

MD DD Council - Priority Legislation

March 18, 2022

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Bill/Chapter (Cross/Chapter)	Title	Sponsor	Current Status	Org Committees & Hearings	Opp Committees & Hearings
HB0006 (SB0150) Support – Zach	Maryland Medical Assistance Program – Dental Coverage for Adults	Delegate Cullison	In the House - Hearing 2/09 at 1:30 p.m.	Health and Government Operations 2/09/2022 - 1:30 PM	
HB0008 (SB0275) Support – Rachel	Labor and Employment – Family and Medical Leave Insurance Program – Establishment (Time to Care Act of 2022)	Delegate Valderrama	In the House - Hearing 2/15 at 1:00 p.m.	Economic Matters 2/15/2022 - 1:00 PM	
HB0023 Support – Rachel	School Discipline - Data Collection and School Resource Officers	Delegate Washington	In the House - Hearing 1/20 at 1:00 p.m.	Ways and Means 1/20/2022 - 1:00 PM	
HB0056 Support with Amendments – Rachel	Commission on Student Behavioral Health and Mental Health Treatment	Delegate Bagnall	In the House - Hearing 1/20 at 1:00 p.m.	Ways and Means	
HB0065 Support – Zach	Election Law – Early Voting Centers – Bus Stops	Delegate Crosby	In the House - Withdrawn by Sponsor	Ways and Means	
HB0078 Support – Rachel	Discrimination in Employment - Reasonable Accommodations for Applicants With Disabilities	Delegate Rogers	In the Senate - Hearing 3/22 at 1:00 p.m.	Economic Matters 1/25/2022 - 1:00 PM	Judicial Proceedings 3/22/2022 - 1:00 PM

HB0099 Oppose – Zach	Election Law – Absentee Ballots – Signature Requirements and Verification	Delegate Long	In the House - Hearing 1/25 at 1:00 p.m.	Ways and Means 1/25/2022 - 1:00 PM	
HB0113 Oppose – Zach	Elections - In-Person Voting - Proof of Identity	Delegate Long	In the House - Hearing 1/25 at 1:00 p.m.	Ways and Means 1/25/2022 - 1:00 PM	
HB0135 Support – Rachel	Environment – Single–Use Plastics – Restrictions	Delegate Love	In the House - Unfavorable Report by Economic Matters	Economic Matters 2/02/2022 - 1:00 PM	
HB0136 (SB0299) Support – Rachel	Education - Public and Nonpublic Schools - Seizure Action Plans (Brynleigh's Act)	Delegate Kerr	In the Senate - First Reading Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs	Ways and Means 1/20/2022 - 1:00 PM	Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs
HB0141 (SB0023) Support – Zach	Equity in Transportation Sector - Guidelines and Analyses	Delegate Ruth	In the House - Hearing 1/27 at 1:00 p.m.	Environment and Transportation 1/27/2022 - 1:00 PM	
HB0161 Support – Rachel	Criminal Law - Exploitation of Vulnerable Adult or Elderly Individual - Undue Influence	Delegate Shetty	In the Senate - Hearing 3/22 at 1:00 p.m.	Judiciary 1/27/2022 - 1:00 PM	Judicial Proceedings 3/22/2022 - 1:00 PM
HB0212 Oppose – Zach	Election Law - Signature Verification of Absentee Ballots and Absentee Ballot Applications and Ballot Canvassing	Delegate Parrott	In the House - Unfavorable Report by Ways and Means	Ways and Means 2/01/2022 - 1:00 PM	

HB0226 (SB0577) Letter of Information – Rachel	Public Schools - Self-Contained Special Education Classroom Video Recording Pilot Program	Delegate Guyton	In the Senate - First Reading Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs	Ways and Means 2/03/2022 - 1:00 PM	Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs
HB0352 (SB0888) Support – Rachel	Education - American Studies and Social Equity Standards Advisory Board - Academic Standards and Model Policy	Delegate Qi	In the House - Hearing canceled	Ways and Means	
HB0415 (SB0401) Letter of Information – Rachel	Operating Budget - Funding - Scholarships for Nonpublic School Students	Speaker	In the House - Hearing 3/01 at 1:00 p.m.	Appropriations 3/01/2022 - 1:00 PM	
HB0466 Support – Rachel	Income Tax - Personal Exemption - Disabled Individuals	Delegate Valentino-Smith	In the House - Hearing 2/09 at 1:00 p.m.	Ways and Means 2/09/2022 - 1:00 PM	
HB0496 Support – Rachel	Commission on the Establishment of a Family and Medical Leave Insurance Program	Delegate Valderrama	In the House - Second Reading Passed with Amendments	Economic Matters 2/15/2022 - 1:00 PM	
HB0513 Support with Amendments – Rachel	Infant and Early Childhood Mental Health Support Services Program - Established	Delegate Ebersole	In the Senate - First Reading Education, Health, and	Ways and Means 2/17/2022 - 3:00 PM	Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs

