

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Ashley Nwafor <ashnwafor@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 4:30 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Cc: Bernard C Jack Young; Clarke, MaryPat (City Council); Reisinger, Edward (City Council); Stokes, Robert (City Council); Burnett, Kristerfer (City Council); Middleton, Sharon (City Council); Henry, Bill (email); McCray, Danielle (City Council); City Council President; Cohen, Zeke (City Council); Dorsey, Ryan (City Council); Schleifer, Isaac (City Council); Pinkett, Leon2 (City Council); Bullock, John (City Council); Costello, Eric (City Council); Sneed, Shannon (City Council)
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Dear Mayor Young,

My name is Ashley Nwafor. In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021.

Investment in programs such as the Affordable Housing Trust Fund, Baltimore Children and Youth Fund, Safe Streets Baltimore, the Office of Employment and Development, or the Department of Health will have a measurable and lasting impact on public health and safety.

Best,
Ashley Nwafor

Sent from my iPhone

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: rachel del carmen <racheldelc@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 4:25 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
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Dear Mayor Young,

My name is Rachel del Carmen. In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021.

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Best,
Rachel del Carmen

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From: Hannah McKenzie <hannahmck13@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 4:25 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
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Dear Mayor Young,

My name is Hannah McKenzie. In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021.

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Best,

Hannah

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From: Stefanie Rain <stef.rain.04@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 4:25 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
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Dear Mayor Young,

My name is Stefanie Rain. In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget.

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Best,
Stefanie Rain

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From: Shahzeb Z. Hussain <shahzaibhussain1993@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 4:23 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Cc: Bernard C Jack Young; Clarke, MaryPat (City Council); Reisinger, Edward (City Council); Stokes, Robert (City Council); Burnett, Kristerfer (City Council); Middleton, Sharon (City Council); Henry, Bill (email); McCray, Danielle (City Council); City Council President; Cohen, Zeke (City Council); Dorsey, Ryan (City Council); Schleifer, Isaac (City Council); Pinkett, Leon2 (City Council); Bullock, John (City Council); Costello, Eric (City Council); Sneed, Shannon (City Council)
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My name is Shahzeb Hussain. In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021.

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Best,
Shahzeb H.

Sent from my iPhone

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From: Leah Dozier <leahmdozier@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 4:22 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
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Dear Mayor Young,

My name is Leah Dozier. In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021.

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Best,

Leah Dozier

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From: Andrew Schaefer <andrew.v.schaefer@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 4:24 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
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Dear Mayor Young,

My name is Andrew Schaefer. In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021.

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Best,

Andrew

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From: Krishana Davis <krishanadavis@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 4:22 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
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Dear Mayor Young,

My name is Krishana Davis. In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021.

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Best,

Krishana Davis
Cell: 443-413-9061
Email: KrishanaDavis@gmail.com

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From: Emily Z <emilyzeng328@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 4:21 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
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Dear Mayor Young,

My name is Emily. In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021.

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Best,
Emily

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Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Jordyn Sallah <jordynsallah@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 4:18 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Cc: Bernard C Jack Young; Henry, Bill (email); City Council President; McCray, Danielle (City Council); Reisinger, Edward (City Council); Costello, Eric (City Council); Schleifer, Isaac (City Council); Bullock, John (City Council); Burnett, Kristerfer (City Council); Pinkett, Leon2 (City Council); Clarke, MaryPat (City Council); Stokes, Robert (City Council); Dorsey, Ryan (City Council); Sneed, Shannon (City Council); Middleton, Sharon (City Council); Cohen, Zeke (City Council)
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Dear Mayor Young,

My name is Jordyn Sallah. In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021.

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Best,
Jordyn Sallah

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Ausar Weefur-Coleman <ausarnyema@icloud.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 4:20 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Cc: Bernard C Jack Young; Clarke, MaryPat (City Council); Reisinger, Edward (City Council); Stokes, Robert (City Council); Burnett, Kristerfer (City Council); Middleton, Sharon (City Council); Henry, Bill (email); McCray, Danielle (City Council); City Council President; Cohen, Zeke (City Council); Dorsey, Ryan (City Council); Schleifer, Isaac (City Council); Pinkett, Leon2 (City Council); Bullock, John (City Council); Costello, Eric (City Council); Sneed, Shannon (City Council)
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Dear Mayor Young,

My name is Ausar Weefur-Coleman. In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021.

