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**From:** Poisson, Aimee L  
**Sent:** Monday, February 03, 2014 10:21 AM  
**To:** Lance Ledebur  
**Cc:** [REDACTED]

**Subject:** RE: Press

Thank you. The press coverage was excellent there have been a number of articles about the bill and the student opposition. This editorial is my favorite.

*Our say: Student board member should keep voting rights*

*Posted: Friday, January 31, 2014 5:00 am*

*Every General Assembly session produces bills that seem to be solutions wandering the landscape in desperate search of a problem. Measures, in other words, like Sen. Ed Reilly's Senate Bill 194, which would bar the student member of the Anne Arundel County school board from voting on budgets, collective bargaining decisions, and teacher and administrator disciplinary matters.*

*The county's student school board member has had full voting rights for nearly four decades, without causing discernible problems. Indeed, the Crofton Republican, in presenting his bill to a Senate committee on Wednesday, conceded the county has had "spectacular" young people in the position. Reilly's review of more than 200 board votes in a year found only one 5-4 tally on which the student member's vote might be claimed as decisive.*

*So what is the problem? During the hearing, Reilly didn't actually say. He simply rehearsed the age requirements for federal and state elected officials, adding that when it comes to public officials, "people have recognized the need to have a certain amount of experience, a certain knowledge of life's challenges."*

*But the point of having a student board member is to give a voice to the school system's 78,000 pupils. The law specifies that the student member be selected as a junior and serve the one-year term in his or her senior year. So that person is drawing from 11 years of experience in the schools — most likely the county's public schools — and knows things about the challenges of being a student that some of the other board members have probably forgotten or, because times have changed, never knew.*

*As Reilly mentioned, the county is an outlier in letting its student school board member vote on everything. It is apparently the only local school board in the nation that does so. But absent any evidence this has caused difficulties, why is that a bad thing? Perhaps other jurisdictions have something to learn from Anne Arundel.*

*Indeed, during Wednesday's hearing, the testimony of student board members and representatives from elsewhere in the state showed that this county is a model and an inspiration. "I'm pretty much the only precedent for them to use," said Else Drooff of Broadneck High School, the current student board member.*

*The maturity and poise of the students who testified against the legislation effectively rebutted the bill's underlying presumption. As school board President Teresa Milio Birge told the senators, there has never been a problem with the diligence or work ethic of the student board members. Why, after nearly 40 years, should they be barred from taking part in the most important votes the board casts?*

*The committee and the county legislative delegation should reject this bill.*

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**From:** Lance Ledebur [<mailto:LLedebur@msde.state.md.us>]  
**Sent:** Monday, February 03, 2014 10:11 AM  
**To:** [REDACTED] Poisson, Aimee L  
**Subject:** Press

Thought you might want to see this. Comes from our daily listings from the MSDE PR man.

Bill Would Curtail Full Voting Rights for AA Student Board Member -<http://www.baltimoresun.com/news/maryland/anne-arundel/annapolis/bs-md-ar-smob-20140129.0.6566216.story>

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**From:** Poisson, Aimee L  
**Sent:** Friday, January 31, 2014 3:44 PM  
**To:** Goldstein, Scott; [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

**Subject:** SB 194 Status

Hello All,  
Our big adventure on Wednesday went extremely well. The student testimony was succinct and articulate. Our students conducted themselves brilliantly. Despite snow and bitter cold, the hearing went on as scheduled and our student's testimony was heard by the Health, Ed, and Enviro Committee.

It was the epitome of a learning experience. For the majority of the students who attended, this was the first committee hearing. Speeches were given, questions were answered, and the student perspective was well represented. The senators took interest and commended our participation.

For now, as this is a local bill, the committee will defer to the Anne Arundel delegation. We will know where they stand in a few days.

I don't want to list names because I'll forget someone but we thank all who contributed to our efforts.

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**From:** Poisson, Aimee L  
**Sent:** Friday, January 31, 2014 9:49 AM  
**To:** Anita Kraemer  
**Cc:** Jeff Rogge (JRogge@cbf.org)  
**Subject:** RE: Maryland Environmental Literacy Panel

I have a really hard time with professional bios! I can't write about myself without sounding ridiculous. The paragraph below is the best I've got right now. If you want to keep it super serious, you can edit out the last sentence but my presentation starts off with a humorous exercise so this might be the best tone to go with.

"Aimee Poisson currently serves the Anne Arundel County Public School system as the student leadership administrator. In this capacity, she coordinates student government elections, legislative activism, service projects, and social movements. She is the advisor to one of Maryland's chief youth leadership organizations, the Chesapeake Regional Association of Student Councils. Her past professional experiences include adventures in nonprofit management, outdoor education, and maritime arts. When she is not facilitating the revolution, or racing sailboats, Aimee enjoys growing championship lettuce and herding cats. She does not take herself very seriously and is awkward when writing about herself in third person."

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-----Original Message-----

**From:** Anita Kraemer [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Friday, January 31, 2014 8:40 AM  
**To:** Poisson, Aimee L  
**Cc:** 'Allyson Ladley Gibson - ext. 2069'  
**Subject:** RE: Maryland Environmental Literacy Panel

Aimee,  
Could you send me a short bio today so we can include it in the 2/4-5 workshop agenda? Thanks. Anita Kraemer

-----Original Message-----

**From:** Kiesa, Abby [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Thursday, January 30, 2014 11:22 AM  
**To:** Tom Ackerman - ext. 2061; Shumaker, Bryan; Madison Warfield; Poisson, Aimee L  
**Cc:** Anita Kraemer  
**Subject:** Re: Maryland Environmental Literacy Panel

Tom and Anita -

Does this work? (see below)

Thanks,  
Abby

Abby currently works at CIRCLE, a national research center on young people's civic engagement, where she serves as liaison to practitioner organizations across the country. She also works on CIRCLE's qualitative research and evaluation projects, including two major national studies: Millennials Talk Politics: A Study of College Student Political Engagement, and "That's Not Democracy": How Out-of-School Youth Participate in Civic Life and What Stands in Their Way.

Before CIRCLE, Abby organized students as part of a national campaign of Campus Compact to increase youth involvement in public life. She has contributed to several publications and co-edited 'Raise Your Voice: A Student Guide to Making Positive Social Change'. In 2007 Abby was named an Emerging Leader in Service-Learning, an initiative to "elevate and prepare a new, culturally diverse generation of service-learning leaders committed to working with traditionally under-served populations, schools and communities." Abby has an M.A. in American Studies from the University of Maryland.

From: "Tom Ackerman - ext. 2061"

Date: Thursday, January 23, 2014 1:21 PM

To: "Shumaker, Bryan"

Madison Warfield

"Poisson, Aimee L"

<APOISSON@AACPS.org<mailto:APOISSON@AACPS.org>>, Abby Kiesa

Cc: Anita Kraemer

Subject: Maryland Environmental Literacy Panel

Bryan, Maddie, Aimee, and Abby,

If you don't mind, it would be great to have a short bio to share with the audience for our upcoming panel.

Could you send a one paragraph bio to Anita Kramer, our grant manager, cc'ed above?

Thanks,

Tom

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**From:** Poisson, Aimee L  
**Sent:** Thursday, January 30, 2014 3:03 PM  
**To:** Cuches, Jessica S  
**Subject:** RE: contact info

Thanks. I wasn't sure if I could get him at the number. I'll email

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**From:** Cuches, Jessica S  
**Sent:** Thursday, January 30, 2014 3:02 PM  
**To:** Poisson, Aimee L  
**Subject:** RE: contact info

Aimee,

The phone number listed on the website is [REDACTED] He's in Annapolis a lot this time of year and it may be easier to get him via email. His email address is [REDACTED]

Jessica

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**From:** Poisson, Aimee L  
**Sent:** Thursday, January 30, 2014 2:39 PM  
**To:** Cuches, Jessica S  
**Subject:** contact info

Hi Jessica,  
Sorry, I know I am driving you crazy this week. I promise, I will not always be in your grill. I couldn't find a direct contact on the PSSAM website for Carl Roberts. Do you have a phone number for him that I might use??

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You know [REDACTED] brought that up. We were silent about our opposition to the bill until yesterday so the press only covered the other perspective on the bill. The state house reporter generally covers the bills from the legislators perspective. I considered emailing Sara Blumberg on it, because she can generally be counted on to stir up some stink but her past representations of students have left me in a place where I cant trust her.

I was concerned about our public image as we presented our argument so the strategy was to respond as measured and calculated so to reinforce the maturity and sophistication of our student leaders. (I was secretly horrified by the idea of a mob of angry teens having a temper tantrum on the state house steps and I wanted to avoid looking like a PETA protest)

The point came across loud and clear. The kids conducted themselves with superlative responsibility and intelligence. The Arundel delegation will have to take a position on the bill now. If they don't kill it, the committee will have to give a report on it. If they give it a favorable report, it would go the senate floor, but even then it would have to pass both houses so I don't realistically think there is reason to worry. But it certainly does raise questions about the moral compass of our elected leaders and their failure to connect with the under 18 demographic. Ed Reilly claims to have been making a statement about public policy but the only real statement he made was about how he is a condescending jackass with no sense of accountability towards his district.

