

Committee: House Health and Government Operations Committee

Bill Number: Senate Bill 28

Title: Home- and Community-Based Services Waiver - Participation and

Applications

Hearing Date: March 30, 2022

Position: Support

Moveable Feast supports *House Bill 80 – Home- and Community-Based Services Waiver - Participation and Applications*. This bill will make much needed improvements to the state's community-based waiver process and increase the cap on the number of people who can get waivers.

Over the years, Moveable Feast has provided services to countless community-based waiver recipients. We can testify to how important these waivers are to people's health and wellbeing. We have also worked with many people who are eligible for waivers but are stuck on seemingly endless waitlists. Passing this bill would go a long way to helping connect Marylanders to life changing services.

We urge a favorable report this legislation. If we can provide any further information, please contact Robyn Elliott at <u>relliott@policypartners.net</u>.