

City of Baltimore

*City Council
City Hall, Room 408
100 North Holliday Street
Baltimore, Maryland 21202*



Meeting Agenda - Final

Monday, July 16, 2007

5:00 PM

City Hall

City Council

Stephanie Rawlings-Blake, President of the Council

Robert Curran, Vice President

District 1: James Kraft - District 2: Nicholas C. D'Adamo

District 3: Robert W. Curran - District 4: Kenneth N. Harris, Sr.

District 5: Rochelle "Rikki" Spector - District 6: Sharon Green Middleton

District 7: Belinda Conaway - District 8: Helen L. Holton

District 9: Agnes Welch - District 10: Edward L. Reisinger

District 11: Keiffer J. Mitchell, Jr. - District 12: Bernard C. "Jack" Young

District 13: Vernon E. Crider - District 14: Mary Pat Clarke

Call to Order

Invocation

Reverend Jamal Bryant, Empowerment Temple

Pledge of Allegiance

Roll Call

Showcase Baltimore

Femi Lawal and David Ross, 5th L, Youth Advocates and Poetry Collective

Approval of the Journal

June 11, 2007 - 3 p.m. and June 11, 2007 - 5 p.m.

Communications from the Mayor

Bills Signed by the Mayor

June 12, 2007

- 07-0616** **Supplementary General Fund Capital Appropriation - Department of Public Works - \$2,000,000**
FOR the purpose of providing a Supplementary General Fund Capital Appropriation in the amount of \$2,000,000 to the Department of Public Works (Account #9916-194-134), to provide capital appropriations for the removal of asbestos from City-owned buildings; and providing for a special effective date.
Sponsors: City Council President (Administration)
- 07-0655** **Property Tax Credits - Newly Constructed Dwellings**
FOR the purpose of altering the termination date applicable to the property tax credit granted against the local property tax imposed on certain newly constructed dwellings; providing for a special effective date; and generally relating to property tax credits for newly constructed dwellings.
Sponsors: City Council President (Administration)

- 07-0657** **Ordinance of Estimates for the Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 2008**
FOR the purpose of providing the appropriations estimated to be needed by each agency of the City of Baltimore for operating programs and capital projects during the fiscal 2008 year.
Sponsors: City Council President (Administration)
- 07-0658** **Annual Property Tax - Fiscal Year 2008**
FOR the purpose of providing a tax for the use of the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore for the period July 1, 2007, through June 30, 2008; providing for estimated billings pursuant to State law; and setting the semiannual payment service charge for that period.
Sponsors: City Council President (Administration)
- 07-0662** **Operating Budget for the Baltimore City Board of School Commissioners for the Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 2008**
FOR the purpose of approving the budget estimated to be needed for the Baltimore City Board of School Commissioners for operating programs during Fiscal 2008; providing for certification of the approved budget to the State Superintendent of Schools; and providing for a special effective date.
Sponsors: City Council President (Administration)
- 07-0666** **Supplementary General Fund Operating Appropriation - MR-Art and Culture Grants - \$900,000**
FOR the purpose of providing a Supplementary General Fund Operating Appropriation in the amount of \$900,000 to the MR-Art and Culture Grants - Program 493 (Art and Culture Grants), to provide funding to support the Free Fall Baltimore and Baltimore Museum of Art/Walters Art Museum Free Admission programs; and providing for a special effective date.
Sponsors: City Council President (Administration)
- 07-0667** **Supplementary General Fund Operating Appropriation - MR-Art and Culture Grants - \$1,000,000**
FOR the purpose of providing a Supplementary General Fund Operating Appropriation in the amount of \$1,000,000 to the MR-Art and Culture Grants - Program 493 (Art and Culture Grants), to provide funding to support the Creative Baltimore program; and providing for a special effective date.
Sponsors: City Council President (Administration)
- 07-0668** **Supplementary General Fund Operating Appropriation - MR-Commission on Aging and Retirement Education - \$250,000**
FOR the purpose of providing a Supplementary General Fund Operating Appropriation in the amount of \$250,000 to the MR-Commission on Aging and Retirement Education - Program 325 (Senior Services), to provide funding for the Urban Institute on Aging; and providing for a special effective date.
Sponsors: City Council President (Administration)

- 07-0670** **Supplementary General Fund Operating Appropriation - MR-Employees' Retirement Contribution - \$5,000,000**
FOR the purpose of providing a Supplementary General Fund Operating Appropriation in the amount of \$5,000,000 to the MR-Employees' Retirement Contribution - Program 355 (Employees' Retirement Contribution), to provide funding to pay for Other Post Employment Benefit costs; and providing for a special effective date.
- Sponsors:** City Council President (Administration)
- 07-0671** **Supplementary General Fund Operating Appropriation - Fire Department - \$4,800,000**
FOR the purpose of providing a Supplementary General Fund Operating Appropriation in the amount of \$4,800,000 to the Fire Department - Program 212 (Fire Suppression), to provide funding to pay for additional operating expenses; and providing for a special effective date.
- Sponsors:** City Council President (Administration)
- 07-0672** **Supplementary General Fund Operating Appropriation - MR-General Debt Service - \$971,000**
FOR the purpose of providing a Supplementary General Fund Operating Appropriation in the amount of \$971,000 to the MR-General Debt Service - Program 123 (General Debt Service), to provide funding to pay for additional debt service costs ; and providing for a special effective date.
- Sponsors:** City Council President (Administration)
- 07-0673** **Supplementary General Fund Operating Appropriation - Department of Health - \$175,000**
FOR the purpose of providing a Supplementary General Fund Operating Appropriation in the amount of \$175,000 to the Department of Health - Program 310 (School Health Services), to provide funding for training to support the upgrade of skills of Baltimore City residents who work in organized health care facilities; and providing for a special effective date.
- Sponsors:** City Council President (Administration)
- 07-0674** **Supplementary General Fund Operating Appropriation - Department of Health - \$600,000**
FOR the purpose of providing a Supplementary General Fund Operating Appropriation in the amount of \$600,000 to the Department of Health - Program 301 (Baltimore Homeless Services), to provide funding to support the implementation of a plan to end homelessness in the City; and providing for a special effective date.
- Sponsors:** City Council President (Administration)

- 07-0675** **Supplementary General Fund Operating Appropriation - Department of Housing and Community Development - \$200,000**
FOR the purpose of providing a Supplementary General Fund Operating Appropriation in the amount of \$200,000 to the Department of Housing and Community Development - Program 585 (Baltimore Development Corporation), to provide funding for a Clean and Green initiative; and providing for a special effective date.

Sponsors: City Council President (Administration)

- 07-0676** **Supplementary General Fund Capital Appropriation - Department of Housing and Community Development - \$200,000**
FOR the purpose of providing a Supplementary General Fund Capital Appropriation in the amount of \$200,000 to the Department of Housing and Community Development (Account #9910-588-074), to provide funding for a Land Bank; and providing for a special effective date.

Sponsors: City Council President (Administration)

- 07-0677** **Supplementary General Fund Capital Appropriation - Department of Housing and Community Development - \$1,000,000**
FOR the purpose of providing a Supplementary General Fund Capital Appropriation in the amount of \$1,000,000 to the Department of Housing and Community Development - (Account #9910-587-907), to provide funding for the Healthy Neighborhoods program; and providing for a special effective date.

Sponsors: City Council President (Administration)

- 07-0678** **Supplementary General Fund Capital Appropriation - Department of Housing and Community Development - \$2,000,000**
FOR the purpose of providing a Supplementary General Fund Capital Appropriation in the amount of \$2,000,000 to the Department of Housing and Community Development (Account #9910-588-073), to provide funding for an Inclusionary Housing Trust Fund; and providing for a special effective date.