[http://www.capitalgazette.com/news/schools/students-testify-against-legislation-to-limit-voting-rights-of-board/article\\_c67a790b-6c00-5e38-81ee-07c62f0971e0.html](http://www.capitalgazette.com/news/schools/students-testify-against-legislation-to-limit-voting-rights-of-board/article_c67a790b-6c00-5e38-81ee-07c62f0971e0.html)

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**To:** Poisson, Aimee L  
**Subject:** RE:

Don't be sorry. It's actually on my facebook page so whatever.  
I just think if we can get adults on this the word would spread.  
For the author of the article and Mr. Reilly to speak so lowly of the kids is just awful and demeaning.  
Keep on supporting these kids. They need a voice and support.  
Let me know if there is anything I can do or something I use to spread the word.  
Maybe [REDACTED] press release can be used????

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**From:** Poisson, Aimee L  
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When I was waiting for the kids to get a ride, I decided to read the comments on the articles. I read this great comment out loud then burst out laughing when I realized that it was you!!

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Balance a checkbook! I was gonna scream.

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**Subject:** Stances Development Night Postponed, bill hearing still on

Due to weather, school closings, and conflicting CRASC activities, CRASC Stances Development Night has been postponed. Stances Development was originally scheduled for this evening Jan 29<sup>th</sup>. Additional information will follow on the rescheduled date.

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**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** FW: tomorrow's agenda, dress code, final thoughts  
**Attachments:** Final Testimony.pdf

Omg. Ync testimony. For you entertainment.

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CRASC Advisor  
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**From:** [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, January 29, 2014 9:47 AM  
**To:** Poisson, Aimee L  
**Subject:** Re: tomorrow's agenda, dress code, final thoughts

[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]

On Tue, Jan 28, 2014 at 1:13 PM, [REDACTED] wrote:  
Mrs. Poisson,

Do you know what room the hearing is in?

Sareana

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[Redacted signature]

**Mosier, Bob**

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**From:** Poisson, Aimee L  
**Sent:** Wednesday, January 29, 2014 8:59 AM  
**To:** Sandee [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** Re: tomorrow's agenda, dress code, final thoughts

Yes. Its all true. You and [REDACTED] can meet us at the house building at noon unless you want to come here and ride the bus. If that is your choice please be at the board at 11. Thank you for your assistance.

*Sent from my Verizon Wireless 4G LTE DROID*

[REDACTED] wrote:

Where should I meet you and what time?  
[REDACTED] said that you didn't need [REDACTED] is that still true?  
Thanks!  
Sandee

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**From:** Poisson, Aimee L  
**Sent:** Wednesday, January 29, 2014 8:37 AM  
**To:** Pelham, Sarah S; [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** RE: Written Testimony

I have your 25 copies in my packet, they are being dropped off this morning. Save yourself the time at the copier. I will text you when we leave the boe and try to have us dropped at the house building right at noon. See you soon.

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-----Original Message-----

**From:** Pelham, Sarah S  
**Sent:** Wednesday, January 29, 2014 8:33 AM  
**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Cc:** Poisson, Aimee L  
**Subject:** Re: Written Testimony

Good job [REDACTED] Will you be at the BOE this AM?

Sent from my iPhone

> On Jan 29, 2014, at 12:10 AM, [REDACTED] wrote:  
>  
> Hi Ms. Poisson,  
>  
> Thank you for meeting with me this evening to discuss the content of my written testimony. It is attached. Don't worry about making copies... I can take care of it. You have enough on your plate for tomorrow. I would still really appreciate if you could register me to speak. Any last minute comments about my written testimony would be welcome and appreciated (from you too Ms. Pelham!)  
>  
> Thanks,  
> [REDACTED]  
> <SB194.pdf>

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**From:** Poisson, Aimee L  
**Sent:** Wednesday, January 29, 2014 12:14 AM  
**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** Re: Testimony notes

Of course. See you tomorrow.

*Sent from my Verizon Wireless 4G LTE DROID*

[REDACTED] wrote:

Print an extra copy for me please? Just want to be careful!

Sent from my iPad

**Mosier, Bob**

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**From:** Poisson, Aimee L  
**Sent:** Wednesday, January 29, 2014 12:14 AM  
**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** Re: SMOB Testimony

this looks great to me. Should I register you to speak tomorrow? Please be at the board building at 11am.

*Sent from my Verizon Wireless 4G LTE DROID*

[REDACTED] wrote:

But, here they are anyways! (There are two, but they only differ in the 1st paragraph. One is more Board related, the other School related.)

Good luck at the hearing! You guys will rock!

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[REDACTED]

**Mosier, Bob**

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**From:** Poisson, Aimee L  
**Sent:** Tuesday, January 28, 2014 11:37 PM  
**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** Re: [REDACTED] written final

Thanks you.

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[REDACTED] wrote:

Here you go! Changed a few things just so it felt a little more like my voice

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**From:** Poisson, Aimee L  
**Sent:** Tuesday, January 28, 2014 10:00 PM  
**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** Re: Capital story, SB194

Its a teaser. There will be more coverage tomorrow.

*Sent from my Verizon Wireless 4G LTE DROID*

[REDACTED] wrote:

What did you think of the article?

[REDACTED]

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**From:** "Aimee L Poisson" <APOISSON@AACPS.org>

**To:** [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] "Steven V Aikens"  
<SAIKENS@AACPS.org>, "Delise J Brown" <DJBROWN@AACPS.org>, "Doug R Brown"  
<DRBROWN2@AACPS.org>, "Amanda M Brunner" <AMBRUNNER@AACPS.org>, "Bryan G Godfrey"  
<BGODFREY@AACPS.org>, "Ankita Chandupatla" <ACHANDUPATLA@AACPS.org>, "Carolyn J Chew"  
<CCHEW@AACPS.org>, "Elizabeth K Clautice" <ECLAUTICE@AACPS.org>, "Joseph Cooper"  
<JCOOPER1@AACPS.org>, "Danielle R Crankfield" <DCRANKFIELD@AACPS.org>, "Patricia E. DeLaet"  
<PDELAET@AACPS.org>, "Joyce A Dougherty" <JDOUGHERTY@AACPS.org>, "Joanne M Francis"  
<JMFRANCIS@AACPS.org>, "Garnett C Poteet" <GCPOTEET@aacps.org>, "Roberta S Gilbertson"  
<RGILBERTSON@AACPS.org>, "Kellie J Goforth" <KJGOFORTH@AACPS.org>, "Krystal L Gulden"  
<KGULDEN@AACPS.org>, "Jennifer Frances Hall" <JFHALL@AACPS.org>, "Tara A Hammond"  
<THAMMOND@AACPS.org>, "Crystal M Hanson" <CHANSON@AACPS.org>, "Anna R Harding"

<ARHARDING@AACPS.org>, "Jennifer Lynne Hill" <JLHILL@AACPS.org>, "Janet Irene Hines" <JHINES@AACPS.org>, "Chris Sean Hinsvark" <CHINSVARK@AACPS.org>, "Alexander Horwitz" <AHORWITZ@AACPS.org>, "Ashley N Housand" <AHOUSAND@AACPS.org>, "Victoria L Katona" <VKATONA@AACPS.org>, "DeMarcus A Lewis" <DALEWIS1@AACPS.org>, "Tammy L Littleton" <TLITTLETON@AACPS.org>, "Kate L Lyate" <KLYATE@AACPS.org>, "Michael J Maher" <MJMAHER@AACPS.org>, "Patrick James Malone" <PMALONE@AACPS.org>, "Jacqueline A McClure" <JAMCCLURE@AACPS.org>, "Rachael Kate Morrison" <RMORRISON@AACPS.org>, "Melody Ann Neal" <MNEAL@AACPS.org>, "Leah L A Noreiga" <LNOREIGA@AACPS.org>, "Allison T Pastine" <APASTINE@AACPS.org>, "Jaclyn M Phelan" <JPHELAN@AACPS.org>, "Kasey L Poynton" <KLPOYNTON@AACPS.org>, "Keysha T Riddick" <KRIDDICK@AACPS.org>, "Deanna C Romeo" <DROMEIO@AACPS.org>, "Rosemarie A Schwer" <RSCHWER@AACPS.org>, "Barbara C Segnatelli" <BSEGNATELLI@AACPS.org>, "Catherine S Snyder" <CSNYDER@AACPS.org>, "Kimberly M.N. Spence" <KMSPENCE1@AACPS.org>, "Nicole Kirkland Tello" <NTELLO@AACPS.org>, "Jennifer L Thatcher" <JThatcher@AACPS.org>, "Joshua T White" <JTWHITE@AACPS.org>, "Debra Wyatt" <DWYATT1@AACPS.org>

**Sent:** Tuesday, January 28, 2014 11:06:05 AM

**Subject:** FW: Capital story, SB194

Fyi, pre coverage. Expect more press tomorrow.

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**From:** Mosier, Bob

**Sent:** Tuesday, January 28, 2014 11:03 AM

**To:** Arlotto, George P; Cuches, Jessica S; Poisson, Aimee L

**Subject:** Capital story, SB194

**FYI.**

## **Bill seeks to curtail student school board member's voting rights**

By **ALLISON BOURG** [abourg@capgaznews.com](mailto:abourg@capgaznews.com) | **Posted: Tuesday, January 28, 2014 9:15 am**

Should someone who may never have balanced a checkbook have a say in the school system's billion-dollar budget?

The answer is no, according to state Sen. Ed Reilly, R-Crofton.

Reilly, a member of the Senate's Education, Health and Environmental Affairs Committee, has introduced Senate Bill 194, which would curtail the voting rights of the student member of the Anne Arundel County Board of Education.



The county's school board is the only one in the country that extends full voting rights to its student member.