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Best,

Ausar Weefur-Coleman
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Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Leigh Brownell <leigh.cameron.b@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 4:18 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
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Dear Mayor Young, My name is Leigh Cameron Brownell. In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021. Investment in programs such as the Affordable Housing Trust Fund, Baltimore Children and Youth Fund, Safe Streets Baltimore, the Office of Employment and Development, or the Department of Health will have a measurable and lasting impact on public health and safety.

Best, Leigh Brownell AFC

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Zoe Merz <zkm296@comcast.net>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 4:17 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Cc: Bernard C Jack Young; Clarke, MaryPat (City Council); Reisinger, Edward (City Council); Stokes, Robert (City Council); Burnett, Kristerfer (City Council); Middleton, Sharon (City Council); Henry, Bill (email); McCray, Danielle (City Council); City Council President; Cohen, Zeke (City Council); Dorsey, Ryan (City Council); Schleifer, Isaac (City Council); Pinkett, Leon2 (City Council); Bullock, John (City Council); Costello, Eric (City Council); Sneed, Shannon (City Council)
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Dear Mayor Young,

My name is Zoe Merz. In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021.

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Sincerely

Zoe Merz

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From: Jordyn Sallah <jujushari123@icloud.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 4:14 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
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Best,
Jordyn Sallah

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From: Thalia Grace <danandphilpjo@icloud.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 4:12 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
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Dear Mayor Young,

My name is River Barker. In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021.

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Best,
River

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Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Ryan Wardlaw <jerroddwardlaw@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 4:12 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
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Dear Mayor Young,

My name is Ryan. In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021.

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Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Julia Sainato <juliasainato@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 4:09 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
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Dear Mayor Young,

My name is Julia Sainato. In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021.

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Best,
Julia Sainato

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From: Brittany Villo <bvillo@hotmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 4:03 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
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Dear Mayor Young,

My name is Brittany Villo. In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021.

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Thank you,
Brittany Villo

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From: Olivia Robinson <roxy122700@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 4:03 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
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Dear Mayor Young,

My name is Olivia Robinson. In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021.

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Best,
Olivia Robinson

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From: Jonathan Law <jon.k.law@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 8:35 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council); Bullock, John (City Council)
Subject: Fwd: Baltimore City FY2021 Proposed Budget Comment

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Hello, I am resending the below message and adding Ms. Marguerite Currin as a recipient. Thank you!

Dear City Councilperson Bullock,

I am Jon Law, a resident of Hollins Market. I have previously written to you as a part of the Hollins Roundhouse Association.

I want to urge the Baltimore City Council with Mayor Young to make substantive changes to the proposed Fiscal Year 2021 budget to (1) defund the Baltimore City Police Department and (2) reinvest in programs and services to address the root causes of crime and violence in our city in a sustainable way that values Black lives and dignity.

If the substantive research available did not show how our current police system is not keeping us safer, my own experiences have taught me this:

- The police entered my apartment without a warrant and threatened to shoot my dog—and then say they have no record of this happening afterwards.
- An officer told my neighborhood association that if we see groups of teen boys on the street, we should call the police on them and suggest that a cop who killed his wife must have been driven to it.
- An officer came into CUPs Coffeehouse and arrested one of our young women in the middle of the store without telling her why and keeping her in handcuffs for an hour before realizing they have arrested the wrong person—if it weren't CUPs, she would have probably been fired for causing a scene.
- When I last wrote to you, it was in response to the police placing our neighbors and your constituents in Harlem Park under unconstitutional lockdown and as far as I know, nothing came of this.

My neighbors and I are not safer with this police department. And the BCPD is seeing its budget increase to over half a billion dollars, all while YouthWorks is underfunded, all other agencies are asked to find 5% budget cuts, and we still can't protect our homeless neighbors from COVID-19.

I ask for a new FY2021 budget that radically reinvests these dollars elsewhere. I understand the Baltimore City Council cannot change the budget unilaterally but in terms of budget cuts, my top priorities are (1) holding BCPD accountable for consistently spending over budget, (2) defunding of any surveillance program (aerial, phone data, "hot spot" policing, etc.), which assumes all Baltimore city residents are guilty, and (3) removal of former military equipment/tear gas/etc from the police department's use.