Sponsors: City Council President (Administration)

- 07-0679** **Supplementary General Fund Capital Appropriation - Department of Housing and Community Development - \$4,000,000**
FOR the purpose of providing a Supplementary General Fund Capital Appropriation in the amount of \$4,000,000 to the Department of Housing and Community Development (Account #9910-584-905), to provide funding for the implementation of the Park Heights Master Plan; and providing for a special effective date.

Sponsors: City Council President (Administration)

- 07-0680** **Supplementary General Fund Capital Appropriation - Mayoralty-Related - \$50,000**
FOR the purpose of providing a Supplementary General Fund Capital Appropriation in the amount of \$50,000 to the Mayoralty-Related (Account #9904-127-152), to provide funding for Baltimore Heritage Area projects; and providing for a special effective date.

Sponsors: City Council President (Administration)
- 07-0681** **Supplementary General Fund Capital Appropriation - Mayoralty-Related - \$200,000**
FOR the purpose of providing a Supplementary General Fund Capital Appropriation in the amount of \$200,000 to the Mayoralty-Related (Account #9904-129-301), to provide funding to commission a memorial to the late Mayor Clarence H. "Du" Burns; and providing for a special effective date.

Sponsors: City Council President (Administration)
- 07-0682** **Supplementary General Fund Operating Appropriation - MR-Office of Employment Development - \$310,000**
FOR the purpose of providing a Supplementary General Fund Operating Appropriation in the amount of \$310,000 to the MR-Office of Employment Development - Program 639 (Special Projects), to provide funding for the Summer Jobs program; and providing for a special effective date.

Sponsors: City Council President (Administration)
- 07-0683** **Supplementary General Fund Operating Appropriation - Department of Planning - \$300,000**
FOR the purpose of providing a Supplementary General Fund Operating Appropriation in the amount of \$300,000 to the Department of Planning - Program 187 (City Planning), to provide funding to support the implementation of a Citywide comprehensive rezoning initiative; and providing for a special effective date.

Sponsors: City Council President (Administration)
- 07-0684** **Supplementary General Fund Operating Appropriation - Police Department - \$2,900,000**
FOR the purpose of providing a Supplementary General Fund Operating Appropriation in the amount of \$2,900,000 to the Police Department - Program 200 (Administrative Direction and Control), to provide funding to pay for additional operating expenses; and providing for a special effective date.

Sponsors: City Council President (Administration)

- 07-0685** **Supplementary General Fund Operating Appropriation - Police Department - \$5,400,000**
FOR the purpose of providing a Supplementary General Fund Operating Appropriation in the amount of \$5,400,000 to the Police Department - Program 202 (Investigations), to provide funding to pay for additional operating expenses; and providing for a special effective date.

Sponsors: City Council President (Administration)
- 07-0686** **Supplementary General Fund Operating Appropriation - Police Department - \$11,500,000**
FOR the purpose of providing a Supplementary General Fund Operating Appropriation in the amount of \$11,500,000 to the Police Department - Program 201 (Field Operations Bureau), to provide funding to pay for additional operating expenses; and providing for a special effective date.

Sponsors: City Council President (Administration)
- 07-0687** **Supplementary General Fund Operating Appropriation - Department of Public Works - \$300,000**
FOR the purpose of providing a Supplementary General Fund Operating Appropriation in the amount of \$300,000 to the Department of Public Works - Program 515 (Solid Waste Collection), to provide funding for a Clean and Green initiative; and providing for a special effective date.

Sponsors: City Council President (Administration)
- 07-0688** **Supplementary General Fund Capital Appropriation and Other Fund Capital Appropriation - Department of Recreation and Parks - \$1,000,000**
FOR the purpose of providing a Supplementary General Fund Capital Appropriation in the amount of \$500,000 and an Other Fund Capital Appropriation in the amount of \$500,000 to the Department of Recreation and Parks (Account #9938-475-600), to provide funding to erect a fountain in the Inner Harbor's West Shore Park; and providing for a special effective date.

Sponsors: City Council President (Administration)
- 07-0689** **Supplementary Motor Vehicle Fund Operating Appropriation - Department of Transportation - \$3,150,000**
FOR the purpose of providing a Supplementary Motor Vehicle Fund Operating Appropriation in the amount of \$3,150,000 to the Department of Transportation - Program 501 (Highway Maintenance), to provide funding to pay for additional operating expenses; and providing for a special effective date.

Sponsors: City Council President (Administration)

June 13, 2007

- 05-0216** **Sale of Property - 4210 Roland Avenue (Roland Park Water Tower)**
FOR the purpose of authorizing the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore to sell, at either public or private sale, all its interest in certain property known as 4210 Roland Avenue (Block 3591A, Lot 005) and no longer needed for public use; and providing for a special effective date.
Sponsors: City Council President (Administration)
- 06-0554** **Zoning - Conditional Use Parking, Open Off-Street Area - 1600 North Dallas Street**
FOR the purpose of permitting, subject to certain conditions, the establishment, maintenance, and operation of parking, open off-street area on the property known as 1600 North Dallas Street, as outlined in red on the accompanying plat.
Sponsors: Bernard C. 'Jack' Young
- 06-0555** **Zoning - Conditional Use Parking, Open Off-Street Area - 1601 North Dallas Street**
FOR the purpose of permitting, subject to certain conditions, the establishment, maintenance, and operation of a parking, open off-street area on the property known as 1601 North Dallas Street, as outlined in red on the accompanying plat.
Sponsors: Bernard C. 'Jack' Young
- 07-0628** **Urban Renewal - Inner Harbor East - Amendment __**
FOR the purpose of amending the Urban Renewal Plan for Inner Harbor East to revise the specific lot controls applicable to Development Area Q3 and correcting certain references; waiving certain content and procedural requirements; making the provisions of this Ordinance severable; providing for the application of this Ordinance in conjunction with certain other ordinances; and providing for a special effective date.
Sponsors: James B. Kraft and Robert W. Curran
- 07-0650** **Ticket Resales Near Stadiums - Repeal of Prohibition**
FOR the purpose of repealing the prohibition against reselling, in certain proximity to certain venues, tickets to events at those venues.
Sponsors: James B. Kraft
- 07-0654** **Minority and Women's Business Program - "Sunset" - Interim Extension**
FOR the purpose of postponing, for an interim period, the automatic termination of the Minority and Women's Business Program; providing for a special effective date; and generally relating to minority and women's business enterprises.
Sponsors: City Council President (Administration) and Helen L. Holton

07-0705

Congratulations to the Johns Hopkins Blue Jays Mens Lacrosse Team for Winning the 2007 NCAA National Lacrosse Championship

FOR the purpose of congratulating the Johns Hopkins Blue Jays on their record setting 9th national lacrosse championship, and their 2nd in the last 3 years, winning the 2007 NCAA Men's Lacrosse Championship in an extremely close 12-11 game in front of a record 48,443 fans in Baltimore's M&T Bank Stadium; offering congratulations to Coach Dave Pietramala on another fine Blue Jays season; sending respect to Hopkins Goalie Jesse Schwartzman who made 15 saves in the final and was named the tournament's most valuable player; and wishing many more victorious seasons to the entire Johns Hopkins Lacrosse team, families, associates and fans; and providing for a special effective date.