"It's always bugged me that a 17- or 18-year-old student, who's been elected by 14-, 15- or 16-year-olds, has the same authority" as board members with much more life experience, Reilly said.

"This is a public policy statement."

Reilly's bill, which is scheduled for a committee hearing at 1 p.m. Wednesday, would prohibit the student member from voting on matters relating to capital and operating budgets, collective bargaining and disciplinary matters pertaining to teachers and administrators.

Reilly said he's happy to have the student member vote on everything else.

"I want them in the room. I want them participating," he said.

Each year, the Chesapeake Regional Association of Student Councils nominates a junior from one of the county high schools to serve as the board's student member. The student, who serves through his or her senior year, is then officially appointed by the governor.

Else Drooff, a senior at Broadneck High, is this year's student board member. She was unavailable for comment Monday.

Deborah Ritchie, school board vice president, said she doesn't see why Reilly's bill is necessary. The student, she said, is only one-ninth of the school board.

Ritchie said she has worked with four student board members during her time on the board, and each has impressed her with their thoughtfulness and maturity.

The students, she said, look at matters from a different perspective, often noticing minute details that adults might gloss over.

"They don't take it lightly," Ritchie said. "They don't act like what you'd think a kid would act like."

*Bob Mosier*

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**Sent:** Wednesday, January 29, 2014 10:20 AM  
**To:** Cuches, Jessica S  
**Subject:** speakers  
  
**Importance:** High

Hi,  
Sorry I should have gotten this to you earlier. I've just registered the following people to speak as a panel at today's hearing.

Teresa Milio Birge	Former CRASC Pres
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]
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**From:** Poisson, Aimee L  
**Sent:** Wednesday, January 29, 2014 2:49 PM  
**To:** Cuches, Jessica S  
**Subject:** Re: speakers

Omg. This is like a bad prank. I know they can hear the bills in any order but do we have any indication of when they will get to 194?

*Sent from my Verizon Wireless 4G LTE DROID*

"Cuches, Jessica S" <[JCUCHE\\$@AACPS.org](mailto:JCUCHE$@AACPS.org)> wrote:

No worries. I am here now at a MABE meeting.  
I will see you later today.

Sent from my iPhone

On Jan 29, 2014, at 10:19 AM, "Poisson, Aimee L" <[APOISSON@AACPS.org](mailto:APOISSON@AACPS.org)> wrote:

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[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]
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**From:** Poisson, Aimee L  
**Sent:** Tuesday, January 28, 2014 6:47 PM  
**To:** else  
**Cc:** [REDACTED]  
**Attachments:** [REDACTED] written final.docx

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**From:** Poisson, Aimee L  
**Sent:** Tuesday, January 28, 2014 5:30 PM  
**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Cc:** Lance Ledebur (LLedebur@msde.state.md.us); [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** tomorrow's testimony  
**Attachments:** SMOB Testimony-[REDACTED]final.docx; [REDACTED] written final.docx

As of now I have not seen written testimony from either of you so I will assume that you will not be testifying at the bill hearing tomorrow.

If your plans change, and you decide to testify, be advised that verbal testimony is always accompanied by written testimony. It is inappropriate to speak without providing written backup testimony to the committee. 25 printed copies of your written testimony should be dropped off at the senate building on Bladen Street before noon tomorrow. And you must sign up to speak using the touch screen monitors in the senate building lobby. The sign up opens at 9am.

I have provided a few examples of what quality written testimony looks like. If you would like to assemble something this evening.

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**From:** Poisson, Aimee L  
**Sent:** Tuesday, January 28, 2014 4:13 PM  
**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** any word from d?

I am panicking here.

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**From:** [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, January 28, 2014 4:07 PM  
**To:** Poisson, Aimee L  
**Subject:** Re: look how cool it looks on letterhead

The electronic signature was a good call, if I so day so myself

[REDACTED]

On Jan 28, 2014, at 2:44 PM, "Poisson, Aimee L" <[APOISSON@AACPS.org](mailto:APOISSON@AACPS.org)> wrote:

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<[REDACTED]written final.docx>

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**Sent:** Tuesday, January 28, 2014 4:00 PM  
**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** stuff  
**Attachments:** SMOB Testimony-[REDACTED]final.docx; [REDACTED]verbal.docx

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**From:** Poisson, Aimee L  
**Sent:** Tuesday, January 28, 2014 4:00 PM  
**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** RE: SB194 - MYAC Response

Call please. I am drowning in a sea of crap.

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**Sent:** Tuesday, January 28, 2014 3:59 PM  
**To:** Poisson, Aimee L  
**Subject:** Re: SB194 - MYAC Response

It says below from the Governor's office that [REDACTED] is speaking for MYAC

[REDACTED]  
Sent from my iPad

On Jan 28, 2014, at 3:54 PM, "Poisson, Aimee L" <[APOISSON@AACPS.org](mailto:APOISSON@AACPS.org)> wrote:

Huh?

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Begin forwarded message:

**From:** Christina Drushel -GOC- <[christina.drushel@maryland.gov](mailto:christina.drushel@maryland.gov)>

**Date:** January 28, 2014 at 3:37:17 PM EST

**To:**

[REDACTED]

**Cc:** Michael Hawkins -GOC- <[mhawkins@maryland.gov](mailto:mhawkins@maryland.gov)>, [roger.manno@senate.state.md.us](mailto:roger.manno@senate.state.md.us), [john.olszewski@house.state.md.us](mailto:john.olszewski@house.state.md.us), "Delegate John Olszewski, Jr." <[delegateolszewski@gmail.com](mailto:delegateolszewski@gmail.com)>

**Subject:** SB194 - MYAC Response

Maryland Youth Advisory Council Members,

I would first like to thank you all for your feedback regarding the Council's response to SB194. I know this had to be done quickly, but I think you have a strong product articulating your concerns.

Attached is the letter that will be submitted to the committee as written testimony. In addition, [REDACTED] will provide oral testimony on behalf of MYAC.

You will notice that in the letter I listed the next Council meeting, which will be held on **Saturday, February 22nd** from **1:30 - 4:30 pm** at the

**Essex Branch Library** located at *1110 Eastern Boulevard Essex, MD 21221.*

Assignments for the February meeting will be included in the meeting minutes, which will be sent out by the end of the week.

Once again, thank you for your feedback and please let me know if you have any questions or concerns.

Ms. Christina

**Christina Drushel Williams**

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**Sent:** Tuesday, January 28, 2014 3:59 PM  
**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** RE: SB194 - MYAC Response

I have a special mission for you. Are you able to call me?

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I guess [REDACTED] isn't speaking for MASC

Christian Hodges  
Sent from my iPhone

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**From:** Christina Drushel -GOC- <[christina.drushel@maryland.gov](mailto:christina.drushel@maryland.gov)>  
**Date:** January 28, 2014 at 3:37:17 PM EST  
**To:** [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

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**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** [REDACTED] written test  
**Attachments:** SMOB Testimony-[REDACTED] final.docx

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**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** RE: tomorrow's hearing  
**Attachments:** [REDACTED] written final.docx

I can get you signed up to speak but I can't prefile any written testimony, because I don't have anything from you.

As [REDACTED] I assume you know all this but I will run it by you anyway. Only those who are signed up to speak may do so. (I will sign you up in the morning). You get two minutes.

Verbal testimony at a senate hearing is always accompanied by written testimony. 25 printed copies of all written work must be submitted to the senate building by noon tomorrow so that it may be distributed among the committee members at the hearing. If you get me something in the next hour, I can manage the copies. After that I can't help you with it.

Your written testimony should be in a letter format and can be much more thorough. Your two minutes are concise. I have copied you on [REDACTED] letter so you have an example to go from. I also have the MASC letter head format so don't worry about that unless it gets to be too late for me to run copies for you.

I have vetted the written work for [REDACTED] and help [REDACTED] put together his arguments. You are welcome to run your bullet points or draft documents by me for cleaning and feedback.

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**From:** [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, January 28, 2014 2:57 PM  
**To:** Poisson, Aimee L  
**Subject:** Re: tomorrow's hearing

Hi Ms. Poisson-

As [REDACTED] I would like to attend representing the MASC perspective. My [REDACTED] said she would write testimony for us (I don't know if you have it) but she is not able to attend tomorrow so I would present it. I am from Carroll County so I will be arranging my own transportation to and from the event (I am currently planning on arriving around 12 noon). As you know, I have been in contact with [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] about this. I would love to help in any way I can in this endeavor.

Thank you,

[REDACTED]

On Jan 28, 2014, at 11:18 AM, "Poisson, Aimee L" <APOISSON@AACPS.org> wrote:



Crasc is working hard to coordinate our efforts for the bill hearing tomorrow. I have a few questions for you.

- 1- Would you like me to register you?
- 2- Would you like me to submit your written testimony? (if yes, I need it by 3pm today)
- 3- Has someone shared bullet points with you or vetted your testimony?

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**Sent:** Tuesday, January 28, 2014 3:08 PM  
**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** RE: written test NEEDED

Thanks.

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**Sent:** Tuesday, January 28, 2014 3:07 PM  
**To:** Poisson, Aimee L  
**Cc:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** RE: written test NEEDED  
**Importance:** High

They are attending – (don't know if you had the correct email for [REDACTED] here is another [REDACTED] in MASC – our student leaders use the MCPS email....

[REDACTED] – send your testimony ASAP...it has to be duplicated.

FYI – I know [REDACTED] has been in a budget work session all day (still going on)....

