

Supporters of Campaign Finance Reform to Rally

ANNAPOLIS, Md. (AP) - Supporters of campaign finance reform in Maryland are holding a rally in Annapolis.

The rally Monday night is calling attention to legislation that would create a voluntary public financing system for candidates in Maryland General Assembly campaigns.

Government watchdog group Common Cause Maryland and liberal lobbying group Progressive Maryland are backing the measure.

Progressive Maryland says the amount of special-interest money in Maryland's upcoming election is on track to break the 2006 record.

The bill has passed the House of Delegates in previous years. It narrowly failed in the Senate last year.

On the Net: Read Senate Bill 681: <http://mlis.state.md.us/2010rs/billfile/sb0681.htm>

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