



**HEARING NOTES**

**Council Bill: 20-0510**

**Trauma-Informed Care Task Force – Revisions and Clarifications**

**Committee:** Health

**Chaired by:** Kristerfer Burnett

**Hearing Date:** Tuesday, July 14, 2020

**Time (Beginning):** 10:00 AM

**Time (Ending):** 10:30 AM

**Location:** Virtual "WebEx" Meeting

**Total Attendance:** Approximately 35

<b>Bill Synopsis in the file?</b> .....	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> yes	<input type="checkbox"/> no	<input type="checkbox"/> n/a
<b>Attendance sheet in the file?</b> .....	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> yes	<input type="checkbox"/> no	<input type="checkbox"/> n/a
<b>Agency reports read?</b> .....	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> yes	<input type="checkbox"/> no	<input type="checkbox"/> n/a
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<b>Certification of advertising/posting notices in the file?</b> .....	<input type="checkbox"/> yes	<input type="checkbox"/> no	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> n/a
<b>Evidence of notification to property owners?</b> .....	<input type="checkbox"/> yes	<input type="checkbox"/> no	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> n/a
<b>Final vote taken at this hearing?</b> .....	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> yes	<input type="checkbox"/> no	<input type="checkbox"/> n/a
<b>Motioned by:</b> .....	Councilmember Clarke		
<b>Seconded by:</b> .....	Councilmember Henry		
<b>Final Vote:</b> .....	Favorable with Amendments		

**Major Speakers**

*(This is not an attendance record.)*

- Hilary Ruley, Law Department
- D’Paul Nibber, Health Department
- Matt Stegman, Mayor’s Office
- Peter Little, Parking Authority of Baltimore City
- Stephanie Murdock, Department of Housing and Community Development
- Eric Tiso, Planning
- Dawana Sterrette, Baltimore City Public Schools (BCPS)
- Melissa Broome, Baltimore City Public Schools
- Mackenzie Garvin, Mayor’s Office of Employment Development
- Mara James, Finance Department

- Jenny Morgan, Department of Recreation and Parks
- Liam Davis, Department of Transportation

**Major Issues Discussed**

1. Councilman Cohen, primary sponsor of the bill gave opening remarks. Some highlights of same were:
  - Explained what the bill does
  - The bill is a corrective measure for the original task force
  - Teachers are truly on the front line when dealing with trauma; our teachers will be dealing with a lot of stress and abuse associated with students and their voices should be heard
2. Several representatives from city agencies were in attendance to talk about his/her agency reports. None of the agencies reporting were in opposition to the bill.
3. Representatives from the Law Department and the Baltimore City Public Schools talked about their proposed amendments.
4. Councilman Cohen asked the Law Department’s representative to clarify if the BCPS proposed amendment could be implemented. **Answer: Yes, this amendment can be done if the committee/council choses to do so.** Per Councilman Cohen, “I would like for the School’s CEO and Teachers’ Union to have some input.”
5. Committee members voted on the proposed amendments submitted by the Law Department.
6. A floor amendment may be forthcoming. Vote taken.
7. Hearing concluded.

**Further Study**

Was further study requested?

Yes  No

If yes, describe.

**Committee Vote:**

K. Burnett ..... Yea  
 B. Henry..... Yea  
 M. Clarke ..... Yea  
 E. Reisinger ..... Yea  
 I. Schleifer: ..... Absent

*Marguerite M. Currin*

Marguerite M. Currin, Committee Staff

Date: July 20, 2020

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# BALTIMORE CITY COUNCIL HEALTH COMMITTEE VOTING RECORD

DATE: 7-14-20

BILL #: 20-0510

BILLTITLE: Trauma-Informed Care Task Force – Revisions and Clarifications

MOTION BY: Clarke      SECONDED BY: Henry

- FAVORABLE                       FAVORABLE WITH AMENDMENTS  
 UNFAVORABLE                       WITHOUT RECOMMENDATION

NAME	YEAS	NAYS	ABSENT	ABSTAIN
Burnett, Kristerfer - Chair	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Henry, Bill - Vice Chair	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Clarke, Mary Pat	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Reisinger, Edward	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Schleifer, Isaac "Yitzy"	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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CHAIRPERSON: Kristerfer Burnett, *KB / m.m.c*

COMMITTEE STAFF: Marguerite M. Currin, Initials: *m.m.c*



## Baltimore City Council Committee Hearing Attendance Record

<b>Subject:</b> <b>Council Bill</b> –Trauma-Informed Care Task Force Composition – Revisions and Clarifications	<b>Bill #</b> 20-0510
<b>Committee:</b> Health	<b>Chair:</b> Kristerfer Burnett
<b>Date:</b> Tuesday, July 14, 2020	<b>Time:</b> 10:00 AM
<b>Location:</b> Virtual "WebEX" Meeting	

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First Name	Last Name	Address / Organization / Email	<b>Testify</b>	What is your position on this bill?		Lobbyist: Are you registered in the City?*	
				For	Against	Yes	No
John	Doe	400 N. Holliday St. Johndoenbmore@yahoo.com	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
See hearing notes							

\*NOTE: IF YOU ARE COMPENSATED OR INCUR EXPENSES IN CONNECTION WITH THIS BILL, YOU MAY BE REQUIRED BY LAW TO REGISTER WITH THE CITY ETHICS BOARD AS A LOBBYIST. REGISTRATION CAN BE DONE ONLINE AND IS A SIMPLE PROCESS. FOR INFORMATION VISIT: [HTTPS://ETHICS.BALTIMORECITY.GOV/](https://ethics.baltimorecity.gov/) OR CALL: 410-396-4730

# City of Baltimore

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

## Meeting Minutes - Final

### Health

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Tuesday, July 14, 2020

10:00 AM Virtual Hearing: Phone: +1-408-418-9388, Access Code: 129  
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#### CALL TO ORDER

#### INTRODUCTIONS

#### ATTENDANCE

Present 4 - Kristerfer Burnett, Bill Henry, Mary Pat Clarke, and Edward Reisinger

Absent 1 - Isaac "Yitzy" Schleifer

#### 20-0510

#### **Trauma-Informed Care Task Force Composition - Revisions and Clarifications**

For the purpose of adding 2 educators with experience within the Baltimore City Public School System to the Trauma-Informed Care Task Force; clarifying that one Councilmember appointed to the Task Force have substantial experience as an educator with the Baltimore City Public School System; clarifying that one Councilmember appointed to the Task Force have substantial experience as a parent with the Baltimore City Public School System; clarifying that the appointed Councilmember with substantial experience as an educator shall be co-chair of the Task Force; conforming and correcting related provisions; and providing for a special effective date.

**Sponsors:** Zeke Cohen, Mary Pat Clarke, Bill Henry, President Brandon M. Scott, Shannon Sneed, Ryan Dorsey, Kristerfer Burnett, Sharon Green Middleton, John T. Bullock, Isaac "Yitzy" Schleifer, Robert Stokes, Sr.

A motion was made by Clarke, seconded by Henry, that Ordinance 20-0510 be recommended favorably with amendments. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yes: 4 - Burnett, Henry, Clarke, and Reisinger

Absent: 1 - "Yitzy" Schleifer

#### ADJOURNMENT