I haven't seen their testimony, but they are both reliable (I do not approve student testimony – only make suggestions)

KCrawford

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**From:** Poisson, Aimee L [<mailto:APOISSON@AACPS.org>]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, January 28, 2014 3:04 PM  
**To:** Crawford, Karen L.  
**Cc:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** written test.  
**Importance:** High

I don't have any written testimony from [REDACTED] or [REDACTED]. Can I assume they will still be joining us?

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**From:** Poisson, Aimee L  
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**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** look how cool it looks on letterhead  
**Attachments:** [REDACTED]written final.docx

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**From:** Poisson, Aimee L  
**Sent:** Tuesday, January 28, 2014 2:16 PM  
**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** RE: Testimony

Got it.

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**Sent:** Tuesday, January 28, 2014 6:48 AM  
**To:** Poisson, Aimee L  
**Subject:** Testimony

Not my best work but given the time of day I think it will suffice... Might be too long or informal so feel free to make a few changes. I plan on making a few changes tonight. Have a wonderful day lovely lady ( doesn't that set a positive tone for the rest of the day?) [REDACTED]

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**From:** Poisson, Aimee L  
**Sent:** Tuesday, January 28, 2014 2:15 PM  
**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** RE: tomorrow's agenda, dress code, final thoughts

I don't have it in my inbox but I feel like I have seen it today.

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**Sent:** Tuesday, January 28, 2014 1:49 PM  
**To:** Poisson, Aimee L  
**Subject:** Re: tomorrow's agenda, dress code, final thoughts

Have you looked at mine yet? It's pretty causal compared to the others but I thought it could be refreshing (maybe not)?

Sent from my iPhone

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Yes, just bring it with your mom's signature. in the future don't leave things till the last minute.

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**Sent:** Tuesday, January 28, 2014 2:06 PM  
**To:** Poisson, Aimee L  
**Subject:** Re: tomorrow's agenda, dress code, final thoughts

I gave my permission slip to my principals secretary, but Stratton was in meetings all day and couldn't sign it before I left. Am I still allowed to come?

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**Sent:** Tuesday, January 28, 2014 1:59 PM  
**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** RE: final version

I love your yellow dress. Pencil shirt with a simple top and a cool scarf is young and professional at the same time. Hair up.

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**Sent:** Tuesday, January 28, 2014 1:57 PM  
**To:** Poisson, Aimee L  
**Subject:** Re: final version

Here's round two from me.

Outfit wise.. I can't decide If I want to wear a skirt or a dress. Suggestions? I'll try not to wear black and blue, just for you!

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**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Cc:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** final edits  
**Attachments:** SMOB Testimony-[REDACTED]final.docx

Hi [REDACTED]  
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**To:** Poisson, Aimee L  
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We don't have school tomorrow, and I haven't gotten a permission slip. Do I need one? I emailed you Monday about it...

[REDACTED]

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**To:** Birge, Teresa M.; [REDACTED] Cuches, Jessica S; else; Sandee Ritterpusch

**Cc:** Richard Moody ([rmoody@pgcps.org](mailto:rmoody@pgcps.org)); Crawford, Karen L. ([Karen\\_L\\_Crawford@mcpsmd.org](mailto:Karen_L_Crawford@mcpsmd.org)); [REDACTED]

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**Subject:** RE: Committee Audio Link

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**Sent:** Tuesday, January 28, 2014 12:19 PM  
**To:** Poisson, Aimee L  
**Subject:** Re: Committee Audio Link

Of course! It annoys me how you can watch House committees live and on video and the senate only has delayed audio, like whats up with that??

I am so excited to hear it when I can, I know it will be an awesome event!

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**Sent:** Tuesday, January 28, 2014 12:17 PM  
**To:** [REDACTED]  
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**From:** Poisson, Aimee L  
**Sent:** Tuesday, January 28, 2014 12:12 PM  
**To:** Birge, Teresa M.; [REDACTED] Cuches, Jessica S; else; Sandee Ritterpusch [REDACTED] Jeremy Price [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]  
**Cc:** Richard Moody (rmoody@pgcps.org); Crawford, Karen L. (Karen\_L\_Crawford@mcpsmd.org); [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]  
**Subject:** tomorrow's agenda, dress code, final thoughts

Hey All,  
Below it is a rough schedule of how tomorrow is going down. Please note, student taking the bus must be at the BOE by 11am and I need a permission slip from you.

Early- Ms. Poisson drops off written testimony to senate building. Registers speakers to testify. IF I DON'T HAVE YOUR TESTEMONY BY 3PM TODAY, I CANNOT DROP IT OFF TOMORROW!!

10:45-11am- crasc students arrive at boe (center 3) for final practice and press  
11:45-12am – cracs students take bus downtown, walk to house building  
Noon- meet up with out of county student leaders for final prep  
12:45- walk to senate building for bill hearing  
1pm-bill hearing  
As soon as the hearing is over (or at 3:45 whichever comes first) students return to house building to collect their personal items, and catch the bus back to the boe building.

I am sure this message is redundant but...professional dress is a must! Ties, skirts, shiny shoes. Ladies wear your hair up so you are not tempted to fidget with it. No animal prints, wooly tights/leggings, clubbing shoes, glitter, cartoon ties, clip ons, hoodies, neon colors, noisy fabrics, or hipster ironic accessories.

We will have a secure area for you to leave warmer coats and backpacks.

Finally, I am exceedingly proud of all of you. Thank you for stepping up and representing the student voice in the face of this challenge. We own a special thanks to those students from outside counties who are lending their support. In a Capital article this morning, Ed Reilly was quoted as saying this bill was a "a public policy statement." Tomorrow, you will respond by making a student leadership statement. Bring it.

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**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** tomorrow's hearing

**Importance:** High

[REDACTED]  
Crasc is working hard to coordinate our efforts for the bill hearing tomorrow. I have a few questions for you.

- 1- Would you like me to register you?
- 2- Would you like me to submit your written testimony? (if yes, I need it by 3pm today)
- 3- Has someone shared bullet points with you or vetted your testimony?

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**To:** [REDACTED]  
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**Subject:** FW: Capital story, SB194

Fyi, pre coverage. Expect more press tomorrow.

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**Sent:** Tuesday, January 28, 2014 11:03 AM  
**To:** Arlotto, George P; Cuches, Jessica S; Poisson, Aimee L  
**Subject:** Capital story, SB194

## FYI.

# Bill seeks to curtail student school board member's voting rights

By ALLISON BOURG [abourg@capgaznews.com](mailto:abourg@capgaznews.com) | Posted: Tuesday, January 28, 2014 9:15 am

Should someone who may never have balanced a checkbook have a say in the school system's billion-dollar budget?

The answer is no, according to state Sen. Ed Reilly, R-Crofton.

Reilly, a member of the Senate's Education, Health and Environmental Affairs Committee, has introduced Senate Bill 194, which would curtail the voting rights of the student member of the Anne Arundel County Board of Education.

The county's school board is the only one in the country that extends full voting rights to its student member.

"It's always bugged me that a 17- or 18-year-old student, who's been elected by 14-, 15- or 16-year-olds, has the same authority" as board members with much more life experience, Reilly said.

"This is a public policy statement."

Reilly's bill, which is scheduled for a committee hearing at 1 p.m. Wednesday, would prohibit the student member from voting on matters relating to capital and operating budgets, collective bargaining and disciplinary matters pertaining to teachers and administrators.

Reilly said he's happy to have the student member vote on everything else.

"I want them in the room. I want them participating," he said.

Each year, the Chesapeake Regional Association of Student Councils nominates a junior from one of the county high schools to serve as the board's student member. The student, who serves through his or her senior year, is then officially appointed by the governor.

Else Drooff, a senior at Broadneck High, is this year's student board member. She was unavailable for comment Monday.

Deborah Ritchie, school board vice president, said she doesn't see why Reilly's bill is necessary. The student, she said, is only one-ninth of the school board.

Ritchie said she has worked with four student board members during her time on the board, and each has impressed her with their thoughtfulness and maturity.

The students, she said, look at matters from a different perspective, often noticing minute details that adults might gloss over.

"They don't take it lightly," Ritchie said. "They don't act like what you'd think a kid would act like."

*Bob Mosier*

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**From:** Poisson, Aimee L  
**Sent:** Tuesday, January 28, 2014 10:05 AM  
**To:** Conrad, Joan  
**Subject:** RE: Mtg. w/Ms. Perkins & [REDACTED]

Thank you. I will be there.

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**From:** Conrad, Joan  
**Sent:** Tuesday, January 28, 2014 10:05 AM  
**To:** Pelham, Sarah S; Poisson, Aimee L  
**Cc:** Utkewicz, Karen; Connolly, Molly  
**Subject:** Mtg. w/Ms. Perkins & [REDACTED]

Good morning,  
Ms. Perkins is scheduled to meet with [REDACTED] on Thursday, February 6<sup>th</sup> and would like you to join them. This meeting will be held in Ms. Perkins office at 1:30 p.m. Else would like to discuss the current structure of the Teen Advisory meetings.

Thanks,  
Joan

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**From:** [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, January 22, 2014 6:13 PM  
**To:** Conrad, Joan  
**Subject:** Possible Meeting with Mrs.Perkins

Hi, this is [REDACTED] and I was wondering if Mrs.Perkins could find a time to meet with me as well as Ms.Poisson and Mrs.Pelham in the next few weeks or so... I had some thoughts on our current Teen Advisory structure that I shared with them and they encouraged me to talk to Mrs.Perkins about it. I just want to make sure I can address the problems I see with the current system before I leave in the summer and before a new superintendent is selected. Let me know of a time that would be convenient for her! Thanks!

