Means</a> 1/19/2021 - 1:30 PM	
<a href="#">HB0273 (SB0266)</a> Rachel - Oppose	Education - Voluntary Ethical Special Education Advocate Certificate Program	<a href="#">Delegate Turner</a>	In the House - Hearing 1/27 at 1:30 p.m.	<a href="#">Ways and Means</a> 1/27/2021 - 1:30 PM	
<a href="#">HB0276</a> Rachel – Support with Amendments	Congregate Care Facilities - Visitation	<a href="#">Delegate Henson</a>	In the House - Hearing 2/02 at 3:45 p.m.	<a href="#">Health and Government Operations</a> 2/02/2021 - 3:45 PM	
<a href="#">HB0290 (SB0455)</a> Keith - Support	Employment Discrimination - Time for Filing Complaints	<a href="#">Delegate Hill</a>	In the House - Hearing 1/14 at 1:30 p.m.	<a href="#">Health and Government Operations</a> 1/14/2021 - 1:30 PM	
<a href="#">HB0318 (SB0441)</a> Rachel - Support	Developmental Disabilities Administration - Self- Directed Services (Self- Direction Act)	<a href="#">Delegate Young, K.</a>	In the House - Hearing 1/26 at 1:30 p.m.	<a href="#">Health and Government Operations</a> 1/26/2021 - 1:30 PM	
<a href="#">HB0321 (SB0061)</a> Rachel - Support	Public Buildings - Changing Facilities - Requirements	<a href="#">Delegate Ebersole</a>	In the House - Hearing 1/14 at 1:30 p.m.	<a href="#">Health and Government Operations</a> 1/14/2021 - 1:30 PM	
<a href="#">HB0347</a> Rachel - Support	Criminal Law - Exploitation of Vulnerable Adult or Elderly Individual - Undue Influence	<a href="#">Delegate Shetty</a>	In the House - Hearing 1/14 at 1:30 p.m.	<a href="#">Judiciary</a> 1/14/2021 - 1:30 PM	

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<a href="#">HB0368 (SB0100)</a> Keith - Support	Task Force on Oral Health in Maryland	<a href="#">Delegate Bagnall</a>	In the House - Hearing 1/19 at 2:00 p.m.	<a href="#">Health and Government Operations</a> 1/19/2021 - 2:00 PM	
<a href="#">HB0370 (SB0225)</a> Rachel - Support	Education - Public and Nonpublic Schools - Seizure Action Plans (Brynleigh's Act)	<a href="#">Delegate Kerr</a>	In the House - Hearing 1/20 at 1:30 p.m. (Ways and Means)	<a href="#">Ways and Means</a> 1/20/2021 - 1:30 PM <a href="#">Health and Government Operations</a>	
<a href="#">HB0375 (SB0211)</a> Rachel - Support	Labor and Employment - Family and Medical Leave Insurance Program - Establishment (Time to Care Act of 2021)	<a href="#">Delegate Valderrama</a>	In the House - Hearing 2/23 at 1:30 p.m.	<a href="#">Economic Matters</a> 2/23/2021 - 1:30 PM	
<a href="#">HB0392</a> Rachel – Support with Amendments	Child Care Centers - Early Childhood Screening and Assistance	<a href="#">Delegate Guyton</a>	In the House - Hearing 1/27 at 1:30 p.m.	<a href="#">Ways and Means</a> 1/27/2021 - 1:30 PM	
<a href="#">HB0394</a> Rachel - Support	Public Schools - Fees for Summer School Courses - Prohibition	<a href="#">Delegate Smith</a>	In the House - Favorable Report by Ways and Means	<a href="#">Ways and Means</a> 1/20/2021 - 1:30 PM	
<a href="#">HB0405</a> Rachel - Support	Special Education - Judicial Actions - Attorney's Fees and Related Costs	<a href="#">Delegate Lopez</a>	In the House - Hearing 1/20 at 1:30 p.m. (Ways and Means)	<a href="#">Ways and Means</a> 1/20/2021 - 1:30 PM <a href="#">Judiciary</a>	
<a href="#">HB0423 (SB0271)</a> Keith - Support	Election Law - Voting Systems - Accessibility for Voters With Disabilities	<a href="#">Delegate Feldmark</a>	In the House - Hearing 2/02 at 1:30 p.m.	<a href="#">Ways and Means</a> 2/02/2021 - 1:30 PM	
<a href="#">HB0493</a> Keith - Support	Election Law - Voting Locations - Accessibility by Public Transportation and Voters With Disabilities	<a href="#">Delegate Guyton</a>	In the House - Hearing 2/02 at 1:30 p.m.	<a href="#">Ways and Means</a> 2/02/2021 - 1:30 PM	
<a href="#">HB0496</a> Rachel - Support	Primary and Secondary Education - Mental Health Services - Expansion (Counselors Not Cops Act)	<a href="#">Delegate Wilkins</a>	In the House - Hearing 2/03 at 1:30 p.m.	<a href="#">Ways and Means</a> 2/03/2021 - 1:30 PM	