			Environmental Affairs and Budget and Taxation		Budget and Taxation
HB0529 (SB0559) Support – Rachel	Estates and Trusts - Supported Decision Making	Delegate Pena-Melnyk	In the House - Hearing 3/09 at 1:00 p.m.	Judiciary 3/09/2022 - 1:00 PM	
HB0547 (SB0617) Support with Amendments – Rachel	Local School Systems - Equivalent Access Standards - Digital Tools (Nonvisual Access Accountability Act for K-12 Education)	Delegate Guyton	In the House - Hearing 2/24 at 1:00 p.m.	Ways and Means 2/24/2022 - 1:00 PM	
HB0572 (SB0486) Support – Rachel	Places of Public Accommodation and Public Buildings - Gender-Inclusive Signage	Delegate Solomon	In the House - Hearing 2/16 at 1:00 p.m. (Economic Matters)	Economic Matters 2/16/2022 - 1:00 PM Health and Government Operations	
HB0660 Support with Amendments – Rachel	Commission to Study the Division of Rehabilitation Services (Student Job Training Reformation Act)	Delegate Guyton	In the Senate - First Reading Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs	Ways and Means 2/24/2022 - 1:00 PM	Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs
HB0664 Support – Rachel	Child Care Programs – Maryland Infants and Toddlers Program – Information and Assistance	Delegate Guyton	In the Senate - First Reading Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs	Ways and Means 2/24/2022 - 1:00 PM	Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs

HB0698 (SB0721) Support with Amendments – Rachel	Labor and Employment - State Minimum Wage Rate - Increase	Delegate Turner	In the House - Hearing 2/22 at 1:00 p.m.	Economic Matters 2/22/2022 - 1:00 PM	
HB0702 Support – Zach	Election Judges - Training and Signs - Accommodations for Voters in Need of Assistance	Delegate Hill	In the House - Hearing 2/15 at 1:00 p.m.	Ways and Means 2/15/2022 - 1:00 PM	
HB0725 (SB0506) Letter of Information – Rachel	Children - Therapeutic Child Care Program - Funding	Delegate Luedtke	In the Senate - First Reading Budget and Taxation	Ways and Means 2/24/2022 - 1:00 PM	Budget and Taxation
HB0726 (SB0625) Support – Zach	Transportation of Disabled Persons - Transportation Network Companies - Employee Requirements	Delegate Ebersole	In the House - Withdrawn by Sponsor	Environment and Transportation 2/17/2022 - 1:00 PM	
HB0727 (SB0541) Letter of Information – Zach	Natural Resources - Maryland Park Service and State Parks - Alterations (Great Maryland Outdoors Act)	Delegate Luedtke	In the House - Hearing 2/23 at 1:00 p.m. (Environment and Transportation)	Environment and Transportation 2/23/2022 - 1:00 PM Appropriations	
HB0737 Letter of Information – Rachel	Alternative Education Options - Right to Learn and Broadening Options and Opportunities for	Delegate Ghrist	In the House - Hearing 2/24 at 1:00 p.m.	Ways and Means 2/24/2022 - 1:00 PM	