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**From:** Poisson, Aimee L  
**Sent:** Tuesday, January 28, 2014 8:59 AM  
**To:** Riddick, Keysha T  
**Subject:** Re: Trip tomorrow

If he can get it. The principals signature is redundant because I am not pulling them out of class for this event. But having it is part of the cya...

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On Jan 28, 2014, at 8:44 AM, "Riddick, Keysha T" <[KRIDDICK@AACPS.org](mailto:KRIDDICK@AACPS.org)> wrote:

LOL. He went to the principal's office to get it signed and they told him to come to me. Does it need a principal's signature?

Have a GREAT day!

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*SGA Co-Advisor/Freshman Class Advisor*  
*Head Coach Unified Bowling Team*  
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**Sent:** Tuesday, January 28, 2014 8:37 AM  
**To:** Riddick, Keysha T  
**Subject:** Re: Trip tomorrow

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**Sent:** Tuesday, January 28, 2014 8:01 AM  
**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** Re: SB 194 Example of written testimony, please read

If this your speech or your written testimony? Will you be riding downtown with us tomorrow? If so please be at the board by 11am.

*Sent from my Verizon Wireless 4G LTE DROID*

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**From:** Poisson, Aimee L  
**Sent:** Tuesday, January 28, 2014 7:59 AM  
**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** Re: SB 194 Example of written testimony, please read

I can't do anything to assist you in the distribution of your testimony unless I have it all by noon today. Also, please advise me as to whether I should sign you up to speak tomorrow.

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**From:** Poisson, Aimee L  
**Sent:** Tuesday, January 28, 2014 12:08 AM  
**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** Re:

The stake holder argument appears in ever ones testimony, you need to show why that matters. By backing it up with the explanation of demographics and including the best interests of the 22.8%.

The high standard argument can be backed with some other evidence...I have some data about aacps student achieve millennial scholars, stem, college/ap classes, jack adroika and all that. This might do well as a separate argument with its own two minutes.

Do you want me to section it off and kick it over to Nathan? I've kept him on the back burner for exactly this type of last minute surprise?

That way you can focus on fully articulating your position as CRASC president.

*Sent from my Verizon Wireless 4G LTE DROID*

[REDACTED] wrote:

[REDACTED] called me about an hour ago and then sent this to me.. I'm working with him to use the first and third ideas, as well as some brief others so that I'm not rambling (or sounding like im "hyped up on latte and pixie sticks") :)

Let me know if you need help/ideas or if something in this is confusing

----- Forwarded message -----

**From:** [REDACTED]  
**Date:** Mon, Jan 27, 2014 at 10:44 PM  
**Subject:**  
**To:** [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] I noticed a universal theme in Maryland educational policies; set high standards for students. The belief behind this philosophy is that if you set the bar high for students they will step up and achieve and in most cases surpass expectations. This theme in educational policies also applies to students in the school board position. If you set the expectations high for one of your systems brightest and most hardworking students they will meet the standard and as most "adult" school board members can tell you, they almost always surpass it. Given this philosophy, which seems to be practiced concurrently throughout most systems the revoking of full voting rights would diminish the greatest example we have of how high expectations can foster student excellence. As a state I hope we stand by our belief in the high capacity of students and greatly consider an unfavorable report from the committee regarding SB194.

quote it. paraphrase it. as long as the message that it is pretty much hypocritical to lower the bar for students. If we believe that student excellence comes from pushing students then why would we cap the potential of one of the best students in Anne Arundel County by lowering the standard.

Also heres something else

On the Board of Education, specifically in Anne Arundel County, many stakeholder groups are represented; democrats, republicans, liberals, conservatives, small business owners, mothers, fathers, different races, educational professionals, military/government employees, and diverse socio-economic backgrounds. These stakeholder groups are very important however, their stake in public education is marginal compared to the students who participated in the school system everyday. Looking through a business perspective, as school systems are businesses, it is essential to properly represent those who are most greatly affected by policies and strategic planning of the business and there is no better way to represent stakeholder groups then by allowing them to take an active role in the decision making that directly affects them. Thus the school system, or the business, operates most effectively and efficiency when their largest stakeholder can directly influence decision making.

Also, school systems as businesses produce a product, education. and their consumers are the students. IN a business to be successful a producer has to cater to the needs and the desires of their consumers. The consumers of a product know the improvements needed to make a product useful and effective. Thus to make the product reach its maximum potential it would make sense to have the influence of the consumer in the development process of the product. This ultimately makes students a school systems most valuable source of feedback. Not test scores, not demographics, but the active participation of a student or multiple students. If the student members voting rights were to be revoked it would take out the most essential piece in the feedback cycle and development process of education.

feel free to use any of that too.

Please sprinkle my thoughts through out multiple testimonies. Feel free to correct any grammatical errors as well :p



[REDACTED]

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**From:** Poisson, Aimee L  
**Sent:** Monday, January 27, 2014 11:48 PM  
**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** Re: Testimony

Either way, send me [REDACTED] deas. [REDACTED] is still working on hers so copy her too. Everyone only has two minutes. Make it count. I would rather you each speak clearly on 5 points than race through 10 like you are amped up on latte and pixy sticks.

*Sent from my Verizon Wireless 4G LTE DROID*

[REDACTED] wrote:

[REDACTED] just sent me a big list of his own ideas to use since he isn't able to write his own and they're all really, really good..

Currently working on synthesizing my points, your points, and [REDACTED] points into one cohesive blurb that is under two minutes. If I pull this off tonight you will have it in your inbox.. If not it means I fell asleep in the middle of the process and you will have it in your inbox by 1 pm tomorrow

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[REDACTED]

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**From:** Poisson, Aimee L  
**Sent:** Monday, January 27, 2014 10:59 PM  
**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** Re: This week, SB 194

Yeah. [REDACTED] will be there. I am going to bed so I can get my old as dirt butt into the gym before dawn....try and get something into my inbox before noon tomorrow. Use the resources I've sent over the last few days. Go with the personal approach. I'll double check your format.

*Sent from my Verizon Wireless 4G LTE DROID*

[REDACTED] wrote:

I just got home... Can you look at it in the morning? [REDACTED]

Sent from my iPhone

On Jan 27, 2014, at 10:24 PM, "Poisson, Aimee L" <[APOISSON@AACPS.org](mailto:APOISSON@AACPS.org)> wrote:

I'm free all day....were is your testimony???  
I'm going brain dead try to get it to me before I burst into flames.

*Sent from my Verizon Wireless 4G LTE DROID*

[REDACTED] wrote:

How does the 6th work to meet with Mamie about changing up teen advisory?

Sent from my iPhone

On Jan 27, 2014, at 11:51 AM, "Poisson, Aimee L" <[APOISSON@AACPS.org](mailto:APOISSON@AACPS.org)> wrote:

Good Morning All,  
This is a final reminder to all who may be interested in attending the SB 194 hearing on Wednesday. Students will need to sign permission slip and must be at the BOE building at 11am. We will be heading downtown early and meeting up with student reps from other counties. Professional dress is required. We will stay for the entire hearing, I expect us back at the board before 4pm.  
Please let me know if you, or one of your students plans on attending!

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**From:** Poisson, Aimee L  
**Sent:** Monday, January 27, 2014 9:47 PM  
**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** RE: Legislators  
**Attachments:** Field Trip Permission Letter SB 194 hearings.doc

That is because they didn't gout to advisors. They've gone directly to you all like 5 times! Goofball! You are confusing them. Here it is again!

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**From:** [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Monday, January 27, 2014 9:43 PM  
**To:** Poisson, Aimee L  
**Subject:** Re: Legislators

Permission forms for Wednesday, I asked and nobody knew what I was talking about.

Thanks,

[REDACTED]

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**Sent:** Monday, January 27, 2014 4:51 PM  
**To:** Poisson, Aimee L  
**Subject:** Legislators

Quick update. I have just heard back from my final legislator. They are all on board for the 19th and excited to meet with us. Simonaire will be tough he has committee most of the day but there will be someone in his office to meet with students should his timing not permit him to meet with us. So to be clear we are a go with Dwyer and Simonaire's office.

Thank you,

[REDACTED]

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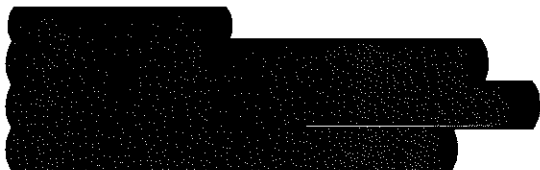
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**Subject:** Legislators

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Thank you,

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**Mosier, Bob**

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**From:** Poisson, Aimee L  
**Sent:** Monday, January 27, 2014 9:11 PM  
**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** RE: Field trip  
**Attachments:** Field Trip Permission Letter SB 194 hearings.doc

Cool. Be at the board around 11, dress nicely, bring a signed permission slip.

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-----Original Message-----

**From:** Nick Mettler [<mailto:nick.mettler99@hotmail.com>]  
**Sent:** Monday, January 27, 2014 6:11 PM  
**To:** Poisson, Aimee L  
**Subject:** Field trip

This is [REDACTED] and I would like to attend the field trip Wednesday.