Sponsors: Robert W. Curran, Bernard C. 'Jack' Young, Nicholas C. D'Adamo, James B. Kraft, Helen L. Holton, Keiffer J. Mitchell, Jr., Sharon Green Middleton, Mary Pat Clarke, Edward L. Reisinger, Belinda K. Conaway, Agnes Welch and Vernon E. Crider

07-0707

Parren J. Mitchell: 1922-2007 - A Champion of Social Justice

FOR the purpose of paying tribute to Parren J. Mitchell, Baltimore's native son, Maryland's 1st black Congressman, and America's social conscience, expressing appreciation for his many contributions to achieving a more equal and just society for all, and providing for a special effective date.

Sponsors: President Rawlings-Blake, Keiffer J. Mitchell, Jr., Helen L. Holton, Robert W. Curran, Agnes Welch, Bernard C. 'Jack' Young, Nicholas C. D'Adamo, James B. Kraft, Mary Pat Clarke, Edward L. Reisinger, Sharon Green Middleton, Belinda K. Conaway and Vernon E. Crider

07-0708

In Honor of Irma Johnson - the National Association of Elementary School Principals' 2007 Maryland Distinguished Principal of the Year

FOR the purpose of congratulating Irma Johnson, Principal, Dallas F. Nicholas Elementary School, on being named the 2007 Maryland Distinguished Principal of the Year by the National Association of Elementary School Principals and commending her 32 years of dedicated service to the Baltimore City Public School System; and providing for a special effective date.

Sponsors: President Rawlings-Blake, Bernard C. 'Jack' Young, Nicholas C. D'Adamo, James B. Kraft, Robert W. Curran, Helen L. Holton, Mary Pat Clarke, Edward L. Reisinger, Belinda K. Conaway, Sharon Green Middleton, Agnes Welch, Vernon E. Crider and Keiffer J. Mitchell, Jr.

07-0709

In Honor of Leah Waller - 2007 Baltimore City Public School System Teacher of the Year

FOR the purpose of congratulating Leah Waller, 1st Grade Teacher, Maree Garnett Farring Elementary School, on being named the Baltimore City Public School System's Teacher of the Year for 2007, expressing appreciation for her 8 years of dedicated service to the children of Baltimore, and supporting her candidacy for Maryland Teacher of the Year; and providing for a special effective date.

Sponsors: President Rawlings-Blake, Bernard C. 'Jack' Young, Nicholas C. D'Adamo, James B. Kraft, Robert W. Curran, Helen L. Holton, Edward L. Reisinger, Belinda K. Conaway, Keiffer J. Mitchell, Jr., Sharon Green Middleton, Mary Pat Clarke, Agnes Welch and Vernon E. Crider

June 15, 2007

07-0669

Supplementary General Fund Operating Appropriation - MR-Civic Promotion - \$637,000

FOR the purpose of providing a Supplementary General Fund Operating Appropriation in the amount of \$637,000 to the MR-Civic Promotion - Program 590 (Civic Promotion), to provide funding to install a kitchen and repack area and to purchase related equipment for the Maryland Food Bank; and providing for a special effective date.

Sponsors: City Council President (Administration)

June 19, 2007

06-0558

Inclusionary Housing

FOR the purpose of requiring certain residential projects to provide units at affordable ownership costs or affordable rents; defining certain terms; authorizing certain modifications, waivers, or substitutions under certain circumstances; providing for certain cost-offsets for certain purposes; setting certain standards for affordable units; granting the Housing Commissioner and certain designated housing providers right of first refusal to purchase or rent certain units; requiring the continued affordability of units for a certain period; establishing an Inclusionary Housing Board and providing for its powers and duties; authorizing the Board, the Housing Commissioner, and the Planning Commission to adopt certain rules and regulations; establishing an Inclusionary Housing Trust Fund for certain purposes and providing for its governance; establishing an inclusionary-housing property-tax credit, contingent on enactment of State enabling legislation; authorizing certain adjustments to lot area per dwelling requirements; establishing an Inclusionary Housing Overlay Zoning District for certain rezoned properties; providing for certain special effective dates; and generally relating to the promotion of affordable residential units.

Sponsors: Bernard C. 'Jack' Young, Mary Pat Clarke, Helen L. Holton, Paula Johnson Branch, Edward L. Reisinger, Stephanie Rawlings Blake, Belinda K. Conaway, Robert W. Curran, Kenneth N. Harris, Sr., James B. Kraft, Nicholas C. D'Adamo, Agnes Welch and Keiffer J. Mitchell, Jr.

- 07-0565- City Streets - Closing - A 6-Foot Wide Portion of Maryland Avenue**
FOR the purpose of condemning and closing a 6-foot wide portion of Maryland Avenue, contiguous to the west side thereof, and extending from the north side of Mt. Royal Avenue, Northerly 200.8 feet, more or less, as shown on Plat 347-A-62A in the Office of the Department of Public Works; and providing for a special effective date.
- Sponsors:** City Council President (Administration)
- 07-0566 Sale of Property - A 6-Foot Wide Portion of Maryland Avenue**
FOR the purpose of authorizing the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore to sell, at either public or private sale, all its interest in a certain parcel of land known as a 6-foot wide portion of the former bed of Maryland Avenue, contiguous to the west side thereof, extending from Mt. Royal Avenue, Northerly 200.8 feet, more or less, and no longer needed for public use; and providing for a special effective date.
- Sponsors:** City Council President (Administration)
- 07-0586 Rezoning - Ward 28, Section 02, Block 4264 (Portions of Lots 1 through 12), Ward 28, Section 02, Block 4265 (Portions of Lots 1 through 15), Ward 28, Section 02, Block 4267 (Portions of Lots 17 through 25), Ward 28, Section 02, Block 4275 (Portions of Lots 12 through 21) and Portions of Public Right-of-Ways of Wabash Avenue, Vincennes Avenue, Ridge Avenue, Spring Avenue, and Armstrong Avenue**
FOR the purpose of changing the zoning for the properties known as Ward 28, Section 02, Block 4264 (portions of Lots 1 through 12), Ward 28, Section 02, Block 4265 (portions of Lots 1 through 15), Ward 28, Section 02, Block 4267 (portions of Lots 17 through 25), Ward 28, Section 02, Block 4275 (portions of Lots 12 through 21) and portions of public right-of-ways of Wabash Avenue, Vincennes Avenue, Ridge Avenue, Spring Avenue, and Armstrong Avenue, as outlined in red on the accompanying plat, from the M-1-1 Zoning District to the R-4 Zoning District.
- Sponsors:** Rochelle 'Rikki' Spector
- 07-0593 City Streets - Closing - Certain Streets Lying Within the Freedom and Claremont Homes Project**
FOR the purpose of condemning and closing certain streets lying within the area bounded by Sinclair Lane, Erdman Avenue, Federal Street, the Baltimore Gas and Electric Company Right-of-Way, and Shannon Drive, as shown on Plat 114-A-16 in the Office of the Department of Public Works; and providing for a special effective date.
- Sponsors:** City Council President (Administration)