	Students Today Programs (Right to Learn Act of 2022)				
HB0845 (SB0623) Support with Amendments – Rachel	Income Tax - Subtraction Modification - Income of Health Care Workers	Delegate Buckel	In the House - Hearing 2/23 at 1:00 p.m.	Ways and Means 2/23/2022 - 1:00 PM	
HB0850 (SB0666) Support – Rachel	Schools, Prekindergarten Programs, and County Boards of Education - Discrimination	Delegate Wilkins	In the House - Second Reading Passed with Amendments	Ways and Means 3/03/2022 - 1:00 PM	
HB0963 Oppose – Zach	Election Law – Absentee Ballots – Signature Verification and Verification Statements and Unsigned Ballot Statements	Delegate Shoemaker	In the House - Hearing 3/08 at 1:00 p.m.	Ways and Means 3/08/2022 - 1:00 PM	
HB0978 Support – Rachel	Income Tax - Caregiver Tax Credit	Delegate Harrison	In the House - Hearing 3/02 at 1:00 p.m.	Ways and Means 3/02/2022 - 1:00 PM	
HB0989 Support – Rachel	Public School Students - Daily Physical Activity (Student Health and Fitness Act)	Delegate Walker	In the House - Hearing 2/25 at 12:30 p.m.	Ways and Means 2/25/2022 - 12:30 PM	
HB0995 (SB0920) Support – Rachel	Early Childhood Development – Child Care Scholarship Program – Alterations	Delegate Solomon	In the Senate - First Reading Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs	Ways and Means 3/04/2022 - 1:00 PM	Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs

HB1019 (SB0838) Support with Amendments – Zach	Transportation - Elderly and Handicapped Transportation Service - County Funding	Delegate Young, K.	In the House - Hearing 3/08 at 1:00 p.m.	Appropriations 3/08/2022 - 1:00 PM	
HB1020 (SB0868) Support IF Amended – Rachel	Developmental Disabilities Administration – Self–Directed Services (Self–Direction Act of 2022)	Delegate Young, K.	In the House - Hearing 3/09 at 3:00 p.m.	Health and Government Operations 3/09/2022 - 3:00 PM	
HB1082 Support – Rachel	Public Health - Consumer Health Information - Hub and Requirements	Delegate Pena-Melnyk	In the House - Hearing 3/09 at 3:00 p.m. (Health and Government Operations)	Health and Government Operations 3/09/2022 - 3:00 PM Appropriations	
HB1098 (SB0832) Support – Rachel	Public Institutions of Higher Education - Students With Chronic Health Conditions - Case Manager	Delegate Pena-Melnyk	In the House - Hearing 3/08 at 1:00 p.m.	Appropriations 3/08/2022 - 1:00 PM	
HB1121 Support IF Amended - Rachel	Driver’s Licenses, Identification Cards, and Registration Plates – Notation for Autism Spectrum	Delegate Jones, R.	In the House - Hearing 3/03 at 1:00 p.m.	Environment and Transportation 3/03/2022 - 1:00 PM	
HB1145 Oppose - Zach	Education - Student Behavior - Parent Notice and Required Counseling (Parent Accountability Act)	Delegate Long	In the House - Hearing 3/09 at 2:30 p.m.	Ways and Means 3/09/2022 - 2:30 PM	

HB1238 Support – Rachel	Places of Public Accommodation - Motion Picture Houses - Captioning	Delegate Bhandari	In the House - Second Reading Passed with Amendments	Economic Matters 3/09/2022 - 1:00 PM	
HB1255 (SB0705) Support – Rachel	Education - Physical Restraint and Seclusion - Limitations, Reporting, and Training	Delegate Ebersole	In the House - Hearing 3/10 at 1:00 p.m.	Ways and Means 3/10/2022 - 1:00 PM	
HB1332 (SB0680) Support – Zach	State and Local Parks - Playground Accessibility - Communication Boards	Delegate Hartman	In the House - Hearing 3/09 at 2:15 p.m.	Environment and Transportation 3/09/2022 - 2:15 PM	
HB1403 (SB0636) Support – Rachel	Maryland Department of Health - Waiver Programs - Waitlist Reduction (End the Wait Act)	Delegate Pena-Melnyk	In the House - Hearing 3/15 at 1:30 p.m.	Health and Government Operations 3/15/2022 - 1:30 PM	
HB1404 Support – Zach	Election Law – Curbside Voting – Establishment	Delegate Williams	In the House - Hearing 3/15 at 1:00 p.m.	Ways and Means 3/15/2022 - 1:00 PM	
SB0023 (HB0141) Support – Zach	Equity in Transportation Sector - Guidelines and Analyses	Senator Carter	In the Senate - Hearing 1/26 at 1:00 p.m.	Finance 1/26/2022 - 1:00 PM	
SB0066 Letter of Information – Rachel	Labor and Employment - Hiring - Education Requirements (Give Me A Chance - Job Opportunities Act of 2022)	Senator Patterson	In the Senate - Unfavorable Report by Finance	Finance 1/27/2022 - 2:00 PM	

