



## MARYLAND LEAGUE OF CONSERVATION VOTERS

### Climate Policy & Justice Fellow

#### General Description

Maryland League of Conservation Voters (Maryland LCV) and Maryland League of Conservation Voters Education Fund (Maryland LCVEF) have an open position for a Climate Policy & Justice Fellow. This is a part-time 9-month position that will support the Maryland LCV/EF Climate Policy and Justice program through research, writing, and advocacy.

The Climate Policy & Justice Fellow will support the organization's climate policy efforts, aimed at reducing both the state's greenhouse gas emissions and the harmful impacts of climate change statewide, with a focus on communities that are overburdened by a history of environmental injustice. The research conducted by the Climate Policy & Justice Fellow will directly inform key policy priorities and framing for the 2025 Maryland legislative session, and beyond.

The ideal candidate is a current graduate student who has experience researching state-level climate policy promulgation, implementation, and enforcement.

#### Responsibilities

- Conduct research and develop a series of white papers and informative briefs to support Maryland LCV decision making and actions. The following list provides examples of topics the Fellow might support:
  - Greenhouse gas emission reduction strategies
  - Electric grid capacity
  - Renewable energy deployment
  - Social cost of carbon
  - 100% Clean Energy
  - Community engagement
- Design supporting materials to help disseminate the findings and recommendations in these papers, including developing educational platforms for legislators and their staff.
- Ensure the final topics and work products are completed and delivered on time.
- Meet regularly with the Director of Climate Policy and Justice and Executive Director.

#### Position Requirements

This position will be mostly remote but may include travel to Annapolis, Maryland for periodic meetings and presentations. The Climate Policy & Justice Fellow will report to the Director of Climate Policy & Justice. A weekly schedule will be determined once the Fellow is hired, and will accommodate academic schedules. The Fellow is expected to have exceptional time management

and communication skills.

**Duration & Compensation**

The ideal start date for this position is September 9, 2024. The fellowship is designed for a duration of 9 months, from September 9, 2024 - May 9, 2025. Hours per week may vary, but are expected to average 20 hours per week. Maryland LCV will provide a stipend of \$25,000 for this fellowship, which will be disbursed in equal monthly payments.

**To Apply**

Send a cover letter and resume to Rebecca Rehr at [careers@mdlcv.org](mailto:careers@mdlcv.org) with *Climate Policy & Justice Fellow* in the subject line. Applications will be reviewed on a rolling basis until June 21, 2024.