



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QUESTION 3

Constitutional Amendment

(Ch. 147 of the 2012 Legislative Session)

Suspension and Removal of Elected Officials

(Amending Article XV, Section 2 of the Maryland Constitution)

Changes the point at which an elected official charged with certain crimes is automatically suspended or removed from office. Under existing law, an elected official who is convicted or pleads no contest is suspended and is removed only when the conviction becomes final. Under the amended law, an elected official is suspended when found guilty and is removed when the conviction becomes final or when the elected official pleads guilty or no contest.

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For the Constitutional Amendment

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Against the Constitutional Amendment

QUESTION 4

Referendum Petition

(Ch. 191 of the 2011 Legislative Session)

Public Institutions of Higher Education - Tuition Rates

Establishes that individuals, including undocumented immigrants, are eligible to pay in-state tuition rates at community colleges in Maryland, provided the student meets certain conditions relating to attendance and graduation from a Maryland high school, filing of income taxes, intent to apply for permanent residency, and registration with the selective service system (if required); makes such students eligible to pay in-state tuition rates at a four-year public college or university if the student has first completed 60 credit hours or graduated from a community college in Maryland; provides that students qualifying for in-state tuition rates by this method will not be counted as in-state students for purposes of counting undergraduate enrollment; and extends the time in which honorably discharged veterans may qualify for in-state tuition rates.

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For the Referred Law

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Against the Referred Law

QUESTION 5

Referendum Petition

(Ch. 1 of the 2011 Special Session)

Congressional Districting Plan

Establishes the boundaries for the State's eight United States Congressional Districts based on recent census figures, as required by the United States Constitution.

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For the Referred Law

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Against the Referred Law

QUESTION 6

Referendum Petition

(Ch. 2 of the 2012 Legislative Session)

Civil Marriage Protection Act

Establishes that Maryland's civil marriage laws allow gay and lesbian couples to obtain a civil marriage license, provided they are not otherwise prohibited from marrying; protects clergy from having to perform any particular marriage ceremony in violation of their religious beliefs; affirms that each religious faith has exclusive control over its own theological doctrine regarding who may marry within that faith; and provides that religious organizations and certain related entities are not required to provide goods, services, or benefits to an individual related to the celebration or promotion of marriage in violation of their religious beliefs.

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For the Referred Law

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Against the Referred Law

QUESTION 7

Gaming Expansion Referendum

(Ch. 1 of the Second 2012 Special Session)

Gaming Expansion

Do you favor the expansion of commercial gaming in the State of Maryland for the primary purpose of raising revenue for education to authorize video lottery operation licensees to operate "table games" as defined by law; to increase from 15,000 to 16,500 the maximum number of video lottery terminals that may be operated in the State; and to increase from 5 to 6 the maximum number of video lottery operation licenses that may be awarded in the State and allow a video lottery facility to operate in Prince George's County?

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For the Additional Forms and Expansion of Commercial Gaming

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Against the Additional Forms and Expansion of Commercial Gaming

QUESTION A

Bond Issue

School Loan

Ordinance No. 12-25 to authorize the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore to borrow up to \$34,000,000, to be used for the acquisition of land or property to construct and erect new school buildings, athletic and auxiliary facilities; and for additions and improvements to or modernization or reconstruction of existing school buildings or facilities; and to equip all buildings to be constructed, erected, improved, modernized, or reconstructed by the Ordinance; and for doing any and all things necessary, proper or expedient in connection therewith.

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QUESTION B

Bond Issue

Recreation and Parks and Environmental Improvement Loan

Ordinance No. 12-24 to authorize the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore to borrow up to \$8,000,000 to be used for the acquisition, construction, reconstruction, installation, erection, protection, extension, enlargement, renovation and modernization of, and additions and improvements to public park or recreation land, property, buildings, structures or facilities, for the acquisition and installation of trees, for tree planting programs and for the equipping of any and all existing and new buildings, structures, and facilities authorized to be constructed, renovated, altered or improved by this Ordinance; and for doing any and all things necessary, proper or expedient in connection therewith.

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QUESTION C

Bond Issue

Community Development Loan

Ordinance No. 12-18 to authorize the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore to borrow up to \$24,000,000 to be used for, or in connection with, planning, developing, executing and making operative the community development program of the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore; and for doing any and all things necessary, proper or expedient in connection therewith.

