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HEARING NOTES

Bill: 21-0165

South Baltimore Gateway Community Impact District and Management Authority **Committee:** Economic and Community Development **Chaired By:** Councilmember John Bullock **Hearing Date:** February 1, 2022 Time (Beginning): 2:00 PM Time (Ending): 2:20 PM Location: Virtual WEBEX **Total Attendance:** Approximately 55 **Committee Members in Attendance:**

Mark Conway Ryan Dorsey Antonio Glover Odette Ramos Robert Stokes

Bill Synopsis in the file?	× yes	no	n/a
Attendance sheet in the file?		no	n/a
Agency reports read?	=	no	n/a
Video or audio-digitally recorded?	= ·	no	n/a
Certification of advertising/posting notices in the file?	= '	no	n/a
Evidence of notification to property owners?	yes	no	n/a
Final vote taken at this hearing?	× yes	no	n/a
Motioned by:	Councilmem	ber Odet	te Ramos
Seconded by:			
Final Vote:	Favorable	,	•

Major Speakers

(This <u>is not</u> an attendance record.)

- Councilmember Eric Costello
- Brad Rogers, Executive Director, South Baltimore Gateway Partnership
- John Perry, Past President, Riverside Neighborhood Association

- Kim Lane, Executive Director, Pigtown Main Street Community
- Ted Carter, Deputy Mayor, Baltimore City

Major Issues Discussed

- 1. Councilmember John Bullock chaired the meeting. He opened the meeting by introducing committee members and City representatives and read the bill into the record. He also read agency positions into the record.
- 2. Councilmember Eric Costello commented on the bill. He emphasized that the bill was introduced along with Councilmember Porter.
- 3. Brad Parker testified in support of the bill and presented general information about initiatives and projects underway by the South Baltimore Gateway Partnership. He emphasized commitment of the Partnership's board to oversee expenditure of funds for community initiatives.
- 4. John Perry supports the bill and complimented the Partnership on its community outreach initiatives.
- 5. Ted Carter testified in support of the reauthorization. He indicated that he has talked to Brad Rogers about equity and community input, in terms of the Partnership's structure and development of their vision for the trade area and also how to utilize their training for the benefit of other Community Development Corporations (CDCs) in Baltimore.
- 6. The committee heard public testimony.
- 7. The committee voted to recommend the bill favorably.
- 8. The hearing was adjourned.

Further Study			
Was further study requested? If yes, describe.	☐ Yes ⊠ No		
Committee Vote:			
Sharon Green Middleton, Chair	Yea Yea Yea Yea Yea		

Date: February 2, 2022

Jennifer L. Coates, Committee Staff

cc: Bill File

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