





# **THE CLAYTON COUNTY DELEGATION'S 2021-22 COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENT**

## **Senator Valencia Seay, District 34**

Appropriations, Transportation, Public Safety, Government Oversight and Science and Technology

## **Senator Gail Davenport District 44**

Urban Affairs Vice Chairs, Appropriations, Natural Resources and the Environment, Retirement, State Institutions and Property

## **Representative Rhonda Burnough (Chair) District 77**

Special Committee on Election Integrity, Small Business, Governmental Affairs, Higher Education and Economic Development and Tourism

## **Representative Yasmin Neal (Vice Chair) District 74**

Juvenile Justice, Public Safety/Homeland Security, and Economic Development

## **Representative Sandra Scott (Secretary) District 76**

Reapportionment Science and Technology Human Relations and Aging Veterans Affairs Special Rules

## **Representative Mike Glanton, District 75**

Appropriations, Education, Defense and Veterans Affairs, Public Safety and Homeland Security

## **Representative Debra Bazemore, District 63**

Human Relations & Aging Intragovernmental Coordination Natural Resources & Environment  
Small Business Development

## **Representative Demetrius Douglas, District 78**

Banks and Banking, Health and Human Services, Insurance, Intergovernmental Affairs, Motor Vehicles and Special Committee on Election Integrity.

## **Representative Kim Schofield, District 60**

Health and Human Services, Small Business Development, Information and Audits, and Interstate Cooperation



## **Senator Gail Davenport, District 44, D-Jonesboro**

On Monday, January 11, the 156<sup>th</sup> Georgia General Assembly convened for its first legislative session. I will be serving as a member on the following committees: Appropriations, Retirement, State Institutions and Property, Natural Resources and the Environment, and Vice Chair of the Urban Affairs Committee.

**My priority today is to get all persons in my district and the state of Georgia vaccinated for COVID-19.**

**I will work diligently to advance the Georgia Senate Democratic Caucus 2021 legislative agenda which includes the following:**

1. Raise the minimum wage to \$15/hour
2. Expand rural broadband so all Georgians have access to high speed internet.
3. Implement paid sick and family leave so people can afford to care for sick family members.
4. Create a state retirement plan for workers that don't already have retirement accounts through work.
5. Stimulate the economy and support families by creating child care scholarships so families never have to spend more than 7% of their income on child care.
6. Support seniors by mandating that state retirement systems provide a cost of living adjustment every year unless the state is in a fiscal emergency.
7. Pass comprehensive police and criminal justice reform so everyone is treated the same regardless of race or other characteristics.
8. Reintroduce the Georgia Justice Act to:
  - a. Require all police to wear and actually use body cameras.
  - b. Limit police chases to situations involving kidnapping or imminent violence so that people, including other drivers on the road, aren't put in danger over minor offenses.
  - c. Prohibit racial profiling and require departments to record the details of every traffic stop.
  - d. Ban rubber bullets for law enforcement to stop the brutal injuries caused by these weapons.
  - e. Ban chokeholds so that we don't have another murder like that of George Floyd.
  - f. Limit no knock warrants to specific circumstances when necessary to avoid violence to eliminate the kind of situation that led to the murder of Breonna Taylor.
  - g. Repeal the stand your ground law that encourages people to shoot first and ask questions later.
9. Pass redistricting reform so that voters choose their legislators instead of legislators choosing their voters.
10. Require equity in hiring for top state offices.
11. Expand Medicaid to cover almost 500,000 uninsured Georgians.
12. Oppose attacks on public education such as school vouchers and attempts to punish schools for operating virtually during a pandemic.
13. Raise teachers' pay by implementing a tobacco tax to discourage smoking and fund the raises.
14. Establish a Community Schools program with state level grants for struggling schools to hire resource coordinators to find community resources to help students.
15. Adequately fund schools so that, at least, the full Quality Basic Education formula is fully funded.
16. Allow Georgia residents in the DACA program to pay in-state tuition.
17. Enact and actually fund a needs based HOPE scholarship to join the other 48 states and DC
18. Require coal ash to be transferred to modern, lined landfills just like all other waste.
19. Expand access to the ballot through initiatives such as: Same day voter registration, automatic voter registration, an option to permanently vote by mail, a requirement that everyone early voting location have a dropbox, allowing counties to start counting mail votes early so the winner is determined faster, and allow poll workers to be from any county.

