



MARYLAND



is the star spangled banner
on long may it wave,
O'er the land of the free
and the home of the brave.

On Flag beloved
forever dear!
On Flag unslain
by sordid deeds
Wide spread thy folds
and gather safe.
The men of various
warring creeds

Policy Priorities:

Recommendation 1: Make state self-advocacy information and training centers a *funded* and equal part of the DD Act *led and governed by people with DD*.

Recommendation 2: get rid of employment penalties, raise the SSI resource limits, reduce the amount of time to get through SSI, *and increase the transition time to retain SSI benefits (to ensure stable employment)*.