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Good afternoon. My name is Laura Crandon. I am a resident of Fulton, MD, a former health insurance executive, and a lifelong Maryland resident. I am founder of Touch4Life™, a 501(c)(3) non-profit headquartered in Clarksville, MD in Howard County Touch4Life is committed to Breast Health Equity. Our mission is to increase the breast health IQ of BIPOC and underserved communities and eliminate breast cancer outcomes disparities. Speaking of disparities, In August of 2015, I received a mammogram report of dense breasts. What I didn't know then but know now, is that dense breasts are a 2X risk factor for Black women; It means the radiologist can't see. Only 20% of Black women are referred for additional screening including ultrasound or MRI, which is what should have happened for me. Instead, just 5 months later and 7 months before my next scheduled mammogram, I found a lump doing a self-exam in the shower. That turned out to be an aggressive form of triple positive breast cancer, stage 2B. Had I been referred for additional screening earlier, I would have caught it earlier and perhaps it wouldn't have returned 2 years later to metastasize to my brain. SB184 is a step in the right direction. However, other states such as CT and PA have much more comprehensive legislation to eliminate barriers to additional screening, biomarkers and genetic testing. I urge you to pass this bill and immediately begin working on a successor to bring MD up to par such that no woman is left behind or dead because our coverage is inadequate because women like me are 41% more likely to die from breast cancer than our white sisters; 2X as likely to develop aggressive Triple Negative Breast Cancer under the age of 35, which is below the mammogram screening guideline; and 3 times more likely to die from breast cancer at a young age. Let's do something to change that grim statistic. SB184 is a start. Thank you.