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<div><div>QUESTION E</div><div>Bond Issue</div><div>Public Building Loan</div></div> <p>Ordinance No. 12-23 to authorize the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore to borrow up to \$17,000,000 to be used for the acquisition of land or property; for the construction, erection, renovation, alteration, reconstruction, installation, improvement, and repair of buildings, structures, or facilities owned or controlled by the City and the Enoch Pratt Free Library; and for the equipping, operations, functions and activities of any existing and new buildings or facilities to be constructed, renovated, altered, or improved by this Ordinance; and for doing all things necessary, proper or expedient in connection therewith.</p> <div><div><input type="radio"/> For</div><div><input type="radio"/> Against</div></div>	<div><div>QUESTION I</div><div>Bond Issue</div><div>Baltimore Museum of Art Loan</div></div> <p>Ordinance No. 12-19 to authorize the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore to borrow up to \$500,000 to be used for the acquisition of land or property; and for the construction, erection, renovation, alteration, reconstruction, installation, improvement and repair of buildings, structures, or facilities to be or now being used by or in connection with the Baltimore Museum of Art; and for the equipping of any and all existing and new buildings, structures, and facilities authorized to be constructed, renovated, altered or improved by this Ordinance; and for doing all things necessary, proper or expedient in connection therewith.</p> <div><div><input type="radio"/> For</div><div><input type="radio"/> Against</div></div>
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<div><div>QUESTION G</div><div>Bond Issue</div><div>Maryland Zoo in Baltimore Loan</div></div> <p>Ordinance No. 12-22 to authorize the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore to borrow up to \$200,000 to be used for the acquisition of land or property; and for the construction, erection, renovation, alteration, reconstruction, installation, improvement and repair of buildings, structures, or facilities to be or now being used by or in connection with the Maryland Zoo in Baltimore; and for the equipping of any and all existing and new buildings, structures, and facilities authorized to be constructed, renovated, altered or improved by this Ordinance; and for doing all things necessary, proper or expedient in connection therewith.</p> <div><div><input type="radio"/> For</div><div><input type="radio"/> Against</div></div>	<div><div>QUESTION K</div><div>Charter Amendment</div><div>Municipal Elections</div></div> <p>Resolution No. 12-03 for the purpose of confirming State Legislation, by providing for the election of the Mayor, the Comptroller, and the President and Members of the City Council in 2016 and in every succeeding fourth year; adjusting the terms of office for those elected in 2011.</p> <div><div><input type="radio"/> For the Charter Amendment</div><div><input type="radio"/> Against the Charter Amendment</div></div>
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QUESTION L
Charter Amendment
Minority Party Representation on Boards and Commissions

Resolution No. 12-05 for the purpose of allowing voters registered as unaffiliated or as third party members to sit on City boards and commissions as minority party representatives; defining a certain term; generally relating to minority party representation on City boards and commissions.

- ☐ **For the Charter Amendment**
- ☐ **Against the Charter Amendment**

QUESTION M
Charter Amendment
Quadrennial Agency Audits

Resolution No. 12-09 for the purpose of requiring certain City agencies to have their operations audited at least once during every 4-year term of the Mayor and City Council; defining certain terms; specifying who may conduct the audits; and requiring certain reports.

- ☐ **For the Charter Amendment**
- ☐ **Against the Charter Amendment**


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
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QUESTION 3
Constitutional Amendment
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Suspension and Removal of Elected Officials

(Amending Article XV, Section 2 of the Maryland Constitution)

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☐ **For the Constitutional Amendment**

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Tuition Rates
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- ☐ **For the Referred Law**
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QUESTION 4
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Public Institutions of Higher Education -
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☐ **For the Referred Law**

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QUESTION 5
Referendum Petition
(Ch. 1 of the 2011 Special Session)
Congressional Districting Plan

Establishes the boundaries for the State's eight United States Congressional Districts based on recent census figures, as required by the United States Constitution.