***It is my honor to serve you and I look forward to sending updates during the Session.***



## **State Representative Rhonda Burnough, District 77**

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### **2021-2022 COMMITTEES**

Special Election Integrity Committee

Economic Development and Tourism

Governmental Affairs

Higher Education

Small Business

### **2021 LEGISLATION**

HB118 Funding Adequate Instruction in Rural (FAIR) Georgia Grant Act

Assign to the Education Committee

HB151 Ad Valorem tax; public property owned by a political subdivision outside of its territorial limits terminate exemption.

Assigned to Ways and Means

### **OTHER DUTIES**

Chair of the Clayton County Delegation

Vice Chair of the Georgia House Women Caucus

Georgia House Democrat Junior Whip

Member of the Georgia Working Family Caucus

Member of the Georgia House Black Caucus

Member of the COVID-19 Subcommittee We do a Facebook Live Show on Tuesday and Thursday at 5pm The show is on the Georgia House Democratic Facebook Page

11ALIVE, August 3, 2020. Speakers on the video are Rep. Debra Bazemore, Rep. Rhonda Burnough, and Rep. Sandra Scott. Go Debra, Rhonda, and Sandra! <https://youtu.be/yISgn15YnDE>



**CLAYTON COUNTY POLITICAL TREE**  
(DISTRICT 77 ELECTED OFFICIALS ARE HIGHLIGHTED)

**U.S. Senator John Ossoff**

U.S. Congressman Nikema Williams (District 5)

**U.S. Congressman David Scott (District 13)**

State Senator Gail Davenport (District 44)

**State Senator Valencia Seay (District 34)**

**STATE REPRESENTATIVES**

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District 60

Debra Bazemore  
District 63

Yasmin Neal  
District 74

Mike Glanton  
District 75

Sandra Scott  
District 76

**Rhonda M. Burnough  
District 77**

Demetrius Douglas  
District 78

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Morrow

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Riverdale**

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(2019)

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## **Rep. Sandra Scott Pre-Files 23 Bills for House District 76**

ATLANTA – State Representative Sandra Scott (D-Rex) recently pre-filed 23 House bills ahead of the 2021 legislative session, which convened on Monday, Jan. 11.

“Of the legislation I introduce each year, 85 percent of it comes from citizens within District 76 and across the state, as well as talk radio and conferences that I attend on a yearly basis,” said Rep. Scott.

“I want to encourage my constituents to please contact me if they have any questions about this legislation, especially in regards to how it may benefit our local communities.”

During this legislative session, Rep. Scott plans to continue to introduce legislation that could have major impacts in House District 76. Rep. Scott also encourages constituents to participate in future town hall meetings to discuss proposed legislation.

Some of the legislation that Rep. Scott is eager to share with her constituents would address educational needs in District 76. House Bill 10 would direct the state to provide additional resources to students living in poverty. Scott also pre-filed House Bill 7, which seeks to provide greater access to higher-education opportunities to foster students and students with unstable housing. House Bill 9 would authorize the state to develop guidelines for telehealth services in Georgia schools that would provide mental health and behavioral health services.

Rep. Scott also seeks to address police and community relations in District 76. House Bill 15 would require police departments to provide de-escalation training to law enforcement officers. House Bill 17 would prohibit racial profiling by law enforcement officers and agencies, and House Bill 18 would require law enforcement agencies to provide body cameras to on-duty law enforcement officers. House Bill 20 seeks to increase accountability among Georgia coroners when investigating officer-involved deaths. And, House Bill 21 would prohibit citizens from making falsified 9-1-1 calls.

She also pre-filed House Bill 22, which would require any housing authority in Georgia to develop greater housing access opportunities to veterans in unstable housing, as well as House Bill 57, which would authorize the state to develop and implement breast milk storage policies in penal institutions.

For more information on the aforementioned legislation, as well as the other bills pre-filed by Rep. Scott, please [click here](#).

Questions regarding Rep. Scott’s legislation may be directed at 404-656-0314 or [Sandra.scott@house.ga.gov](mailto:Sandra.scott@house.ga.gov).

Representative Sandra Scott represents the citizens of District 76, which includes portions of Clayton and Henry counties. She was first elected to the House Representatives in 2010 and currently serves on the Defense & Veterans Affairs, Human Relations & Aging, Legislative & Congressional Reapportionment, Science and Technology and Special Rules committees.