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<a href="#">HB0511</a> Rachel - Support	Income Tax - Personal Exemption - Disabled Individuals	<a href="#">Delegate Valentino-Smith</a>	In the House - Hearing 1/28 at 1:30 p.m.	<a href="#">Ways and Means</a> 1/28/2021 - 1:30 PM	
<a href="#">HB0581 (SB0486)</a> Rachel - TBD	Labor and Employment - Employment Standards During an Emergency (Maryland Essential Workers' Protection Act)	<a href="#">Delegate Davis, D.E.</a>	In the House - Hearing 2/05 at 11:00 a.m. (Economic Matters)	<a href="#">Economic Matters</a> 2/05/2021 - 11:00 AM <a href="#">Appropriations</a>	
<a href="#">HB0612 (SB0496)</a> Rachel – Support with Senate Amendments	Recovery for the Economy, Livelihoods, Industries, Entrepreneurs, and Families (RELIEF) Act	<a href="#">Speaker</a>	In the House - Hearing 2/04 at 1:30 p.m. (Ways and Means)	<a href="#">Ways and Means</a> 2/04/2021 - 1:30 PM <a href="#">Economic Matters</a>	
<a href="#">HB0656</a> Keith - Support	Election Law - Early Voting Centers - Accessibility by Public Transportation	<a href="#">Delegate Crosby</a>	In the House - Hearing 2/09 at 1:30 p.m.	<a href="#">Ways and Means</a> 2/09/2021 - 1:30 PM	
<a href="#">HB0690 (SB0036)</a> Keith - Oppose	Election Integrity Act	<a href="#">Delegate Hornberger</a>	In the House - Hearing 2/09 at 1:30 p.m.	<a href="#">Ways and Means</a> 2/09/2021 - 1:30 PM	
<a href="#">HB0702</a> Keith - Support	Higher Education - Standardized Tests - Prohibition of Use in Student Admissions	<a href="#">Delegate Ivey</a>	In the House - First Reading Appropriations	<a href="#">Appropriations</a>	
<a href="#">HB0713 (SB0409)</a> Rachel - Support	County Boards of Education - Therapy Dogs - Policy for Handling and Use in Schools	<a href="#">Delegate Guyton</a>	In the House - Hearing 2/10 at 1:30 p.m.	<a href="#">Ways and Means</a> 2/10/2021 - 1:30 PM	
<a href="#">HB0714 (SB0300)</a> Rachel – Support with Amendments	Special Education - Learning Continuity Plan - Requirement	<a href="#">Delegate Guyton</a>	In the House - Hearing 2/10 at 1:30 p.m.	<a href="#">Ways and Means</a> 2/10/2021 - 1:30 PM	
<a href="#">HB0715</a> Rachel - Letter of Information	Public Schools - Self-Contained Special Education Classrooms - Use of Video Recording Devices	<a href="#">Delegate Guyton</a>	In the House - Hearing 2/10 at 1:30 p.m.	<a href="#">Ways and Means</a> 2/10/2021 - 1:30 PM	
<a href="#">HB0716 (SB0371)</a> Rachel - Support	Special Education – Individualized Education Programs – Educational Evaluations	<a href="#">Delegate Griffith</a>	In the House - Hearing 2/10 at 1:30 p.m.	<a href="#">Ways and Means</a> 2/10/2021 - 1:30 PM	