**Mosier, Bob**

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**From:** Poisson, Aimee L  
**Sent:** Monday, January 27, 2014 8:49 PM  
**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** RE: Legislators

That's great news. Its been a long day trying to put together testimony and coordinate student leaders from other counties (other people are a hot mess) so its good to get some decent news at the end of the day.

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**Subject:** Legislators

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**From:** Poisson, Aimee L  
**Sent:** Monday, January 27, 2014 4:39 PM  
**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** sb 194 testimony

OK folks, I cant think straight anymore so I am headed home to walk my dog and hit the gym. I will sit down and look at testimony in a few hours. If anyone needs guidance call or text me at [REDACTED]

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**From:** Poisson, Aimee L  
**Sent:** Monday, January 27, 2014 4:35 PM  
**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** RE: sb 194

I am going cross eyed right now. I am going to get home, walk my dog, hit the gym and look at it again.

If its ok with you, I will edit out some of the phrasing that is repetitive or not on point. It looks like your central argument is that we need to be moving towards a more valid student representation by granting more counties a full student vote on their board of ed.

That's excellent. So it should be the primary argument.

Just remember that legislators don't care about how much it means to us, or that smobs are superheros. Emotion and sentiment will be used against us in an argument about whether or not students are mature enough to vote on educational policy. So we have to be professional, on the verge of antiseptic. I put together some letterhead and will adjust the formatting to match the example that I sent out a few minutes ago. I just give me a little while to work on it.

I am sure I will be able to think straight after a get in a cardio session. If you want to talk to me about it, you can call or text me at [REDACTED]

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**From:** [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Monday, January 27, 2014 4:26 PM  
**To:** Poisson, Aimee L  
**Subject:** RE: sb 194

Actually, I really wanted most of this to be what I said, so I wont be reading straight from it but most of what is in it I will be saying. Will that be a problem or should I come up with something totally different or just save this instead of it being a written testimony just being a spoken one?

[REDACTED]

Sent from my Galaxy S4@TII

----- Original message -----  
From: "Poisson, Aimee L"

Date:01/27/2014 3:07 PM (GMT-05:00)

To: [REDACTED]  
Subject: RE: sb 194

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**Sent:** Monday, January 27, 2014 2:54 PM  
**To:** Poisson, Aimee L  
**Cc:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** Re: sb 194

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-Devan

[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]

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[REDACTED]

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Date: 01/24/2014 2:28 PM (GMT-05:00)

To: [REDACTED]

Cc: [REDACTED]

Subject: sb 194

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**From:** Poisson, Aimee L  
**Sent:** Monday, January 27, 2014 4:17 PM  
**To:** Goldstein, Scott; [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

**Cc:** [REDACTED] Pelham, Sarah S  
**Subject:** SB 194 Example of written testimony, please read  
**Attachments:** SB 194 MYAC Response Letter - FINAL.DOC

Hello All,  
This came across my desk just now and I wanted to share it. This is an example of what written legislative testimony should look like. Please **note the formatting and letterhead used**. For those of us planning on providing verbal testimony, your speech must be less than two minutes, so speak extemporaneously from bullet points. The formalized message will be placed in a folder for the committee members to read.



I hope this inspires everyone. I look forward to reading your testimony!

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**From:** Poisson, Aimee L  
**Sent:** Monday, January 27, 2014 3:46 PM  
**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** RE: sb 194

A few follow up questions for you. What district do you live in? where do you attend school?

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**From:** [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Monday, January 27, 2014 2:54 PM  
**To:** Poisson, Aimee L  
**Cc:** Kara Ritterpusch  
**Subject:** Re: sb 194

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[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

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To: [REDACTED]

Cc: [REDACTED]

Subject: sb 194

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**From:** Poisson, Aimee L  
**Sent:** Monday, January 27, 2014 3:44 PM  
**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** RE: MYAC Response Letter - SB 194

Please use that style of formatting. It looks ideal.

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**From:** [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Monday, January 27, 2014 3:40 PM  
**To:** Poisson, Aimee L  
**Subject:** Fwd: MYAC Response Letter - SB 194

heads up!!!!

[REDACTED]  
Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

**From:** Christina Drushel -GOC- <[christina.drushel@maryland.gov](mailto:christina.drushel@maryland.gov)>  
**Date:** January 27, 2014 at 3:31:10 PM EST  
**To:** [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

Cc: Michael Hawkins -GOC- <[mhawkins@maryland.gov](mailto:mhawkins@maryland.gov)>, [roger.manno@senate.state.md.us](mailto:roger.manno@senate.state.md.us),  
"Delegate John Olszewski, Jr." <[delegateolszewski@gmail.com](mailto:delegateolszewski@gmail.com)>,  
[john.olszewski@house.state.md.us](mailto:john.olszewski@house.state.md.us)

**Subject: MYAC Response Letter - SB 194**

Hello Council Members,

Thank you to everyone who attended the MYAC meeting on Saturday.

During the meeting, SB 194, a bill restricting the voting rights of the Anne Arundel County Student Member of the Board was discussed. The Council decided to submit a letter of opposition for the Senate Hearing to be held on Wednesday (1/29).

Attached is the draft letter and a copy of the bill. Please review the letter and submit any comments or feedback by **noon tomorrow, Tuesday, January 28th.**

Once approved, we will submit the letter to the Senate Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs Committee.

Please let me know if you have any other questions or concerns.

Ms. Christina

**Christina Drushel Williams**

Program and Policy Specialist  
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**From:** Poisson, Aimee L  
**Sent:** Monday, January 27, 2014 3:19 PM  
**To:** Richard Moody  
**Subject:** RE: SB 194 hearing two days away

she can write her testimony and send it directly to legislators but verbal testimony is not offered through a proxy. Is anyone else from your organization interested in speaking on behalf of your students?

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**Sent:** Monday, January 27, 2014 3:17 PM  
**To:** Poisson, Aimee L  
**Subject:** Re: SB 194 hearing two days away

Hello,m

██████████ wants to know if she can write her testimony and have it read by someone else. She will probably not be able to actually get to Annapolis.

Let me know.  
Richard Moody

On Mon, Jan 27, 2014 at 12:11 PM, Poisson, Aimee L <[APOISSON@aacps.org](mailto:APOISSON@aacps.org)> wrote:

Hello All,

With just a few days to go, I am scrambling to organize our student testimony against SB 194. If anyone has students who plan on testifying at the hearing, please let me know.

I will be registering students and running copies of their written testimony down to the senate building in the morning. Please let me know if your students plan on attending. Our student delegation will be riding a bus from the BOE, and we will meet up with any students from other regions at noon in room 153 in the Lowe House Office Building, at 6 Bladen Street, Annapolis.

Additionally, we strongly recommend and appreciate you sending written testimony (an email is just fine) to your representatives. I have attached our main discussion points.

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**From:** Poisson, Aimee L  
**Sent:** Monday, January 27, 2014 3:02 PM  
**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** RE: sb 194

Thank you!!! You are awesome!!!

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**Cc:** [REDACTED]  
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**From:** Poisson, Aimee L  
**Sent:** Monday, January 27, 2014 2:57 PM  
**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** RE: Lobbying schedule

We are just trying to figure out who is available. Not all legislators will be available to visit. Just make a note of it and move on. There are like 4 legislators for every district, so one will be available, or we will adjust the schedule.

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**From:** [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Monday, January 27, 2014 2:51 PM  
**To:** Poisson, Aimee L  
**Subject:** Lobbying schedule

Hi, I was looking at the schedule and I was calling my delegates, and delegate Gorge's secretary said, on he is only available like at noon time. On the schedule it says like his name then 1:20-2:30 or something so does that mean he won't fit into our schedule?

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**From:** Poisson, Aimee L  
**Sent:** Monday, January 27, 2014 2:14 PM  
**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** RE: Who?

Ok [REDACTED]  
I just tried to call but there was no answer. Is there a time that works best for you?

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**From:** [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Monday, January 27, 2014 2:12 PM  
**To:** Poisson, Aimee L  
**Cc:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** Re: Who?

Hello Mrs. Poisson,

I would like to speak to on the phone about our plan. Please call me when you are available at [REDACTED]

Thanks,  
Sareana

On Monday, January 27, 2014, Poisson, Aimee L <[APOISSON@aacps.org](mailto:APOISSON@aacps.org)> wrote:

Hello All,

I have heard that your group might be joining us for the SB 194 hearing on Wednesday. Can you please let me know what you are planning? We are really trying to assure that all testimony stays on message and that student leadership is portrayed in the best possible light. I am available to assist with messaging and testimonial registration. Please let me know what your game plan is.

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From: Ariana [mailto:[araragon@broadstripe.net](mailto:araragon@broadstripe.net)]

Sent: Monday, January 13, 2014 3:55 PM

To: Poisson, Aimee L

Cc: [REDACTED]

Subject: Re: Who?

Youth for National Change

A Youth Lobby Group, [REDACTED] is one of the MD State Director, so I added him to this email, as well as the founder Sareana, and other state director [REDACTED]

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**From:** Poisson, Aimee L  
**Sent:** Monday, January 27, 2014 2:12 PM  
**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** RE: Calling legislators  
**Attachments:** legschedule 2014.xlsx; leg cold call script.docx

We would like your 4 legislators to be available on February 19<sup>th</sup>, from 1:30 to 2:30 pm.

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**From:** [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Monday, January 27, 2014 2:09 PM  
**To:** Poisson, Aimee L  
**Subject:** Re: Calling legislators

i tried looking for it but I can't find it. May you please send it again? Thank you.