## **State Representative Debra Bazemore District 63**

**THANK YOU FOR GIVING ME THE OPPORTUNITY TO ONCE AGAIN SERVE YOU UNDER THE GOLD DOME.**

After serving as Assistant Deputy Whip for three years my colleagues elected me to the Democratic House Caucus Leadership Team as Chief Deputy Whip, I am excited and look forward to working in tandem with Minority Caucus Whip Wilkerson, the deputy whip team and the entire Georgia House Democratic Caucus leadership team to advocate for legislation that ensures the safety of Georgia citizens in their homes and communities.. I will also work to bring awareness to critical health issues among school-aged children and put an end to predatory practices targeting Georgia citizens on the path to homeownership.

Also, I continue to work with the First Lady, Marty Kemp, mayors, law enforcement, school superintendents, committee leaders and others regarding Human Trafficking in order to protect our youth. In addition, I am one of the signers on HB 178 that will allow anonymity for victims when changing their name.

### **My Committees consist of:**

- Human Relations and Aging
- Intergovernmental Coordination
- Natural Resources and Environment
- Small Business Development

### **I also serve on the following four (4) Delegations:**

- Clayton County
- City of South Fulton - Vice Chair
- Fayette County
- Fulton County

### **I am sponsoring the following Legislation:**

- HB55 Labor and Industrial Relations; hiring process of applicant; prohibit employer from seeking salary history information
- HB54 Education; instruction on the best practices for and risks associated with the use of tampons.
- HB53 Superior courts; filing of land installment contract
- HB52 Crimes and offenses; persons convicted of family violence offenses cannot possess or carry firearms
- HB50 Special Cancer license plates
- Number not assigned yet - Mandates Radon Inspection prior to renting

I look forward to representing you during the 2021-2022 General Assembly session.

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## **State Representative Kim Schofield District 60**

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I count it an honor to serve and represent District 60 serving Forest Park, Southeast Atlanta, East Point, College Park and East Point. As always, I will continue to Keep It Moving (KIM) in District 60

### **I SERVE ON THE FOLLOWING LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEES:**

- Health and Human Services – Health is our wealth including Physical, Economic, Environmental...
- Small Business Development – Reducing disparities in business, worker protection, economic growth
- Interstate Cooperation – connecting our neighboring states
- Information & Audits – implementing the daily legislative diary of the House is recorded

### **BILLS THAT I AM WORKING:**

#### **HB 36**

Assessing Indoor Air quality in Public Building reducing asthma and other respiratory diseases

#### **CAP ON INSULIN**

This bills puts a cap on out of pocket costs for insulin.

#### **HB 40**

Reducing toxic chemicals in consumer products (furniture, child care seats, firefighters foam)

#### **HB 58 WOMEN'S CARES ACT**

This bill provides that women who have been arrested are offered pregnancy testing upon detention, receive prenatal care and enacts a provision regarding delayed sentencing for postpartum female inmates.

Cost saving to State for promoting healthy mothers, parenting classes and other resources that are barriers to incarcerated mothers.

#### **HB 101**

Protecting Voting Rights

#### **HB 230 THE CROWN ACT**

This bill bans discrimination in the workplace, housing, and education, based hairstyles associated with race, color of national origin.

Bill will not receive a hearing, but we are working with Cities and Counties to pass a local ordinance/resolution





**Representative Demetrius Douglas**  
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House District 78, I am honored to serve as your State Representative.

We are faced with various challenges and I am committed to work on issues that matter to working families such as improving our children's education, keeping our seniors safe, improving access to healthcare and creating more job opportunities. We must protect Georgia's future by making our government more efficient, responsible and accountable.

During this Legislative term, I will serve on the following committees: Banks & Banking, Health & Human Services, Insurance, Intragovernmental Coordination, MARTOC, Motor Vehicles, and the Special Committee on Election Integrity. I am especially excited to be 1 of 4 democrats chosen to serve on the Election Integrity Special Committee. We are charged with revising legislation relating to the security, reliability, accessibility, and efficiency of state elections.

Currently, we are assigned 12 bills to review. A few in particular include making Election Day a state holiday and allowing military personnel stationed overseas to have ballots with ranked-choice voting (this style of voting allows for instant runoffs). There are others that will negatively affect communities with the purpose of disenfranchising voters (i.e. requiring two types of ID for ballots or specific excuses to apply for an absentee ballot). I promise you this; I will work diligently to make sure we make voting easier for citizens, not harder.

Feel free to contact me via email at [demetriusdouglas78@gmail.com](mailto:demetriusdouglas78@gmail.com) with any questions or concerns you may have regarding the 2021 legislative session, or to share proposals and recommendations for future legislation.

House District 78, thank you for allowing me the privilege to continue to serve you!

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