

Testimony In Support HB0450

Maryland Transit Administration - Disability Reduced Fare Program - Renewal for
Permanently Disabled Individuals

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Position: Favorable

My name is Katie York (they/them), and I am a Disabled community advocate and organizer. *HB0450 Maryland Transit Administration - Disability Reduced Fare Program - Renewal for Permanently Disabled Individuals* will automatically renew Disability Reduced Fare Program certifications for permanently disabled individuals. This change will make it easier for people with permanent disabilities to continue using public transportation without facing complicated renewal processes. It will reduce unnecessary barriers, save time, and lessen the administrative burden for both the Maryland Transit Administration and the program's users. Ultimately, this policy will make transportation more accessible and convenient for those who need it most.

I urge you to return a favorable report.

Regards,

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