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<a href="#">HB0717</a> Keith - Support	Education – Technology Resources – Funding (Ending the Digital Divide Act)	<a href="#">Delegate Guyton</a>	In the House - First Reading Appropriations and Ways and Means	<a href="#">Appropriations Ways and Means</a>	
<a href="#">HB0718</a> Rachel - TBD	State Coordinator for Autism Strategy and Advisory Stakeholder Group on Autism-Related Needs - Mandated Appropriation	<a href="#">Delegate Guyton</a>	In the House - First Reading Appropriations	<a href="#">Appropriations</a>	
<a href="#">HB0724 (SB0209)</a> Rachel – Support with Amendments	Special Education - Education and Vocational Services - Prolonged School Closure	<a href="#">Delegate Guyton</a>	In the House - First Reading Ways and Means	<a href="#">Ways and Means</a>	
<a href="#">HB0786</a> Keith - Support	Department of Human Services, Maryland Department of Health, and Department of Education - Easing Access to Family Support Programs	<a href="#">Delegate Kaiser</a>	In the House - First Reading Appropriations	<a href="#">Appropriations</a>	
<a href="#">HB0836</a> Rachel – TBD	COVID-19 Testing, Contact Tracing, and Vaccination Act of 2021	<a href="#">Delegate Pena-Melnyk</a>	In the House - First Reading Health and Government Operations and Appropriations	<a href="#">Health and Government Operations</a> <a href="#">Appropriations</a>	
<a href="#">SB0029</a> Keith - Support	Election Law - Voting - Elections by Mail, Polling Places, and Early Voting Centers	<a href="#">Senator Kramer</a>	In the Senate - Hearing 2/04 at 11:00 a.m.	<a href="#">Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs</a> 2/04/2021 - 11:00 AM	
<a href="#">SB0036 (HB0690)</a> Keith - Oppose	Election Integrity Act	<a href="#">Senator Gallion</a>	In the Senate - First Reading Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs		
<a href="#">SB0061 (HB0321)</a> Rachel - Support	Public Buildings – Changing Facilities – Requirements	<a href="#">Senator Lam</a>	In the Senate - Hearing 1/28 at 11:00 a.m.	<a href="#">Judicial Proceedings</a> 1/28/2021 - 11:00 AM	

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<a href="#">SB0066 (HB0097)</a> Keith - Support	Department of Housing and Community Development - Office of Digital Inclusion - Established (Digital Connectivity Act of 2021)	<a href="#">Senator Elfreth</a>	In the Senate - Hearing 2/09 at 1:00 p.m. (Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs)	<a href="#">Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs</a> 2/09/2021 - 1:00 PM <a href="#">Budget and Taxation</a>	
<a href="#">SB0098 (HB0155)</a> Rachel - Support	County Boards and Public and Nonpublic Prekindergarten Programs and Schools - Discrimination - Prohibition	<a href="#">Senator McCray</a>	In the Senate - Hearing 1/28 at 11:00 a.m.	<a href="#">Judicial Proceedings</a> 1/28/2021 - 11:00 AM	
<a href="#">SB0100 (HB0368)</a> Keith - Support	Task Force on Oral Health in Maryland	<a href="#">Senator Kelley</a>	In the Senate - Hearing 2/03 at 1:00 p.m.	<a href="#">Finance</a> 2/03/2021 - 1:00 PM	
<a href="#">SB0147 (HB0059)</a> Rachel – Support with Amendments	Task Force on Higher Education Students With Chronic Health Conditions	<a href="#">Senator Feldman</a>	In the Senate - Hearing 1/20 at 11:00 a.m.	<a href="#">Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs</a> 1/20/2021 - 11:00 AM	
<a href="#">SB0199 (HB0114)</a> Keith - Support	Maryland Transit Administration - Funding (Transit Safety and Investment Act)	<a href="#">Senator McCray</a>	In the Senate - Hearing 1/27 at 1:00 p.m.	<a href="#">Budget and Taxation</a> 1/27/2021 - 1:00 PM	
<a href="#">SB0209 (HB0724)</a> Rachel – Support with Amendments	Special Education - Prolonged School Closure - Extension of Education Services	<a href="#">Senator Peters</a>	In the Senate - Hearing 1/27 at 11:00 a.m.	<a href="#">Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs</a> 1/27/2021 - 11:00 AM	
<a href="#">SB0211 (HB0375)</a> Rachel – Support	Labor and Employment - Family and Medical Leave Insurance Program - Establishment (Time to Care Act of 2021)	<a href="#">Senator Hayes</a>	In the Senate - Hearing 1/28 at 1:00 p.m.	<a href="#">Finance</a> 1/28/2021 - 1:00 PM	
<a href="#">SB0218 (HB0143)</a> Keith – Support	Maryland Child Tax Credit	<a href="#">Senator King</a>	In the Senate - Hearing 1/27 at 1:00 p.m.	<a href="#">Budget and Taxation</a> 1/27/2021 - 1:00 PM	

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<a href="#">SB0225</a> ( <a href="#">HB0370</a> ) Rachel – Support	Education - Public and Nonpublic Schools - Seizure Action Plans (Brynleigh's Act)	<a href="#">Senator Young</a>	In the Senate - Hearing 1/20 at 3:00 p.m.	<a href="#">Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs</a> 1/20/2021 - 3:00 PM	