SB0093 Support – Rachel	Tax Credits - Employment of Individuals With Disabilities	Senator Kramer	In the House - Hearing 3/23 at 1:00 p.m.	Budget and Taxation 1/18/2022 - 1:00 PM	Ways and Means 3/23/2022 - 1:00 PM
SB0116 Support with Amendments – Rachel	Public Schools - Inclusive and Diverse English Language Arts - Development of Content Standards and Implementation	Senator Ellis	In the Senate - Hearing 2/03 at 1:00 p.m.	Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs 2/03/2022 - 1:00 PM	
SB0150 (HB0006) Support – Zach	Maryland Medical Assistance Program – Dental Coverage for Adults	Senator Augustine	In the Senate - Favorable with Amendments Report by Finance	Finance 1/25/2022 - 1:00 PM	
SB0235 Support – Rachel	Income Tax - Personal Exemption - Disabled Individuals	Senator Jackson	In the Senate - Hearing 1/25 at 2:30 p.m.	Budget and Taxation 1/25/2022 - 2:30 PM	
SB0275 (HB0008) Support – Rachel	Labor and Employment – Family and Medical Leave Insurance Program – Establishment (Time to Care Act of 2022)	Senator Hayes	In the Senate - Second Reading Passed with Amendments	Finance 2/10/2022 - 1:00 PM	
SB0299 (HB0136) Support – Rachel	Education - Public and Nonpublic Schools - Seizure Action Plans (Brynleigh's Act)	Senator Young	In the House - Hearing 3/24 at 1:00 p.m.	Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs 2/03/2022 - 1:00 PM	Ways and Means 3/24/2022 - 1:00 PM
SB0362 Letter of Information – Rachel	Primary and Secondary Education - Virtual Schools - Revisions	Senator Pinsky	In the Senate - Third Reading Passed (31-15)	Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs 2/16/2022 - 1:00 PM	

SB0401 (HB0415) Letter of Information – Rachel	Operating Budget - Funding - Scholarships for Nonpublic School Students	President	In the Senate - Hearing 2/09 at 1:00 p.m.	Budget and Taxation 2/09/2022 - 1:00 PM	
SB0486 (HB0572) Support – Rachel	Places of Public Accommodation and Public Buildings - Gender-Inclusive Signage	Senator Kagan	In the Senate - Hearing 2/15 at 1:00 p.m. (Judicial Proceedings)	Judicial Proceedings 2/15/2022 - 1:00 PM Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs	
SB0506 (HB0725) Letter of Information – Rachel	Children - Therapeutic Child Care Program - Funding	Senator King	In the Senate - Hearing 3/02 at 1:00 p.m.	Budget and Taxation 3/02/2022 - 1:00 PM	
SB0532 Oppose – Zach	Election Law – Polling Places – Proof of Identity	Senator Ready	In the Senate - Hearing 2/23 at 1:00 p.m.	Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs 2/23/2022 - 1:00 PM	
SB0541 (HB0727) Letter of Information – Zach	Natural Resources - Maryland Park Service and State Parks - Alterations (Great Maryland Outdoors Act)	Senator Elfreth	In the House - First Reading Environment and Transportation and Appropriations	Budget and Taxation 2/16/2022 - 1:00 PM Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs	Environment and Transportation Appropriations

