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	Subject:	City Council Bill # 23-0347 Department of Business Licensing and Consumer Protection		

**DATE:** March 29, 2023

**TO:** The Honorable City Council President Nick Mosby  
Members of the City Council  
City Hall  
100 North Holliday Street  
Baltimore, MD 21202

Baltimore City Recreation & Parks (BCRP) has been asked to respond to an ordinance “For the purpose of creating the Department of Business Licensing and Consumer Protection as an independent City agency; providing for the leadership and staffing of the Department; establishing the Department’s purpose, powers, and duties; creating the Commission on Business Licensing and Consumer Protection; providing for the membership of the Commission; establishing the purpose, powers, and duties of the Commission; transferring the administration of certain business licenses to the Department; repealing certain obsolete Boards; providing for a special effective date; and generally relating to business licensing and consumer protection.

Subtitle 71 – 14 calls for BCRP, along with other named City agencies, to “from time to time certify to the Police Commissioner the names of employees of their respective departments for appointment by the Police Commissioner as Special Enforcement Officers.

As Baltimore City Recreation & Parks finds no issue with this request, we support this legislation. If you have any additional questions, please contact [jmorgan@baltimorecity.gov](mailto:jmorgan@baltimorecity.gov).