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<a href="#">SB0266</a> ( <a href="#">HB0273</a> ) Rachel – Oppose	Education - Voluntary Ethical Special Education Advocate Certificate Program	<a href="#">Senator Patterson</a>	In the Senate - Hearing 1/27 at 11:00 a.m.	<a href="#">Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs</a> 1/27/2021 - 11:00 AM	
<a href="#">SB0271</a> ( <a href="#">HB0423</a> ) Keith – Support	Election Law – Voting Systems – Accessibility for Voters With Disabilities	<a href="#">Senator Lam</a>	In the Senate - First Reading Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs	<a href="#">Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs</a>	
<a href="#">SB0300</a> ( <a href="#">HB0714</a> ) Rachel – Support with Amendments	Special Education – Learning Continuity Plan – Requirement	<a href="#">Senator Peters</a>	In the Senate - Hearing 1/27 at 11:00 a.m.	<a href="#">Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs</a> 1/27/2021 - 11:00 AM	
<a href="#">SB0307</a> Rachel – Support	Labor and Employment - Direct Care Workforce Innovation Program	<a href="#">Senator Guzzone</a>	In the Senate - Hearing 1/21 at 1:00 p.m. (Finance)	<a href="#">Finance</a> 1/21/2021 - 1:00 PM <a href="#">Budget and Taxation</a>	
<a href="#">SB0327</a> Rachel – Support	Civil Actions - Financial Exploitation of Vulnerable Adults (Maryland SAFE Act)	<a href="#">Senator Waldstreicher</a>	In the Senate - Hearing 2/02 at 1:00 p.m.	<a href="#">Judicial Proceedings</a> 2/02/2021 - 1:00 PM	
<a href="#">SB0357</a> Rachel – Support with Amendments	Joint Committee on Workforce Development	<a href="#">Senator Rosapepe</a>	In the Senate - Hearing 2/11 at 1:00 p.m. (Finance)	<a href="#">Finance</a> 2/11/2021 - 1:00 PM <a href="#">Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs</a>	
<a href="#">SB0371</a> ( <a href="#">HB0716</a> ) Rachel – Support	Special Education - Individualized Education Programs - Educational Evaluations	<a href="#">Senator Peters</a>	In the Senate - Hearing 2/11 at 11:00 a.m.	<a href="#">Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs</a> 2/11/2021 - 11:00 AM	

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<a href="#">SB0409 (HB0713)</a> Rachel – Support	County Boards of Education – Therapy Dogs – Policy for Handling and Use in Schools	<a href="#">Senator Kramer</a>	In the Senate - Hearing 2/11 at 11:00 a.m.	<a href="#">Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs</a> 2/11/2021 - 11:00 AM	
<a href="#">SB0441 (HB0318)</a> Rachel – Support	Developmental Disabilities Administration - Self-Directed Services	<a href="#">Senator Lee</a>	In the Senate - Hearing 2/16 at 1:00 p.m.	<a href="#">Finance</a> 2/16/2021 - 1:00 PM	
<a href="#">SB0455 (HB0290)</a> Keith – Support	Employment Discrimination - Time for Filing Complaints	<a href="#">Senator Sydnor</a>	In the Senate - Hearing 2/09 at 1:00 p.m.	<a href="#">Judicial Proceedings</a> 2/09/2021 - 1:00 PM	
<a href="#">SB0486 (HB0581)</a> Rachel – TBD	Labor and Employment - Employment Standards During an Emergency (Maryland Essential Workers' Protection Act)	<a href="#">Senator Augustine</a>	In the Senate - Hearing 2/11 at 1:00 p.m.	<a href="#">Finance</a> 2/11/2021 - 1:00 PM	
<a href="#">SB0496 (HB0612)</a> Rachel – Support with Senate Amendments	Recovery for the Economy, Livelihoods, Industries, Entrepreneurs, and Families (RELIEF) Act	<a href="#">President</a>	In the Senate - Laid Over (Senator Guzzone) Adopted	<a href="#">Budget and Taxation</a> 1/26/2021 - 1:00 PM	
<a href="#">SB0519 (HB0203)</a> Rachel - Oppose	Estates and Trusts - Wills and Advance Medical Directives - Notaries Public	<a href="#">Senator Klausmeier</a>	In the Senate - Hearing 2/16 at 1:30 p.m.	<a href="#">Judicial Proceedings</a> 2/16/2021 - 1:30 PM	