☐ **For the Referred Law**

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QUESTION 6
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(Ch. 2 of the 2012 Legislative Session)
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QUESTION 7

Gaming Expansion Referendum
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☐ **For the Additional Forms and Expansion of Commercial Gaming**

☐ **Against the Additional Forms and Expansion of Commercial Gaming**

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QUESTION C
Bond Issue
Community Development Loan

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QUESTION L
Charter Amendment
Minority Party Representation on Boards and Commissions

Resolution No. 12-05 for the purpose of allowing voters registered as unaffiliated or as third party members to sit on City boards and commissions as minority party representatives; defining a certain term; generally relating to minority party representation on City boards and commissions.

- ☐ **For the Charter Amendment**
- ☐ **Against the Charter Amendment**

QUESTION M
Charter Amendment
Quadrennial Agency Audits

Resolution No. 12-09 for the purpose of requiring certain City agencies to have their operations audited at least once during every 4-year term of the Mayor and City Council; defining certain terms; specifying who may conduct the audits; and requiring certain reports.

- ☐ **For the Charter Amendment**
- ☐ **Against the Charter Amendment**


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
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INSTRUCTIONS

To vote, completely fill in the oval  to the left of your choice(s). Mark only with a #2 pencil. DO NOT ERASE. If you make a mistake you may request a new ballot. If your vote for a candidate or question is marked in such a manner that your intent is not clearly demonstrated, your vote for that office may not be counted. To protect the secrecy of your vote, do not put your name, initials, or any identifying mark on your official ballot.

To vote for a candidate whose name is not printed on the ballot, write in the name of the candidate on the designated write-in line under that office title and completely fill in the oval  to the left of the write-in candidate's name.

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QUESTION 3
Constitutional Amendment
(Ch. 147 of the 2012 Legislative Session)
Suspension and Removal of Elected Officials

(Amending Article XV, Section 2 of the Maryland Constitution)

Changes the point at which an elected official charged with certain crimes is automatically suspended or removed from office. Under existing law, an elected official who is convicted or pleads no contest is suspended and is removed only when the conviction becomes final. Under the amended law, an elected official is suspended when found guilty and is removed when the conviction becomes final or when the elected official pleads guilty or no contest.

☐ **For the Constitutional Amendment**

☐ **Against the Constitutional Amendment**

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- QUESTION 4**
Referendum Petition
(Ch. 191 of the 2011 Legislative Session)
Public Institutions of Higher Education -
Tuition Rates
- Establishes that individuals, including undocumented immigrants, are eligible to pay in-state tuition rates at community colleges in Maryland, provided the student meets certain conditions relating to attendance and graduation from a Maryland high school, filing of income taxes, intent to apply for permanent residency, and registration with the selective service system (if required); makes such students eligible to pay in-state tuition rates at a four-year public college or university if the student has first completed 60 credit hours or graduated from a community college in Maryland; provides that students qualifying for in-state tuition rates by this method will not be counted as in-state students for purposes of counting undergraduate enrollment; and extends the time in which honorably discharged veterans may qualify for in-state tuition rates.
- ☐ **For the Referred Law**
- ☐ **Against the Referred Law**

QUESTION 4
Referendum Petition
(Ch. 191 of the 2011 Legislative Session)
Public Institutions of Higher Education -
Tuition Rates

Establishes that individuals, including undocumented immigrants, are eligible to pay in-state tuition rates at community colleges in Maryland, provided the student meets certain conditions relating to attendance and graduation from a Maryland high school, filing of income taxes, intent to apply for permanent residency, and registration with the selective service system (if required); makes such students eligible to pay in-state tuition rates at a four-year public college or university if the student has first completed 60 credit hours or graduated from a community college in Maryland; provides that students qualifying for in-state tuition rates by this method will not be counted as in-state students for purposes of counting undergraduate enrollment; and extends the time in which honorably discharged veterans may qualify for in-state tuition rates.

☐ **For the Referred Law**

☐ **Against the Referred Law**

☐ For the Referred Law

☐ Against the Referred Law

QUESTION 5
Referendum Petition
(Ch. 1 of the 2011 Special Session)
Congressional Districting Plan

Establishes the boundaries for the State's eight United States Congressional Districts based on recent census figures, as required by the United States Constitution.