- 07-0595 City Property - Grant of Easements**
FOR the purpose of authorizing the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore to grant Perpetual Easements for a proposed 115 KV Underground Duct Bank through the parcels of land known as Lot 4/5 of Block 7427, Lot 1/2 and 2A of Block 828, and Block 812 as shown on plats numbered R.W. 20-36215, R.W. 20-36216 and R.W. 20-36217, prepared by Dewberry & Davis LLC, and filed in the Office of the Department of Public Works; and providing for a special effective date.
- Sponsors:** City Council President (Administration)
- 07-0600 Sale of Property - Freedomway North and Freedomway West**
FOR the purpose of authorizing the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore to sell, at either public or private sale, all its interest in a certain parcel of land known as the former beds of Freedomway North and Freedomway West and no longer needed for public use; and providing for a special effective date.
- Sponsors:** City Council President (Administration)
- 07-0604 Zoning - Conditional Use Convalescent, Nursing, and Rest Home (Assisted Living) - 643 Tunbridge Road**
FOR the purpose of permitting, subject to certain conditions, the establishment, maintenance, and operation of a convalescent, nursing, and rest home (assisted living) on the property known as 643 Tunbridge Road, as outlined in red on the accompanying plat.
- Sponsors:** Kenneth N. Harris, Sr.
- 07-0629 Planned Unit Development - Amendment - Harbor East**
FOR the purpose of approving certain amendments to the Development Plan of the Harbor East Planned Unit Development.
- Sponsors:** James B. Kraft and Robert W. Curran

Bills Introduced

- 07-0719 Supplementary General Fund Operating Appropriation - Health Department - \$85,100**
FOR the purpose of providing a Supplementary General Fund Operating Appropriation in the amount of \$85,100 to the Health Department - Program 240 (Animal Control), to provide funding for additional operating expenses; and providing for a special effective date.
- Sponsors:** City Council President (Administration)
- ORDINANCE*
At the request of: Department of Finance
BUDGET AND APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE

- 07-0720** **Supplementary General Fund Operating Appropriation - Health Department - \$383,523**
FOR the purpose of providing a Supplementary General Fund Operating Appropriation in the amount of \$383,523 to the Health Department - Program 310 (School Health Services), to provide funding for Baltimore City Health Department System Wrap Around Services for school mental health programs; and providing for a special effective date.
- Sponsors:** City Council President (Administration)
ORDINANCE
At the request of: Department of Finance
BUDGET AND APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE
- 07-0721** **Supplementary General Fund Capital Appropriation - Department of Housing and Community Development - \$1,000,000**
FOR the purpose of providing a Supplementary General Fund Capital Appropriation in the amount of \$1,000,000 to the Department of Housing and Community Development (Account #9910-588-054), to provide funding for the Community Restoration Program; and providing for a special effective date.
- Sponsors:** City Council President (Administration)
ORDINANCE
At the request of: Department of Finance
BUDGET AND APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE
- 07-0722** **Supplementary General Fund Operating Appropriation - Department of Housing and Community Development - \$100,000**
FOR the purpose of providing a Supplementary General Fund Operating Appropriation in the amount of \$100,000 to the Department of Housing and Community Development - Program 592 (Special Housing Grants), to provide funding for a grant to the Communities Organized to Improve Life (COIL) organization; and providing for a special effective date.
- Sponsors:** City Council President (Administration)
ORDINANCE
At the request of: Department of Finance
BUDGET AND APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE
- 07-0723** **Supplementary General Fund Capital Appropriation - Mayoralty - \$500,000**
FOR the purpose of providing a Supplementary General Fund Capital Appropriation in the amount of \$500,000 to the Mayoralty (Account #9904-129-071), to provide funding for the renovation of the Payson Street Library branch into a senior center; and providing for a special effective date.
- Sponsors:** City Council President (Administration)
ORDINANCE
At the request of: Department of Finance
BUDGET AND APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE

- 07-0724** **Supplementary General Fund Capital Appropriation - Mayoralty - \$790,000**
FOR the purpose of providing a Supplementary General Fund Capital Appropriation in the amount of \$790,000 to the Mayoralty (Account #9904-129-084), to provide funding to repair swimming pools in the Baltimore City Public Schools; and providing for a special effective date.
- Sponsors:** City Council President (Administration)
ORDINANCE
At the request of: Department of Finance
BUDGET AND APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE
- 07-0725** **Supplementary General Fund Operating Appropriation - MR-Miscellaneous General Expenses - \$100,000**
FOR the purpose of providing a Supplementary General Fund Operating Appropriation in the amount of \$100,000 to the MR-Miscellaneous General Expenses - Program 122 (Miscellaneous General Expenses), to provide funding for the Friends of the Family Program; and providing for a special effective date.
- Sponsors:** City Council President (Administration)
ORDINANCE
At the request of: Department of Finance
BUDGET AND APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE
- 07-0726** **Supplementary General Fund Operating Appropriation - MR-Miscellaneous General Expenses - \$200,000**
FOR the purpose of providing a Supplementary General Fund Operating Appropriation in the amount of \$200,000 to the MR-Miscellaneous General Expenses - Program 122 (Miscellaneous General Expenses), to provide funding for the After School Institute Program; and providing for a special effective date.
- Sponsors:** City Council President (Administration)
ORDINANCE
At the request of: Department of Finance
BUDGET AND APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE
- 07-0727** **Supplementary General Fund Operating Appropriation - MR-Miscellaneous General Expenses - \$200,000**
FOR the purpose of providing a Supplementary General Fund Operating Appropriation in the amount of \$200,000 to the MR-Miscellaneous General Expenses - Program 122 (Miscellaneous General Expenses), to provide funding for the Pediatric Hospice Program; and providing for a special effective date.
- Sponsors:** City Council President (Administration)
ORDINANCE
At the request of: Department of Finance
BUDGET AND APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE

- 07-0728** **Supplementary General Fund Operating Appropriation - MR-Miscellaneous General Expenses - \$250,000**
FOR the purpose of providing a Supplementary General Fund Operating Appropriation in the amount of \$250,000 to the MR-Miscellaneous General Expenses - Program 122 (Miscellaneous General Expenses), to provide funding for the Experience Corps Program; and providing for a special effective date.
- Sponsors:** City Council President (Administration)
ORDINANCE
At the request of: Department of Finance
BUDGET AND APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE
- 07-0729** **Supplementary General Fund Operating Appropriation - MR-Miscellaneous General Expenses - \$500,000**
FOR the purpose of providing a Supplementary General Fund Operating Appropriation in the amount of \$500,000 to the MR-Miscellaneous General Expenses - Program 122 (Miscellaneous General Expenses), to provide funding for the Community Schools Program; and providing for a special effective date.
- Sponsors:** City Council President (Administration)
ORDINANCE
At the request of: Department of Finance
BUDGET AND APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE
- 07-0730** **Supplementary General Fund Operating Appropriation - MR-Office of Employment Development - \$412,000**
FOR the purpose of providing a Supplementary General Fund Operating Appropriation in the amount of \$412,000 to the MR-Office of Employment Development - Program 639 (Special Services), to provide funding for the After School Matters Program; and providing for a special effective date.
- Sponsors:** City Council President (Administration)
ORDINANCE
At the request of: Department of Finance
BUDGET AND APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE
- 07-0731** **Supplementary General Fund Operating Appropriation - MR-Office of Employment Development - \$700,000**
FOR the purpose of providing a Supplementary General Fund Operating Appropriation in the amount of \$700,000 to the MR-Office of Employment Development - Program 639 (Special Services), to provide funding for the FUTURES Program; and providing for a special effective date.
- Sponsors:** City Council President (Administration)
ORDINANCE
At the request of: Department of Finance
BUDGET AND APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE

- 07-0732** **Franchise - Private Sanitary Force Main and Sewer Pipe Under and Across a Portion of Duncanwood Lane and North Highland Avenue Rights-of-Way**
FOR the purpose of granting a franchise to East Baltimore Resources, Inc., to construct, use, and maintain a private sanitary force main and sewer pipe under and across portions of the Duncanwood Lane and North Highland Avenue rights-of-way, connecting 3501 Federal Street to an existing City sanitary manhole in Duncanwood Lane, subject to certain terms, conditions, and reservations; and providing for a special effective date.
- Sponsors:** City Council President (Administration)
ORDINANCE
At the request of: Department of Public Works
HIGHWAYS AND FRANCHISES SUBCOMMITTEE
- 07-0733** **Franchise - Methane Gas Line and Telecommunications Conduit Under and Across the Hawkins Point Road Right-of-way**
FOR the purpose of granting a franchise to Ameresco Curtis Bay, LLC, to construct, use, and maintain a methane gas line and telecommunications conduit under and across the 2400 block of Hawkins Point Road, subject to certain terms, conditions, and reservations; and providing for a special effective date.
- Sponsors:** City Council President (Administration)
ORDINANCE
At the request of: Department of Public Works
HIGHWAYS AND FRANCHISES SUBCOMMITTEE
- 07-0734** **City Streets - Closing - A 10-Foot Alley**
FOR the purpose of condemning and closing a 10-foot alley laid out in the rear of the properties known as 5926 and 5928 York Road, extending from the south side of Howil Terrace southerly to Hutchins Avenue, as shown on Plat 114-A-24 in the Office of the Department of Public Works; and providing for a special effective date.
- Sponsors:** City Council President (Administration)
ORDINANCE
At the request of: Department of Public Works
HIGHWAYS AND FRANCHISES SUBCOMMITTEE
- 07-0735** **City Streets - Opening - Certain Streets and Alleys Lying Within the Area Bounded by North Avenue, Thomas Avenue, Presbury Street, and the CSX Transportation, Inc. Railroad Right-of-Way**
FOR the purpose of condemning and opening certain streets and alleys lying within the area bounded by North Avenue, Thomas Avenue, Presbury Street, and the CSX Transportation, Inc. Railroad Right-of-Way, as shown on Plat 114-A-23 in the Office of the Department of Public Works; and providing for a special effective date.
- Sponsors:** City Council President (Administration)
ORDINANCE
At the request of: Department of Public Works
HIGHWAYS AND FRANCHISES SUBCOMMITTEE

07-0736 City Streets - Closing - Certain Streets and Alleys Lying Within the Area Bounded by North Avenue, Thomas Avenue, Presbury Street, and the CSX Railroad Right-of-Way

FOR the purpose of condemning and closing certain streets and alleys lying within the area bounded by North Avenue, Thomas Avenue, Presbury Street, and the CSX Railroad Right-of-Way, as shown on Plat 114-A-23A in the Office of the Department of Public Works; and providing for a special effective date.

Sponsors: City Council President (Administration)

ORDINANCE

At the request of: Department of Public Works

HIGHWAYS AND FRANCHISES SUBCOMMITTEE

07-0737 Sale of Property - The Former Beds of Certain Streets and Alleys Lying Within the Area Bounded by North Avenue, Thomas Avenue, Presbury Street, and the CSX Transportation, Inc. Railroad Right-of-Way

FOR the purpose of authorizing the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore to sell, at either public or private sale, all its interest in certain parcels of land known as the former beds of certain streets and alleys lying within the area bounded by North Avenue, Thomas Avenue, Presbury Street, and the CSX Transportation, Inc. Railroad Right-of-Way and no longer needed for public use; and providing for a special effective date.

Sponsors: City Council President (Administration)

ORDINANCE

At the request of: Department of Public Works

TAXATION AND FINANCE COMMITTEE

07-0738 Gun Offender Registration

FOR the purpose of establishing a gun offender registry; requiring gun offenders to register with the Police Commissioner under certain circumstances; requiring periodic verification or updating of registration information; providing for the establishment of rules and regulations; defining certain terms; prohibiting certain acts; imposing certain penalties; and providing for a special effective date.

Sponsors: City Council President (Administration)

ORDINANCE

At the request of: Mayor's Office of Criminal Justice

PUBLIC SAFETY SUBCOMMITTEE

07-0739 Baltimore City Hispanic Commission

FOR the purpose of establishing the Baltimore City Hispanic Commission; providing for the appointment, terms, powers, and duties of the Commission; providing for staff to the Commission; and generally relating to assisting the City's Hispanic population.

Sponsors: Keiffer J. Mitchell, Jr., James B. Kraft, Sharon Green Middleton, Belinda K. Conaway, Agnes Welch, Mary Pat Clarke, Bernard C. 'Jack' Young and Nicholas C. D'Adamo

ORDINANCE

JUDICIARY AND LEGISLATIVE INVESTIGATIONS COMMITTEE

- 07-0740** **Vicious Dogs - Owner, Keeper Precluded from New Licenses**
FOR the purpose of precluding the owner or keeper of a dog found to be a vicious dog from obtaining a new license for any other dog for a certain period.
- Sponsors:** Belinda K. Conaway, Sharon Green Middleton, Mary Pat Clarke, James B. Kraft and Bernard C. 'Jack' Young
- ORDINANCE
HOUSING, HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES SUBCOMMITTEE*
- 07-0741** **"Ban the Box" - Fair Criminal Record Screening Practices**
FOR the purpose of prohibiting City agencies from making certain inquiries about or taking certain actions because of certain arrests or accusations; prohibiting City agencies in certain circumstances from conducting criminal record checks of applicants for employment; setting certain procedures for an agency's proposed adverse action; setting standards and factors for the disqualification of applicants based on a criminal conviction; prohibiting reprisals against persons who allege a violation; providing for administrative and judicial review; providing for a special effective date; and generally relating to fair criminal record screening practices.
- Sponsors:** Sharon Green Middleton, Belinda K. Conaway, Agnes Welch and Bernard C. 'Jack' Young
- ORDINANCE
LABOR SUBCOMMITTEE*
- 07-0742** **Motorcycles and Similar Vehicles - Helmets and Goggles Required**
FOR the purpose of expanding the types of vehicles for which helmets and goggles are required and for which certain speed capability applies; prohibiting a parent or guardian from knowingly permitting a minor to violate these requirements; defining certain terms; authorizing enforcement by citation; increasing penalties for violations; correcting, clarifying, and conforming certain language; and generally relating to the operation of motorcycles and similar vehicles.
- Sponsors:** Belinda K. Conaway, Sharon Green Middleton, Mary Pat Clarke and Bernard C. 'Jack' Young
- ORDINANCE
LAND USE AND TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE*
- 07-0743** **Street Lamps - Temporary Replacements**
FOR the purpose of requiring the temporary replacement of street lamps under certain circumstances; correcting, clarifying, and conforming certain language; and generally relating to the provision of lamps and lighting.
- Sponsors:** Belinda K. Conaway, Keiffer J. Mitchell, Jr., James B. Kraft, Sharon Green Middleton, Mary Pat Clarke, Agnes Welch and Bernard C. 'Jack' Young
- ORDINANCE
JUDICIARY AND LEGISLATIVE INVESTIGATIONS COMMITTEE*

07-0744

Health Care Service Providers - Prescription Drug Program

FOR the purpose of prohibiting the award of a contract under the City's self-insured prescription drug program to any person who, as a result of an audit in connection with a previous contract with the City, was found deficient in a certain amount; and providing for a special effective date.