On Monday, January 27, 2014 2:01 PM, "Poisson, Aimee L" <[APOISSON@AACPS.org](mailto:APOISSON@AACPS.org)> wrote:  
There are times listed on the spreadsheet I sent you. Thanks!

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**From:** [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Monday, January 27, 2014 1:52 PM  
**To:** Poisson, Aimee L; [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** Calling legislators

Hello,

Before I call any legislators I wanted to check and see what time we would visit those people on lobbying day, because I don't know if they are going to ask that or not and I would rather not sound stupid saying that i don't know ;). Please let me know the times we would visit the legislators.



Thanks,

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**From:** Poisson, Aimee L  
**Sent:** Monday, January 27, 2014 2:10 PM  
**To:** Carter, Clara M  
**Cc:** Gibbs, Martha A; Jackie McArdle [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** RE: Wed. trip

We are still planning the trip for January 29<sup>th</sup>. We only need one bus. If anything changes I can be reached at [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] Thank you.

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**Sent:** Monday, January 27, 2014 1:53 PM  
**To:** Poisson, Aimee L  
**Cc:** Gibbs, Martha A; Jackie McArdle [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** Wed. trip

Good afternoon,

There is a trip scheduled for Wednesday, January 29, 2014. We are asking for a confirmation this trip will go on as scheduled. Jackie at Chesapeake Charter will need to be notified at 410-757-3000 or by e-mail

[REDACTED] Originally this would have been a school day, due to inclement weather, schools are closed to students for Wednesday and Thursday. Jackie will also need confirmation on 1 or 2 buses are needed.

Thanks for your attention in this matter.

Clara for Ms. Gibbs.

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**From:** Poisson, Aimee L  
**Sent:** Monday, January 27, 2014 2:06 PM  
**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Cc:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** RE: Who?

Hello All,

I have heard that your group might be joining us for the SB 194 hearing on Wednesday. Can you please let me know what you are planning? We are really trying to assure that all testimony stays on message and that student leadership is portrayed in the best possible light. I am available to assist with messaging and testimonial registration. Please let me know what your game plan is.

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**From:** [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Monday, January 13, 2014 3:55 PM  
**To:** Poisson, Aimee L  
**Cc:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** Re: Who?

Youth for National Change

A Youth Lobby Group, [REDACTED] is one of the MD State Director, so I added him to this email, as well as the founder [REDACTED] and other state director [REDACTED]

"Poisson, Aimee L" <[APOISSON@AACPS.org](mailto:APOISSON@AACPS.org)> wrote:

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**From:** Poisson, Aimee L  
**Sent:** Monday, January 27, 2014 2:02 PM  
**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** RE: Calling legislators

There are times listed on the spreadsheet I sent you. Thanks!

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**From:** [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Monday, January 27, 2014 1:52 PM  
**To:** Poisson, Aimee L; [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** Calling legislators

Hello,

Before I call any legislators I wanted to check and see what time we would visit those people on lobbying day, because I don't know if they are going to ask that or not and I would rather not sound stupid saying that i don't know ;). Please let me know the times we would visit the legislators.

Thanks,

[REDACTED]

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**From:** Poisson, Aimee L  
**Sent:** Monday, January 27, 2014 12:42 PM  
**To:** Bunitsky, Mike  
**Cc:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** RE: SB 194 hearing two days away

I have heard from [REDACTED] and I have him on my list. We will see him at noon at in room 153 in the Lowe House Building. Thank you!

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**From:** Bunitsky, Mike [mailto:Mike.Bunitsky@fcps.org]  
**Sent:** Monday, January 27, 2014 12:31 PM  
**To:** Poisson, Aimee L  
**Cc:** Tyler - President; Brown, Jeremy W; Shaff, Jan R  
**Subject:** RE: SB 194 hearing two days away

Dear Aimee – our [REDACTED] has expressed interest in presenting. I am not sure if you have heard from him or not.

Michael

Curriculum Specialist for Secondary Social Studies  
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**From:** Poisson, Aimee L [mailto:APOISSON@AACPS.org]  
**Sent:** Monday, January 27, 2014 12:12 PM  
**To:** Goldstein, Scott; [REDACTED]

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**Sent:** Monday, January 27, 2014 12:40 PM  
**To:** Schwer, Rosemarie A  
**Subject:** RE: SB 194- The gameplan, and the key points

Does he plan on speaking??

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**To:** Poisson, Aimee L  
**Cc:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** RE: SB 194- The gameplan, and the key points

Aimee,

Will do!! I've attached his testimony that we were working on earlier today from the discussion points you sent out last week.

Thank you,  
Rosemarie

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**To:** Diane DCosta; [REDACTED]



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[REDACTED]

**Subject:** SB 194- The gameplan, and the key points

Hello All,

I hope you will all be able to give this issue a bit of attention this weekend. I have attached our key discussion points for testimony. Please let me know if you will be joining us on the 29<sup>th</sup> and remember to write you elected officials. Thank you all so much!!

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**Sent:** Thursday, January 23, 2014 12:57 PM  
**To:** Diane DCosta; [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

**Cc:** Poisson, Mary T; Aikens, Steven V; Brown, Delise J; Brown, Doug R; Brunner, Amanda M; 'bryan gofrey'; Chandupatla, Ankita; Chew, Carolyn J; Clautice, Elizabeth K; Cooper, Joseph; Crankfield, Danielle R; DeLaet, Patricia E.; Dougherty, Joyce A; Francis, Joanne M; garnett poteet; Gilbertson, Roberta S; Goforth, Kellie J; Gulden, Krystal L; Hall, Jennifer Frances; Hammond, Tara A; Hanson, Crystal M; Harding, Anna R; Hill, Jennifer Lynne; Hines, Janet Irene; Hinsvark, Chris Sean; Horwitz, Alexander; Housand, Ashley N; Katona, Victoria L; Lewis, DeMarcus A; Littleton, Tammy L; Lyate, Kate L; Maher, Michael J; Malone, Patrick James; McClure, Jacqueline A; Morrison, Rachael Kate; Neal, Melody Ann; Noreiga, Leah L A; Pastine, Allison T; Phelan, Jaclyn M; Poynton, Kasey L; Riddick, Keysha T; Romeo, Deanna C; Schwer, Rosemarie A; Segnatelli, Barbara C; Snyder, Catherine S; Spence, Kimberly M.N.; Tello, Nicole Kirkland; Thatcher, Jennifer L; White, Joshua T; Wyatt, Debra; [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

**Subject:** SB 194- The gameplan

**Importance:** High

Good Morning All,

Thank you all very much for your enthusiasm and support as we move forward. I understand that this bill has created quite the buzz in the student leadership community. As we continue to speak with our counselors and refine our approach to this, we ask that you join our efforts to kill the bill in the committee.

We are approaching this issue with caution and a great deal of organization. Of course, everyone is welcome to lobby privately. However, we are coordinating the formal testimony to assure that we stay on message. We see this as an opportunity to demonstrate the maturity and sophistication of the student voice. This is how we would like to move forward.

- I. Please designate one or two students to speak from your group. Make sure that this student (preferably your SMOB or president) is available and willing to travel to Annapolis on the 29<sup>th</sup>.
  - a. That student will be testifying at the hearing and should email me their written testimony no later than Monday January 27<sup>th</sup>.
    - i. Refer to our key points and addition resources to help students craft their message
    - ii. Written testimony should come on letter head, please proof read.
    - iii. We will make the necessary copies the official testimony and deliver it to the committee office by 11am on the 29<sup>th</sup>.
  - b. On the morning of the hearing, a volunteer will submit the 2S copies of all written testimony and sign students up to speak.
    - i. We would like the order of students to be CRASC rep [REDACTED] MASC rep [REDACTED] other counties, state SMOB [REDACTED] AACPS SMOB [REDACTED] I need to know who is planning to speak by Monday, so I can get everyone signed up.
    - ii. Aacps students, staff, and parents are encouraged to come to the Parham Building by 11am and take a bus downtown. (Yes, we have paid for an AACPS bus. Unfortunately we are unable to transport students from outside the county)
    - iii. We will meet in a reserved room at the Miller Senate Office Building at 11 Bladen Street, Annapolis at noon.
    - iv. The hearing will begin at 1pm. Game on.
  - c. Double check you logistics
    - i. My kids need a signed permission slip, I have attached it.

- ii. I don't know what documentation is required from other counties, student please check with your advisors on this.
- iii. Professional dress and superlative behavior! This bill is based on the belief that students cannot be mature enough to make adult decisions. The best way to fight it is to bring you're A game in terms of professionalism.

II. Write to your representatives!! I am sure that there will be many more students who are appalled by this bill. Please write directly to your representatives. Especially those senators who sit on this committee. It is very possible that this bill will not make it out of the committee.

Please see that attached resources for FAQ and guidelines for testimony. 25 hard copies must be provided by noon on the 29<sup>th</sup>, so please have your students email me their written testimony in a word format by Monday evening!! Legislators from Baltimore City, Baltimore County, Calvert, Charles, St. Mary's, PG, Washington, Fredrick, Montgomery, Harford, and Anne Arundel Counties all sit on the committee. So testimony of student speakers from these regions should be the most compelling.

Finally, please communicate your intensions and plans to me. I know I cannot avoid all surprises but I would like to have a handle on how many student reps will be joining as and speaking. THANK YOU ALL!!!

