

HOUSE & SENATE DEMOCRATS

2019 LEGISLATIVE PRIORITIES

Paid Family and Medical Leave

To allow Connecticut workers to take off time to care for sick or injured family members. [\(SB 1 / HB 5003\)](#)

Raising the Minimum Wage

To establish a minimum wage of fifteen dollars per hour in the state. [\(SB 2 / HB 5004\)](#)

More Affordable and Accessible Prescription Drugs

To make prescription medications more affordable and accessible for Connecticut consumers. [\(SB 4\)](#)

Job Training and Workforce Pipeline

To prepare the state's future workforce for well-paying manufacturing and technical jobs in Connecticut. [\(SB 5 / HB 5001\)](#)

A Green New Deal for Connecticut

To create new programs and to provide funding for energy efficiency, renewable energy, sustainability and resiliency. [\(HB 5002\)](#)

Support for Small Businesses

To streamline government services and expand access to capital for small businesses. [\(HB 5005\)](#)

Early Voting

To propose an amendment to the Constitution of the state to permit early in-person voting. [\(SJ 14\)](#)