Sponsors: Robert W. Curran, James B. Kraft and Bernard C. 'Jack' Young

ORDINANCE

TAXATION AND FINANCE COMMITTEE

07-0745

Urban Renewal - Hispanic Town - Renewal Area Designation and Urban Renewal Plan

FOR the purpose of designating as a "Renewal Area" an area situated in Baltimore City, Maryland known as Hispanic Town, bounded generally by East Lombard Street to the north, Bank Street to the south, the western property lot lines of the even numbered addresses of Broadway to the west, and the eastern property lot lines of the odd numbered addresses of Broadway to the east, in addition to 1704 Gough Street; approving a Renewal Plan for Hispanic Town; establishing the objectives of the Plan; establishing permitted land uses and uses permitted in any Planned Unit Development in the Renewal Area; providing for review by the Department of Housing and Community Development of development in the Renewal Area; providing for height limitations; providing that where there may be a conflict between the provisions of the Renewal Plan and the provisions of any Planned Unit Development, the provisions of the Planned Unit Development control; providing for review by the Commission for Historical and Architectural Preservation of development in the Renewal Area, according to the standards that it has set for the Fells Point Local Historic District; providing that the provisions of the Zoning Code of Baltimore City apply to the properties in the Project Area; providing for the term of the Plan; establishing procedures for amending the Plan; approving an exhibit for the Plan; waiving certain content and procedural requirements; making the provisions of this Ordinance severable; and providing for the application of this Ordinance in conjunction with certain other ordinances.

Sponsors: James B. Kraft, Bernard C. 'Jack' Young and Nicholas C. D'Adamo

ORDINANCE

URBAN AFFAIRS AND AGING COMMITTEE

07-0746

Charter Amendment - Elected Officials - Qualifications for Office

FOR the purpose of providing that persons are not qualified for elected office if, at certain times, the person is in arrears of costs and penalties assessed and due for violations of the laws governing placement of campaign signs ; and submitting this amendment to the qualified voters of the City for adoption or rejection.

Sponsors: Mary Pat Clarke and Nicholas C. D'Adamo

MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL RESOLUTION

JUDICIARY AND LEGISLATIVE INVESTIGATIONS COMMITTEE

07-0747

Advertising Circulars

FOR the purpose of extending the prohibition on placing circulars to encompass those who cause the placement; specifying persons presumptively responsible for a violation; increasing the criminal penalty for violation; and generally relating to the placement of advertising circulars in or no vehicles or residential property.

Sponsors: President Rawlings-Blake, Keiffer J. Mitchell, Jr., Sharon Green Middleton, James B. Kraft, Mary Pat Clarke and Bernard C. 'Jack' Young

ORDINANCE

JUDICIARY AND LEGISLATIVE INVESTIGATIONS COMMITTEE

07-0748

In Appreciation of Cardinal William H. Keeler

FOR the purpose of expressing appreciation to Cardinal Keeler for his 18 years of spiritual leadership to Baltimore's Catholic faithful, his untiring efforts to promote interfaith communication among Baltimoreans of divergent faiths, and his exemplary ministry of tending to the physical hunger, as well as to the spiritual needs, of the less fortunate among us; and providing for a special effective date.

Sponsors: Agnes Welch, Robert W. Curran, Nicholas C. D'Adamo, Mary Pat Clarke, James B. Kraft, Belinda K. Conaway, Sharon Green Middleton and Bernard C. 'Jack' Young

MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL RESOLUTION

IMMEDIATE ADOPTION

07-0749

Baltimore City Welcomes Archbishop Edwin F. O'Brien

FOR the purpose of welcoming Archbishop Edwin F. O'Brien to our City, expressing appreciation for his brave ministering to U.S. troops on the battlefield, recognizing his many years of dedicated service to the Archdiocese of New York and the North American College in Rome, and celebrating his installation as the 15th Bishop of this Premier See on October 1, 2007; and providing for a special effective date.

Sponsors: Robert W. Curran, Agnes Welch, Nicholas C. D'Adamo, Mary Pat Clarke, James B. Kraft, Belinda K. Conaway, Sharon Green Middleton, Keiffer J. Mitchell, Jr. and Bernard C. 'Jack' Young

MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL RESOLUTION

IMMEDIATE ADOPTION

Resolutions Introduced

07-0309R

Expansion of Foreign Trade Zone #74

FOR the purpose of endorsing the expansion of Baltimore City's Foreign Trade Zone #74, to enhance the opportunities for Baltimore City-based companies and other business entities throughout the United States to participate in the expanded global market and to provide new job opportunities for residents of Baltimore City.

Sponsors: City Council President (Administration)

RESOLUTION

At the request of: Baltimore Development Corporation

IMMEDIATE ADOPTION

07-0310R

In Support of Federal Chemical Plant Security Legislation

FOR the purpose of supporting the passage of federal chemical plant security that requires, when feasible, the incorporation of safer and more secure technologies in the manufacture, transport, storage, or use of chemicals.

Sponsors: Robert W. Curran, Belinda K. Conaway, Agnes Welch, Mary Pat Clarke, Keiffer J. Mitchell, Jr., James B. Kraft, Bernard C. 'Jack' Young and Nicholas C. D'Adamo

RESOLUTION
IMMEDIATE ADOPTION

07-0311R

In Support of - ONE: THE CAMPAIGN TO MAKE POVERTY HISTORY

FOR the purpose of expressing support for ONE: THE CAMPAIGN TO MAKE POVERTY HISTORY, an effort by Americans to rally Americans - ONE by ONE - to join a coalition of 2 million people and over 70 of the nation's leading relief, humanitarian, and advocacy organizations to fight the exigency of global AIDS and extreme poverty.

Sponsors: Helen L. Holton, Agnes Welch, Sharon Green Middleton, Mary Pat Clarke, Keiffer J. Mitchell, Jr., James B. Kraft, Belinda K. Conaway, Bernard C. 'Jack' Young and Nicholas C. D'Adamo

RESOLUTION
IMMEDIATE ADOPTION

07-0312R

In Support of Federal Legislation - H.R. 2895 - The National Affordable Housing Trust Fund

FOR the purpose of expressing support for this legislation that seeks to establish the National Affordable Housing Trust Fund in the Treasury of the United States to provide for the construction, rehabilitation, and preservation of decent, safe, and affordable housing for low-income families, and urging the Congressional Delegation to secure enactment of the provisions of the National Affordable Housing Trust Fund.

Sponsors: James B. Kraft, Belinda K. Conaway, Agnes Welch, Mary Pat Clarke, Keiffer J. Mitchell, Jr., Bernard C. 'Jack' Young and Nicholas C. D'Adamo

RESOLUTION
IMMEDIATE ADOPTION

07-0313R Request for State Legislation - Baltimore City Board of School Commissioners - Membership

FOR the purpose of requesting the Honorable Chair and Members of the Baltimore City Senate Delegation and the Honorable Chair and Members of the Baltimore City House Delegation to the Maryland General Assembly to introduce legislation in the 2008 Session to provide for the election of certain members of the Baltimore City Board of School Commissioners; and respectfully urging the Governor to support legislation altering existing Maryland State law to provide for more public input in the determination of local community representation on the Baltimore City Board of School Commissioners.

Sponsors: Kenneth N. Harris, Sr., Agnes Welch, Bernard C. 'Jack' Young and Nicholas C. D'Adamo

RESOLUTION
EDUCATION COMMITTEE

07-0314R Informational Hearing - Commission for Historical and Architectural Preservation (CHAP)

FOR the purpose of requesting the Executive Director of CHAP to report to the City Council on the evolution of the Commission since its inception in 1964; the success of CHAP in fulfilling the mission of preservation of the aesthetic, historical, and architectural history of Baltimore City; and the vision for the future structural and programmatic direction of the Commission for Historical and Architectural Preservation.