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**From:** Poisson, Aimee L  
**Sent:** Monday, January 27, 2014 12:38 PM  
**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** RE: Sb 194

Wonderful. It will be nice to see you! I have copied you on our talking points. They are rough but they will give you an idea of what our camp will be saying.  
Would you like me to register you ahead of time?  
Our student delegation is meeting at noon in room 153 in the Lowe House Building if you would like to drop in to say hello or walk over with us. Thank you!

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**From:** [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Monday, January 27, 2014 12:21 PM  
**To:** Poisson, Aimee L  
**Subject:** Re: Sb 194

Ms. Poisson,

I will be there. I will try and get there early as well.

Thanks so much

Jillian

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> I have heard a rumor that you (and perhaps other former smobs) may be join us to testify at the hearing on Wednesday? Is this true?

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> I ask because I will be heading downtown early to sign a few people up to testify. I would be happy to add you and others to this list so you don't have to worry about signing up.

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> Will we see you?

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**From:** Poisson, Aimee L  
**Sent:** Monday, January 27, 2014 12:21 PM  
**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** TELL ME WHAT YOU KNOW, PLEASE

**Importance:** High

You guys tend to socialize with the student leaders from other counties, so can you please let me know if there are students from other regions and organizations who plan on attending and/or testifying on Wednesday. Right now my list only includes [REDACTED] Do you all know of anyone who I don't know of?

**NO SURPRISES PLEASE!!!**

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I cant go, but Im asking my kids.... Get back to you ASAP

Victoria Katona  
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[REDACTED] is also attending. Her email isn't working currently (she's receiving email but can't send it) and she wanted me to inform you.

[REDACTED]

Sent from my iPhone

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**Subject:** SB 194- The gameplan, and the key points

Hello All,

I hope you will all be able to give this issue a bit of attention this weekend. I have attached our key discussion points for testimony. Please let me know if you will be joining us on the 29<sup>th</sup> and remember to write you elected officials. Thank you all so much!!

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**From:** Poisson, Aimee L  
**Sent:** Thursday, January 23, 2014 12:57 PM  
**To:** Diane DCosta; [REDACTED]

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**Subject:** SB 194- The gameplan  
**Importance:** High

Good Morning All,

Thank you all very much for your enthusiasm and support as we move forward. I understand that this bill has created quite the buzz in the student leadership community. As we continue to speak with our counselors and refine our approach to this, we ask that you join our efforts to kill the bill in the committee.

We are approaching this issue with caution and a great deal of organization. Of course, everyone is welcome to lobby privately. However, we are coordinating the formal testimony to assure that we stay on message. We see this as an opportunity to demonstrate the maturity and sophistication of the student voice. This is how we would like to move forward.

- I. Please designate one or two students to speak from your group. Make sure that this student (preferably your SMOB or president) is available and willing to travel to Annapolis on the 29<sup>th</sup>.
  - a. That student will be testifying at the hearing and should email me their written testimony no later than Monday January 27<sup>th</sup>.
    - i. Refer to our key points and addition resources to help students craft their message
    - ii. Written testimony should come on letter head, please proof read.
    - iii. We will make the necessary copies the official testimony and deliver it to the committee office by 11am on the 29<sup>th</sup>.
  - b. On the morning of the hearing, a volunteer will submit the 25 copies of all written testimony and sign students up to speak.
    - i. We would like the order of students to be CRASC rep [REDACTED] MASC rep [REDACTED], other counties, state SMOB [REDACTED], AACPS SMOB [REDACTED] I need to know who is planning to speak by Monday, so I can get everyone signed up.

- ii. Aacps students, staff, and parents are encouraged to come to the Parham Building by 11am and take a bus downtown. (Yes, we have paid for an AACPS bus. Unfortunately we are unable to transport students from outside the county)
  - iii. We will meet in a reserved room at the Miller Senate Office Building at 11 Bladen Street, Annapolis at noon.
  - iv. The hearing will begin at 1pm. Game on.
  - c. Double check you logistics
    - i. My kids need a signed permission slip, I have attached it.
    - ii. I don't know what documentation is required from other counties, student please check with your advisors on this.
    - iii. Professional dress and superlative behavior! This bill is based on the belief that students cannot be mature enough to make adult decisions. The best way to fight it is to bring you're A game in terms of professionalism.
- II. Write to your representatives!! I am sure that there will be many more students who are appalled by this bill. Please write directly to your representatives. Especially those senators who sit on this committee. It is very possible that this bill will not make it out of the committee.

Please see that attached resources for FAQ and guidelines for testimony. 25 hard copies must be provided by noon on the 29<sup>th</sup>, so please have your students email me their written testimony in a word format by Monday evening!! Legislators from Baltimore City, Baltimore County, Calvert, Charles, St. Mary's, PG, Washington, Fredrick, Montgomery, Harford, and Anne Arundel Counties all sit on the committee. So testimony of student speakers from these regions should be the most compelling.

Finally, please communicate your intensions and plans to me. I know I cannot avoid all surprises but I would like to have a handle on how many student reps will be joining as and speaking. THANK YOU ALL!!!

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**Mosier, Bob**

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**From:** Poisson, Aimee L  
**Sent:** Monday, January 27, 2014 10:43 AM  
**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** Re: Are you prepared for Wednesday

Yes. That's is an excellent approach. I have sent a it's of discussion points put but if you want to take a more personal approach, that is a good idea.  
Do you want to run your bullet points by me?

Aimee Poisson  
Anne Arundel County Public Schools

On Jan 27, 2014, at 10:40 AM, [REDACTED] wrote:

> I think I'm going to use a personal approach since I think the other speakers will answer why this shouldn't happen.. I think putting a face to the bill might be good?

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> Sent from my iPhone

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> On Jan 27, 2014, at 9:50 AM, "Poisson, Aimee L" <APOISSON@AACPS.org> wrote:

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>> FYI. I am planning on signing everyone up to speak in the morning, and dropping off written testimony. I would like you to be our final speaker. The order will be [REDACTED] all other counties, [REDACTED] and then you So if you need to make any changes in response to other people's testimony, you will have that option.

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>> Aimee Poisson

>> Anne Arundel County Public Schools

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>> On Jan 27, 2014, at 9:32 AM, [REDACTED] wrote:

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>>> Ok I'm on it.

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>>> Sent from my iPhone

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>>> On Jan 27, 2014, at 9:24 AM, "Poisson, Aimee L" <APOISSON@AACPS.org> wrote:

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>>>> Will you be submitting written testimony? It has to be printed and delivered so try and have it to me by tomorrow morning.

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>>>> Aimee Poisson

>>>> Anne Arundel County Public Schools

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**Mosier, Bob**

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**From:** Poisson, Aimee L  
**Sent:** Monday, January 27, 2014 10:31 AM  
**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** Sb 194

I have heard a rumor that you (and perhaps other former smobs) may be join us to testify at the hearing on Wednesday? Is this true?

I ask because I will be heading downtown early to sign a few people up to testify. I would be happy to add you and others to this list so you don't have to worry about signing up.

Will we see you?

Aimee Poisson  
Anne Arundel County Public Schools

**Mosier, Bob**

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**From:** Poisson, Aimee L  
**Sent:** Monday, January 27, 2014 9:48 AM  
**To:** Richard Moody  
**Subject:** Re: A Major Issue, Please Assist.

Awesome. Thank you.

Aimee Poisson  
Anne Arundel County Public Schools

On Jan 27, 2014, at 9:24 AM, "Richard Moody" <[rmoody@pgcps.org](mailto:rmoody@pgcps.org)> wrote:

██████████ wants to attend. I will be speaking with her later today

Richard Moody

Sent from my iPad

On Jan 27, 2014, at 9:21 AM, "Poisson, Aimee L" <[APOISSON@AACPS.org](mailto:APOISSON@AACPS.org)> wrote:

Hey Richard,  
Will we have a pg county rep with us on wednesday?

Aimee Poisson  
Anne Arundel County Public Schools

On Jan 16, 2014, at 11:15 AM, "Richard Moody" <[rmoody@pgcps.org](mailto:rmoody@pgcps.org)> wrote:

Aimee,

I shared this at the PGRASG exec board meeting last night. After a few gasps it was silent and the students are shocked and outraged. ██████████ was texting and e-mailing your students at their meeting last night from ours. I will be sharing this with all advisors and my exec board. We are ready to act-up if necessary. Please let us know how we can support CRASC. We are ready!

I have several questions:

1. The hearing on January 29th, do you have the details of time and location?
2. Did something happen with your SMOB that caused such a proposal?
3. Will students be allowed to testify at the hearing?

Any other details that you have will be good. I will wait to hear from you.

Richard Moody  
Regional Advisor PGRASG

On Wed, Jan 15, 2014 at 4:54 PM, Poisson, Aimee L  
<[APOISSON@aacps.org](mailto:APOISSON@aacps.org)> wrote:

Friends,

Today Senator Ed Reilly introduced SB 194, a bill to revoke the full voting rights for the AACPS Student Member of the Board.

I am sure I don't need to explain to everyone the ramifications of this damaging piece of legislation. Anne Arundel County's inclusion of a SMOB with full voting rights is cited as the precedent for other efforts to attain voting rights and representation. Loss of this right in our county would diminish the likelihood of Needless to say, this bill must be publicly and adamantly opposed.

I am speaking with my students this evening and will be meeting with our systems legal counsel tomorrow to determine how we will proceed. I am requesting your support in this. It goes to committee on January 29<sup>th</sup> at 1pm.

I'll be in touch to discuss our next step. Thank you.

Aimee Poisson

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**To:** [REDACTED]  
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