



**2023:
What Happened**

**2024:
What's Next**





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Maryland League of Conservation Voters



Mission

Activate Marylanders to promote and pass equitable laws and policies for clean water, healthy air, and a resilient climate.

Vision

A healthy environment for everyone in Maryland.



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2023 Climate Victories



OFF SHORE WIND

ADVANCING GOALS, PLANNING
INFRASTRUCTURE
(HB793/SB731)



COMMUNITY SOLAR

MAKING THE PROGRAM PERMANENT,
AND WORKING FOR EVERYONE
(HB908/SB613), (SB469)



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2023 Climate Victories



CLEAN CARS

PUTTING MARYLAND ON THE FAST
TRACK TO VEHICLE ELECTRIFICATION

CLEAN BUSES AND TRUCKS

TRANSITIONING OUR
TRANSPORTATION SECTOR
FIRST EVER FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES
(HB224/SB230), (HB550/SB548),
(HB201/SB182)



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2023 Land and Water Victories

REPLANTING OUR FORESTS



UPDATING THE FOREST
CONSERVATION ACT WITH COUNTY
FLEXIBILITY
(SB526/SB743)



PRESERVING OUR OPEN SPACE

CREATING A PLAN FOR 40% BY 2040
SUPPORTING GREENSPACE IN
OVERBURDENED AND UNDERSERVED
COMMUNITIES
(SB470/HB631), (SB923/HB503)



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2023 Work Left Undone

ENVIRONMENTAL JUSTICE

PERMITTING DECISIONS, MAPPING
AND
PRIORITIZATION
(HB840/SB743), (HB892/SB813)

ENERGY EFFICIENCY AND CLIMATE PLANS

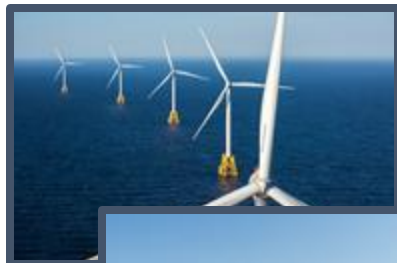
ALIGNING THE EMPOWER PROGRAM
WITH STATE
CLIMATE GOALS
(HB1035/SB905)





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2024 Next Steps



OFF SHORE WIND

IMPLEMENTATION OF POWER ACT
TRACKING ON AND PUSHING FOR FEDERAL
ACTIONS THROUGH BOEM

SOLAR

IMPLEMENTATION OF COMMUNITY
SOLAR
SOLAR INCENTIVES TASK FORCE
RECOMMENDATIONS
SOLAR SITING

MANUFACTURING

REMOVING EXEMPTION FOR GHG
EMISSIONS REDUCTIONS



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2024 Next Steps



CLEAN CARS

IMPLEMENTATION OF CLEAN CARS
ACT

CLEAN BUSES AND TRUCKS

IMPLEMENTATION OF ADVANCED
CLEAN TRUCK RULE
PURSUING ADDITIONAL FUNDING



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