Sponsors: President Rawlings-Blake, Sharon Green Middleton, Belinda K. Conaway, Agnes Welch, Mary Pat Clarke, Keiffer J. Mitchell, Jr., James B. Kraft and Bernard C. 'Jack' Young

RESOLUTION
COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

07-0315R Investigative Hearing - Baltimore City Public School System Suspension Policies

FOR the purpose of inviting the CEO of the Baltimore City Public School System to discuss current policies governing in- and out- of school suspension; to provide information on specific behaviors that result in suspension and the period of time students are suspended for each infraction; to address systemwide consistency in suspension policy; and to share the Department's plan to develop an alternative to out-of-school suspension that insures that public school students remain in a learning environment when subject to disciplinary action.

Sponsors: President Rawlings-Blake, Mary Pat Clarke, Keiffer J. Mitchell, Jr., James B. Kraft, Agnes Welch, Sharon Green Middleton, Bernard C. 'Jack' Young and Nicholas C. D'Adamo

RESOLUTION
EDUCATION COMMITTEE

Consent Calendar

(See Section A at back of Agenda)

2R Second Reader

Highways and Franchises

- 07-0567 Franchise - Private Communications Ductbanks Under the Beds of North Wolfe Street and Ashland Avenue**
FOR the purpose of granting a franchise to Forest City - New East Baltimore Partnership, LLC, to construct, use, and maintain private communications ductbanks under and across the 900 block of North Wolfe Street, the 800 block of North Wolfe Street, and the 1900 block of Ashland Avenue, subject to certain terms, conditions, and reservations; and providing for a special effective date.
- Sponsors:** City Council President (Administration)
REPORTED FAVORABLE WITH AMENDMENT
- 07-0568 Franchise - Private Bridgeway and Foundation Above and Within the Bed of East Madison Street**
FOR the purpose of granting a franchise to 855 N. Wolfe Street, LLC, to construct, use, and maintain a private pedestrian bridgeway above and across East Madison Street right-of-way and a portion of the bridgeway foundation within East Madison Street right-of-way, subject to certain terms, conditions, and reservations; and providing for a special effective date.
- Sponsors:** City Council President (Administration)
REPORTED FAVORABLE WITH AMENDMENT
- 07-0690 Franchise - Structural Projections into the South Potomac Street Right-of-Way**
FOR the purpose of granting a franchise to Randolph and Marisa Capone to construct, use, and maintain structural projections into a portion of the South Potomac Street right-of-way, subject to certain terms, conditions, and reservations; and providing for a special effective date.
- Sponsors:** City Council President (Administration)
REPORTED FAVORABLE WITH AMENDMENT

Housing, Health and Human Services

07-0665

Eviction Chattels

FOR the purpose of providing for the disposition of certain eviction chattels; requiring certain notice prior to execution of a warrant of restitution; providing for a tenant's right to reclaim property within a certain period; providing that unclaimed property is deemed abandoned under certain circumstances; prohibiting the placement of eviction chattels in certain public ways; defining certain terms; imposing certain penalties; and generally relating to the removal and disposition of property from leased dwellings.

Sponsors: Kenneth N. Harris, Sr., Mary Pat Clarke, Bernard C. 'Jack' Young, Helen L. Holton, Robert W. Curran, James B. Kraft, Nicholas C. D'Adamo, Sharon Green Middleton, President Rawlings-Blake, Belinda K. Conaway, Agnes Welch, Edward L. Reisinger, Keiffer J. Mitchell, Jr. and Vernon E. Crider

REPORTED FAVORABLE WITH AMENDMENT

Judiciary and Legislative Investigations

07-0299R

Warrant Apprehension Task Force - Request for Maryland State Police Assistance

FOR the purpose of requesting the Secretary of the Maryland State Police to deploy 15 State Troopers to aid the Warrant Apprehension Task Force in furthering its mission of reducing violent crime in the City by apprehending and removing dangerous criminals from City neighborhoods and respectfully urging the Governor to support this request for emergency assistance to protect residents, visitors, and workers in Baltimore City and the surrounding jurisdictions.

Sponsors: President Rawlings-Blake, Bernard C. 'Jack' Young, Nicholas C. D'Adamo, James B. Kraft, Robert W. Curran, Helen L. Holton, Keiffer J. Mitchell, Jr., Mary Pat Clarke, Sharon Green Middleton, Edward L. Reisinger and Belinda K. Conaway

REPORTED FAVORABLE

07-0300R

Urgent Request for Assistance - Baltimore City Police Staffing Shortage

FOR the purpose of requesting the Director of the Governor's Office of Crime Control & Prevention to provide Baltimore City with a grant to aid in the development of a campaign to recruit persons to fill the 140 vacancies on the Baltimore City Police Force to enable the City to curtail the rise in violent crime; and respectfully urging the Governor to lend his support to this request for emergency assistance.

Sponsors: President Rawlings-Blake, Bernard C. 'Jack' Young, Nicholas C. D'Adamo, Robert W. Curran, Helen L. Holton, James B. Kraft, Mary Pat Clarke, Keiffer J. Mitchell, Jr., Sharon Green Middleton and Edward L. Reisinger

REPORTED FAVORABLE

- 07-0308R** **Healthy Neighborhoods Initiative - Community Restoration Grant Program**
FOR the purpose of requesting the Commissioner of Housing and Community Development and the President of Healthy Neighborhoods, Inc., to cooperatively develop a Community Restoration Grant Program to make funds immediately available to Healthy Neighborhoods Rehabilitation Loan recipients to support increased opportunities for renovation of owner-occupied properties in Healthy Neighborhoods and to promote maintaining and increasing the City's supply of affordable housing.

Sponsors: President Rawlings-Blake, Nicholas C. D'Adamo, James B. Kraft, Kenneth N. Harris, Sr., Bernard C. 'Jack' Young, Helen L. Holton, Belinda K. Conaway, Vernon E. Crider, Edward L. Reisinger, Agnes Welch, Sharon Green Middleton, Mary Pat Clarke, Rochelle 'Rikki' Spector, Keiffer J. Mitchell, Jr. and Robert W. Curran

REPORTED FAVORABLE WITH AMENDMENT

- 06-0506** **Baltimore City Office of Sustainability**
FOR the purpose of establishing the Baltimore City Office of Sustainability; providing for the appointment of an Executive Director and staff for the Office; providing for the establishment and implementation of an Environmental Management Program; specifying the powers and duties of the Office and the Executive Director; and generally relating to an Office of Sustainability.

Sponsors: James B. Kraft, Robert W. Curran, Mary Pat Clarke, Keiffer J. Mitchell, Jr. and Kenneth N. Harris, Sr.

REPORTED FAVORABLE WITH AMENDMENT

- 07-0582** **Resource Sustainability**
FOR the purpose of renaming the Commission on Resource Conservation and Recycling to be the Commission on Resource Sustainability; reconstituting the Commission's membership; restating and modifying the Commission's duties; expanding the information to be included by City agencies in their annual energy consumption reports; requiring City agencies to submit an annual greenhouse gas emissions reduction report; providing for the Commission to develop a comprehensive recycling plan for the City; and generally relating to resource conservation, recycling, and sustainability.

