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2023 Legislative Session

The Maryland Transit Caucus is a bipartisan group of more than 90 Senators and Delegates committed to promoting legislation that supports a robust, equitable, modern, and effective transit network that serves all Marylanders. The Caucus is dedicated to centering equity in all transit planning and implementation to ensure all Marylanders, regardless of race, income, disability, or zip code, can fairly access the benefits of our transit system.

Priority Bills

This session, the Caucus is prioritizing the following bills:

Equity in Transportation Sector - Guidelines and Analyses (HB 9/SB 19)

Equitable and Inclusive Transit – Oriented Development Enhancement Act (HB 12/SB 151)

Safe Access for All (SAFE) Roads Act of 2023 (HB 70/SB 16)

Maryland Transit Administration – Fare Price Requirements – Alterations (HB 673/SB 617)

Transit – Grant Funding for Local Service – Alterations (HB 1125/SB 939)

Endorsements

The following bills have received an endorsement from the Transit Caucus:

Electric Vehicle Recharging Equipment Rebate Program – Renewal (HB 7)

Department of Transportation - Consolidated Transportation Program and Debt Limit of Grant Anticipation Revenue Vehicle Bonds (State and Federal Transportation Funding Act) (HB 51/SB 24)

Transportation – Maryland Rail Authority – Establishment (Maryland Rail Investment Act of 2023) (HB 74/SB 412)

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Vehicle Laws - Reduction of Speed Limits by Local Authorities (HB 94/SB 484)

Vehicle Laws – HOV Lanes – Plug-In Electric Drive Vehicles (HB 123)

State Highway Administration - Highway Cleanup - Records and Reporting (HB 252)

Motor Vehicles - Noise Limits and Modification of Exhaust Systems and Noise Abatement Devices (HB 304)

Transportation - Statewide Transportation Improvement Programs and Transportation Improvement Programs - Equity Impacts (HB 341)

Vehicle Laws – Special and Commemorative Registration Plate – Maryland Heroes (HB 652/SB 867)

Electric Vehicle Charging Infrastructure - Requirements (Electric Vehicle Charging Reliability Act) (HB 834)

Transportation – Consolidated Transportation Program – Scoring (HB 1052)

Maryland Department of Transportation - Child Exploitation and Human Trafficking Awareness, Training, and Response (See Someone, Save Someone Act) (HB 1053/SB 203)

Public-Private Partnerships (HB 1201)

Special Vehicle Registration Plates – Chesapeake Bay Trust and Maryland Agricultural Education Foundation – Appropriation (HB 1257/SB 866)