MARYLAND ALLIANCE FOR JUSTICE REFORM

Working to end unnecessary incarceration and build strong, safe communities





MAJR General Meeting

via Zoom, November 14th, 7:00 pm

1. Welcome to all;

You need to preregister for this Zoom meeting.

• After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the meeting.



2. Introduction of your Executive Committee

3. Introduction and approval of our new workgroup co-chairs -

• Behind the Walls: Judy Lichtenberg

• Behind the Walls: Donna Rojas

• Back Door: Darrell Hale

4. 2022 Election - implications - Phil Caroom

• Comments by our workgroup leaders

5. 2023 Legislative Initiatives

• Front Door: Bill Carlson

Behind the Walls: Olinda Moyd

Building Building

Container

• Back Door: Dr. Crystal Francis

6. Upcoming plans meetings:

• 12/3 Ombudsman conference

- 12/8 DPSCS meeting
- 7. General Discussion / Questions?
- 8. Conclusion look for our virtual Lobby Day early next year!

Register here to attend this Zoom meeting.

MAJR Initiatives for 2023

Maryland has opportunities in 2023 to solve key criminal justice problems while also reducing



incarceration, saving taxpayer funds and improving public safety. Maryland Alliance for Justice Reform recommends an evidence-based focus on each main part of our state's criminal justice system:

FRONT DOOR

- Prosecution
- Sentencing
- · Justice for Youth

BEHIND THE WALLS

- Correctional Ombudsman
- Decarceration
- Education Behind the Walls

BACK DOOR

- Expungement
- Collateral Consequences

Read a brief summary of these opportunities here.

Correctional Ombudsman



SHINING THE LIGHT BEHIND THE WALLS

CORRECTIONAL OVERSIGHT OF THE MARYLAND STATE PRISON SYSTEM

Join the Maryland Alliance for Justice Reform (MAJR) on Saturday, December 3, 2022, at 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM

Speakers and attendees will discuss proposed legislation to hire an independent ombudsman to investigate complaints and conditions in Maryland's state prisons.

To attend this event, please register using the following link:

https://us02web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZAucOysqzwpHtYtummfC9lbN38F7-

For questions, do not hesitate to get in touch with MAJR Behind the Walls at behindwalls@ma4jr.org (Olinda Moyd and Judy Lichtenberg - Co-Chairs)

#Light4MDprisons #prisonoversight4MD

MAJR is a nonpartisan, all-volunteer 501(c)4 organization of more than 1800 Marylanders and over 50 endorsing organizations in every part of the state who advocate for evidence-based legislative and policy changes in Maryland's correctional practices. We support effective alternatives to incarceration, policies to address inequities, and efforts to allow citizens returning from prison to lead productive lives.

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