Sponsors: James B. Kraft, President Rawlings-Blake, Helen L. Holton, Mary Pat Clarke, Kenneth N. Harris, Sr., Robert W. Curran, Rochelle 'Rikki' Spector and Paula Johnson Branch

REPORTED FAVORABLE WITH AMENDMENT

- 07-0596** **1% for Public Art**
FOR the purpose of establishing a Public Art Commission; providing for its composition, functions, powers, and duties; requiring the allocation of certain construction-project funds to be used for artwork; defining certain terms; abolishing the Civic Design Commission; and generally relating to public construction projects.
- Sponsors:** City Council President (Administration)
REPORTED FAVORABLE WITH AMENDMENT
- 07-0602** **Building Code - Green Building Requirements**
FOR the purpose of requiring certain non-residential buildings and certain multi-family residential buildings to achieve certain standards for energy efficiency and environmental design; requiring certain applicants for building permits to submit certain plans relating to energy efficiency and environmental design; requiring that compliance with certain energy efficiency and environmental design standards be a condition of certain building permits and occupancy permits; requiring certain regulations to implement these requirements; defining certain terms; providing for a special effective date; and generally relating to the construction of buildings.
- Sponsors:** James B. Kraft, Nicholas C. D'Adamo, Kenneth N. Harris, Sr., Helen L. Holton, Mary Pat Clarke, Paula Johnson Branch and Keiffer J. Mitchell, Jr.
- REPORTED FAVORABLE WITH AMENDMENT*
- 07-0620** **Metropolitan District of Baltimore County - Extension 152**
FOR the purpose of consenting to and approving a petition to extend the Metropolitan District of Baltimore County to a certain tract of land; and providing for a special effective date.
- Sponsors:** City Council President (Administration)
REPORTED FAVORABLE
- 07-0621** **Metropolitan District of Baltimore County - Extension 155**
FOR the purpose of consenting to and approving a petition to extend the Metropolitan District of Baltimore County to a certain tract of land; and providing for a special effective date.
- Sponsors:** City Council President (Administration)
REPORTED FAVORABLE
- 07-0622** **Metropolitan District of Baltimore County - Extension 156**
FOR the purpose of consenting to and approving a petition to extend the Metropolitan District of Baltimore County to a certain tract of land; and providing for a special effective date.
- Sponsors:** City Council President (Administration)
REPORTED FAVORABLE

07-0697

Indoor Smoking Ban - Conforming Effective Date

FOR the purpose of conforming the effective date of Ordinance 07-392 {"Health - Indoor Smoking"} to that of the State's Clean Indoor Act of 2007; and providing for a special effective date.

Sponsors: Robert W. Curran, Nicholas C. D'Adamo, James B. Kraft, Helen L. Holton, Mary Pat Clarke, Sharon Green Middleton, Vernon E. Crider and Kenneth N. Harris, Sr.

REPORTED FAVORABLE

07-0712

Charter Amendment - Procurement

FOR the purpose of updating the rules governing the procurement of public works, supplies, materials, equipment, or services; authorizing the adjustment from time to time, by Ordinance, of certain threshold dollar amounts; modifying the advertising requirements; authorizing certain performance bonds, letters of credit, or certifications to be on an annual contract-price basis; correcting, clarifying, and conforming certain language; and submitting this amendment to the qualified voters of the City for adoption or rejection.

Sponsors: City Council President (Administration)

REPORTED FAVORABLE WITH AMENDMENT

Land Use and Transportation

07-0263R

Baltimore City Arts, Dining, and Entertainment Partnership Task Force

FOR the purpose of authorizing the creation of a task force to organize the development of the Baltimore City Arts, Dining, and Entertainment Partnership to promote arts, culture, dining, and entertainment in the City by bringing together key stakeholders to create a healthy, well managed environment for these activities.

Sponsors: President Rawlings-Blake, Bernard C. 'Jack' Young, James B. Kraft, Helen L. Holton, Robert W. Curran, Mary Pat Clarke, Belinda K. Conaway, Agnes Welch, Edward L. Reisinger, Sharon Green Middleton, Kenneth N. Harris, Sr., Nicholas C. D'Adamo and Rochelle 'Rikki' Spector

REPORTED FAVORABLE WITH AMENDMENT

07-0577

Zoning - Parking Lot District - Conditional Use Parking Lot - 1205 Maryland Avenue

FOR the purpose of permitting, subject to certain conditions, the establishment, maintenance, and operation of an open off-street parking area on the property known as 1205 Maryland Avenue, as outlined in red on the accompanying plat.

Sponsors: Keiffer J. Mitchell, Jr., Bernard C. 'Jack' Young and Agnes Welch

REPORTED FAVORABLE

- 07-0590 Rezoning - Block 7027D, Lots 9-12 (100 Block of Riverside Road)**
FOR the purpose of changing the zoning for the property known as Block 7027D, Lots 9-12 (100 block of Riverside Road), as outlined in red on the accompanying plat, from the M-2-1 Zoning District to the R-6 Zoning District.
- Sponsors:** Edward L. Reisinger
REPORTED FAVORABLE WITH AMENDMENT
- 07-0605 Planned Unit Development - Amendment 3 - York Road and Belvedere Avenue (Belvedere Square)**
FOR the purpose of approving certain amendments to the Development Plan of the York Road and Belvedere Avenue (Belvedere Square) Planned Unit Development.
- Sponsors:** Kenneth N. Harris, Sr., Robert W. Curran and President Rawlings-Blake
REPORTED FAVORABLE WITH AMENDMENT
- 07-0625 Zoning - Health-Care Facilities - Conditional Use Hospital - On Certain Property Bounded by Calvert Street to the East, St. Paul Street to the West, Orleans Street to the North, and Pleasant Street to the South**
FOR the purpose of permitting, subject to certain conditions, the establishment, maintenance, and operation of a hospital on certain property bounded by Calvert Street to the east, St. Paul Street to the west, Orleans Street to the north, and Pleasant Street to the south, as outlined in red on the accompanying plat.
- Sponsors:** Keiffer J. Mitchell, Jr., Bernard C. 'Jack' Young and Edward L. Reisinger
REPORTED FAVORABLE

Taxation and Finance

- 07-0664 Hotel Room Tax - Clarification**
FOR the purpose of defining certain terms to clarify and conform certain provisions; providing for a special effective date; and generally related to the application of the hotel room tax.
- Sponsors:** City Council President (Administration)
REPORTED FAVORABLE WITH AMENDMENT

3R Third Reader

Third Reader (requires invocation of CC Rule 12-1 for same day advance from 2nd to 3rd Reader)

07-0690 Franchise - Structural Projections into the South Potomac Street Right-of-Way
FOR the purpose of granting a franchise to Randolph and Marisa Capone to construct, use, and maintain structural projections into a portion of the South Potomac Street right-of-way, subject to certain terms, conditions, and reservations; and providing for a special effective date.

Sponsors: City Council President (Administration)

Third Reader (for final passage)

06-0540 Rezoning - 242 West 29th Street and Block 3658, Lot 134
FOR the purpose of changing the zoning for the properties known as 242 West 29th Street and Block 3658, Lot 134, as outlined in red on the accompanying plat, from the B-3-2 Zoning District to the ~~B-3-2P~~ R-6P Zoning District.

Sponsors: Mary Pat Clarke

Bills Withdrawn

06-0437 Annual Property Tax - Fiscal Year 2007
FOR the purpose of providing a tax for the use of the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore for the period July 1, 2006 through June 30, 2007; setting the semiannual payment service charge for that period; and providing for a special effective date.

Sponsors: James B. Kraft, Kenneth N. Harris, Sr., Edward L. Reisinger and Keiffer J. Mitchell, Jr.

Committee Announcements

Announcements

**THE NEXT MEETING OF THE CITY COUNCIL
WILL BE HELD ON MONDAY, AUGUST 13, 2007, AT 5:00 P.M.**

Adjournment