

## Statement of Maryland Rural Health Association (MRHA)

To the Education, Energy, and the Environment Committee

Chair: Senator Brian Feldman

February 7, 2024

Senate Bill 0445: Maryland Department of Health - 2-1-1 Maryland - Oversight

**POSITION: SUPPORT** 

Chair Feldman, Vice Chair Kagan, and members of the committee, the Maryland Rural Health Association (MRHA), is in SUPPORT of Senate Bill 0445: Maryland Department of Health - 2-1-1 Maryland - Oversight.

The Maryland Rural Health Association supports altering the definition of "2-1-1 Maryland" to clarify that it is the entity that administers the 2-1-1 system in the State.

Sincerely,

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