

# SENATE BILL NO. 554

September 18, 2025, Introduced by Senators WEBBER, CHANG, WOJNO and POLEHANKI  
and referred to Committee on Housing and Human Services.

A bill to establish the blue envelope program; and to provide  
for the powers and duties of certain state and local governmental  
officers and entities.

## **THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:**

1       Sec. 1. As used in this act:

2       (a) "Disability" means a physical or mental impairment that  
3       substantially limits 1 or more major life activities of an  
4       individual.

5       (b) "Program" means the blue envelope program created in

1 section 2.

2 (c) "Qualified individual" means an individual who has been  
3 diagnosed with a disability or who has a communication impediment  
4 designation elected under 1972 PA 222, MCL 28.291 to 28.300, the  
5 enhanced driver license and enhanced official state personal  
6 identification card act, 2008 PA 23, MCL 28.301 to 28.308, or the  
7 Michigan vehicle code, 1949 PA 300, MCL 257.1 to 257.923.

8 Sec. 2. (1) The blue envelope program is created within the  
9 department of state.

10 (2) The department of state shall develop and administer the  
11 program. The program must meet all of the following requirements:

12 (a) The program must allow a qualified individual to obtain,  
13 at no cost, a blue envelope from any secretary of state branch  
14 office.

15 (b) The blue envelope described in subdivision (a) must allow  
16 for the inclusion of all of the following content:

17 (i) The qualified individual's documents and cards for  
18 identification, contact information, and emergency contact  
19 information.

20 (ii) Documents related to the qualified individual's vehicle,  
21 including, but not limited to, vehicle registration documents and  
22 proof of insurance.

23 (iii) Information concerning the qualified individual's  
24 disability or communication impediment, including, but not limited  
25 to, important medical information and potential physical or  
26 emotional reactions the qualified individual may display during an  
27 interaction with another individual.

28 (c) The program must provide a qualified individual, at no  
29 cost, a sticker, bracelet, or lanyard that the qualified individual

1 may display or use to indicate that the qualified individual is  
2 carrying a blue envelope and has been diagnosed with a disability  
3 or has elected a communication impediment designation.

4 (3) A qualified individual may, with any interaction with a  
5 law enforcement officer, present a blue envelope described in  
6 subsection (2) to the officer.