SB0559 (HB0529) Support – Rachel	Estates and Trusts - Supported Decision Making	Senator Waldstreicher	In the House - Hearing 3/23 at 1:00 p.m.	Judicial Proceedings 2/17/2022 - 1:00 PM	Judiciary 3/23/2022 - 1:00 PM
SB0577 (HB0226) Letter of Information – Rachel	Public Schools – Self-Contained Special Education Classroom – Use of Video Recording Devices	Senator Klausmeier	In the Senate - Hearing 2/16 at 1:00 p.m.	Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs 2/16/2022 - 1:00 PM	
SB0583 Oppose – Zach	Maryland Center for School Safety – Public Schools – Reporting of Classroom Disruptions	Senator Bailey	In the Senate - Hearing 3/08 at 1:00 p.m.	Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs 3/08/2022 - 1:00 PM	
SB0617 (HB0547) Support with Amendments – Rachel	Local School Systems - Equivalent Access Standards - Digital Tools (Equivalent and Nonvisual Access Accountability Act for K-12 Education)	Senator Zucker	In the House - Hearing 3/24 at 1:00 p.m.	Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs 2/16/2022 - 1:00 PM	Ways and Means 3/24/2022 - 1:00 PM
SB0623 (HB0845) Support with Amendments – Rachel	Income Tax - Subtraction Modification - Income of Health Care Workers	Senator Corderman	In the Senate - Hearing 3/02 at 1:00 p.m.	Budget and Taxation 3/02/2022 - 1:00 PM	

SB0625 (HB0726) Support – Zach	Transportation of Persons With Disabilities - Transportation Network Companies - Employee Requirements and Study	Senator Hettleman	In the Senate - Third Reading Passed (46-0)	Finance 3/09/2022 - 1:00 PM	
SB0636 (HB1403) Support – Rachel	Maryland Department of Health - Waiver Programs - Waitlist and Registry Reduction (End the Wait Act)	Senator Zucker	In the Senate - Second Reading Passed with Amendments	Budget and Taxation 3/02/2022 - 1:00 PM Finance	
SB0660 Support – Rachel	Income Tax - Caregiver Tax Credit	Senator Benson	In the Senate - Hearing 3/02 at 1:00 p.m.	Budget and Taxation 3/02/2022 - 1:00 PM	
SB0666 (HB0850) Support – Rachel	Schools, Prekindergarten Programs, and County Boards of Education – Discrimination	Senator McCray	In the Senate - Hearing 3/10 at 1:00 p.m.	Judicial Proceedings 3/10/2022 - 1:00 PM	
SB0680 (HB1332) Support – Zach	State and Local Parks – Playground Accessibility – Communication Boards	Senator Gallion	In the Senate - Hearing 3/01 at 1:00 p.m.	Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs 3/01/2022 - 1:00 PM	
SB0705 (HB1255) Support – Rachel	Education – Physical Restraint and Seclusion – Limitations, Reporting, and Training	Senator Zucker	In the Senate - Second Reading Passed with Amendments	Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs 3/02/2022 - 1:03 PM	

SB0721 (HB0698) Support with Amendments – Rachel	Labor and Employment - State Minimum Wage Rate - Acceleration	Senator Waldstreicher	In the Senate - Hearing 3/10 at 1:00 p.m.	Finance 3/10/2022 - 1:00 PM	
SB0832 (HB1098) Support – Rachel	Public Institutions of Higher Education – Students With Chronic Health Conditions – Case Manager	Senator Feldman	In the Senate - Hearing 3/02 at 1:03 p.m.	Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs 3/02/2022 - 1:03 PM	
SB0838 (HB1019) Support with Amendments – Zach	Transportation – Elderly and Handicapped Transportation Service – County Funding	Senator Young	In the Senate - Second Reading Passed with Amendments	Budget and Taxation 3/10/2022 - 1:00 PM	
SB0867 Support – Rachel	Maryland Medical Assistance Program - Employed Individuals With Disabilities Program - Requirements (Equal Love for Employees With Disabilities Act)	Senator Lee	In the Senate - Hearing 3/08 at 1:00 p.m.	Finance 3/08/2022 - 1:00 PM	
SB0868 (HB1020) Support IF Amended – Rachel	Developmental Disabilities Administration – Self-Directed Services (Self-Direction Act of 2022)	Senator Lee	In the Senate - Hearing 3/08 at 1:00 p.m.	Finance 3/08/2022 - 1:00 PM	

SB0888 (HB0352) Support – Rachel	Education - American Studies and Social Equity Standards Advisory Board - Academic Standards and Model Policy	Senator Lee	In the Senate - Hearing 3/08 at 1:00 p.m.	Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs 3/08/2022 - 1:00 PM	
SB0920 Support – Rachel	Early Childhood Development - Child Care Scholarship Program - Alterations	Senator King	In the Senate - Hearing 3/15 at 1:00 p.m.	Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs 3/15/2022 - 1:00 PM	