## **2017 MOLST Committee Report**

Senator Peggy Lehner sponsored Senate Bill 165 in the 131<sup>st</sup> General Assembly which addressed End-of-Life Treatment or MOLST. The bill was passed out of the senate in May of 2016 and was subsequently introduced in the House of Representatives and referred to the House Health and Aging Committee. There were no hearings held on the bill in the house and the bill died with the conclusion of the 131<sup>st</sup> General Assembly.

A similar bill has yet to be introduced in the 132<sup>nd</sup> General Assembly. Senator Lehner continues to serve in the Senate so the legislator who shown the most support in the past for this continues to serve and the interested parties group has met and continues to work on this issue and push for the introduction and passage of this legislation.

Respectfully submitted

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