☐ **For the Referred Law**

☐ **Against the Referred Law**

☐ **For the Referred Law**

☐ **Against the Referred Law**

QUESTION 6
Referendum Petition
(Ch. 2 of the 2012 Legislative Session)
Civil Marriage Protection Act

Establishes that Maryland's civil marriage laws allow gay and lesbian couples to obtain a civil marriage license, provided they are not otherwise prohibited from marrying; protects clergy from having to perform any particular marriage ceremony in violation of their religious beliefs; affirms that each religious faith has exclusive control over its own theological doctrine regarding who may marry within that faith; and provides that religious organizations and certain related entities are not required to provide goods, services, or benefits to an individual related to the celebration or promotion of marriage in violation of their religious beliefs.

☐ **For the Referred Law**

☐ **Against the Referred Law**

☐ For the Referred Law

☐ Against the Referred Law

QUESTION 7

Gaming Expansion Referendum
(Ch. 1 of the Second 2012 Special Session)
Gaming Expansion

Do you favor the expansion of commercial gaming in the State of Maryland for the primary purpose of raising revenue for education to authorize video lottery operation licensees to operate "table games" as defined by law; to increase from 15,000 to 16,500 the maximum number of video lottery terminals that may be operated in the State; and to increase from 5 to 6 the maximum number of video lottery operation licenses that may be awarded in the State and allow a video lottery facility to operate in Prince George's County?

☐ **For the Additional Forms and Expansion of Commercial Gaming**

☐ **Against the Additional Forms and Expansion of Commercial Gaming**

☐ **For the Additional Forms and Expansion of Commercial Gaming**

☐ **Against the Additional Forms and Expansion of Commercial Gaming**

QUESTION A
Bond Issue
School Loan

Ordinance No. 12-25 to authorize the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore to borrow up to \$34,000,000, to be used for the acquisition of land or property to construct and erect new school buildings, athletic and auxiliary facilities; and for additions and improvements to or modernization or reconstruction of existing school buildings or facilities; and to equip all buildings to be constructed, erected, improved, modernized, or reconstructed by the Ordinance; and for doing any and all things necessary, proper or expedient in connection therewith.

☐ **For**

☐ **Against**

☐ **For**

☐ **Against**

QUESTION B
Bond Issue
Recreation and Parks and Environmental
Improvement Loan

Ordinance No. 12-24 to authorize the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore to borrow up to \$8,000,000 to be used for the acquisition, construction, reconstruction, installation, erection, protection, extension, enlargement, renovation and modernization of, and additions and improvements to public park or recreation land, property, buildings, structures or facilities, for the acquisition and installation of trees, for tree planting programs and for the equipping of any and all existing and new buildings, structures, and facilities authorized to be constructed, renovated, altered or improved by this Ordinance; and for doing any and all things necessary, proper or expedient in connection therewith.

☐ **For**

☐ **Against**

☐ **For**

☐ **Against**

QUESTION C
Bond Issue
Community Development Loan

Ordinance No. 12-18 to authorize the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore to borrow up to \$24,000,000 to be used for, or in connection with, planning, developing, executing and making operative the community development program of the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore; and for doing any and all things necessary, proper or expedient in connection therewith.

☐ **For**

☐ **Against**

☐ **For**

☐ **Against**

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<div><div>QUESTION D</div><div>Bond Issue</div><div>Economic Development Loan</div></div> <p>Ordinance No. 12-20 to authorize the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore to borrow up to \$15,800,000 to be used for, or in connection with, planning, developing, executing and making operative the commercial and industrial economic development program of the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore; authorizing loans and grants to various projects and programs related to improving cultural life and promotion of tourism in Baltimore City and for doing any and all things necessary, proper or expedient in connection therewith.</p> <div><div><input type="radio"/> For</div><div><input type="radio"/> Against</div></div>	<div><div>QUESTION H</div><div>Bond Issue</div><div>Maryland Science Center Loan</div></div> <p>Ordinance No. 12-21 to authorize the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore to borrow up to \$200,000 to be used for the acquisition of land or property; and for the construction, erection, renovation, alteration, reconstruction, installation, improvement and repair of buildings, structures, or facilities to be or now being used by or in connection with the operations, functions and activities of Maryland Science Center; and for the equipping of any and all existing and new buildings, structures, and facilities authorized to be constructed, renovated, altered or improved by this Ordinance; and for doing all things necessary, proper or expedient in connection therewith.</p> <div><div><input type="radio"/> For</div><div><input type="radio"/> Against</div></div>
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Charter Amendment
Minority Party Representation on Boards and Commissions

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