Continuing to invest in this police department is a sunk cost fallacy. We have to want more for ourselves.

I thank you for your time.

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Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Aubrey Vinson <aubreyvinson@yahoo.com>
Sent: Wednesday, June 10, 2020 9:02 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Cc: City Council President; Stokes, Robert (City Council)
Subject: Baltimore City FY21 Budget Comments

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Dear Ms. Currin, Council President Scott & Councilman Stokes,

I call on the Baltimore City Council to vote against the proposed FY 2020-21 Baltimore Police Department budget and instead work to implement significant and permanent reductions to this department. These funds should be routed toward the development of harm reduction systems and social support structures, which do not threaten our neighbors and communities.

The proposed BPD FY21 Budget is \$549,959,519. This is an increase of \$13,583,042 compared to FY20. The Budget also calls for cuts to several departments that better serve the public, including:

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I call on the City Council to cancel the BPD budget increase of \$13.5 million and allocate it to the above departments.

Sincerely,
Aubrey Vinson
Harwood Resident & Homeowner

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Cooper Grossman <coopergrossman@gmail.com>
Sent: Wednesday, June 10, 2020 2:18 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Cc: City Council President; Sneed, Shannon (City Council)
Subject: Baltimore City FY21 Budget Comments

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Dear Marguerite Currin, Council President Brandon M. Scott & Council member Shannon Sneed,

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Sincerely,
Cooper Grossman

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Rebekka Paisner <rebekka.paisner@gmail.com>
Sent: Wednesday, June 10, 2020 12:15 PM
To: Clarke, MaryPat (City Council); Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Subject: Baltimore City FY21 Budget Comments

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Dear Marguerite Currin, and Mary Pat Clarkel call on the Baltimore City Council to vote against the proposed FY 2020-21 Baltimore Police Department budget and instead work to implement significant and permanent reductions to this department. These funds should be routed toward the development of harm reduction systems that do not terrorize our neighbors and communities. The proposed BPD FY21 Budget is \$549,959,519. This is an increase of \$13,583,042 compared to FY20. The Budget also calls for cuts to several departments that better serve the public, including:

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Rebekka Paisner

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Alan Wei <awei9@jhmi.edu>
Sent: Wednesday, June 10, 2020 11:48 AM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Cc: City Council President; Costello, Eric (City Council)
Subject: Baltimore City FY21 Budget Comments

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Dear Marguerite Currin, Council President Brandon M. Scott & Councilman Costello,

As a constituent of the 11th district of Baltimore City, I call on the City Council to vote against the proposed FY 2020-21 Baltimore Police Department budget and instead work to implement significant and permanent reductions to this department. These funds should be routed toward the development of harm reduction systems that do not terrorize our neighbors and communities.

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Sincerely,
Alan Wei

Alan Wei
Johns Hopkins University | PhD Student, Brown Laboratory
awei9@jhmi.edu
He/Him/His

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Leah Flamm <lmflamm@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 5:58 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council); City Council President; Clarke, MaryPat (City Council)
Subject: Baltimore City FY21 Budget Comments

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Dear Marguerite Currin, Council President Brandon M. Scott, & Councilperson Clarke,

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Sincerely,

Leah Flamm

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Morgan Zepp <mzepp7@gmail.com>
Sent: Friday, June 5, 2020 6:54 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Cc: City Council President
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Morgan Zepp

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Friends of Bill Henry
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Councilwoman Sharon Green Middleton

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Enpei Wu <enpeiwu99@gmail.com>
Sent: Saturday, June 6, 2020 11:03 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Cc: City Council President
Subject: Baltimore City FY21 Budget Comments

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Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Elysia Chou <ec-as-lyche@hotmail.com>
Sent: Saturday, June 6, 2020 4:37 AM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
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Sincerely,

Elysia Chou

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Katy Shen <katyshen1014@gmail.com>
Sent: Friday, June 5, 2020 8:16 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Cc: City Council President
Subject: Baltimore City FY21 Budget Comments

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Councilman John Bullock
Councilman Eric T. Costello
Mary Pat Clarke

Councilman Leon F. Pinkett, III

Dear Councilman Pinkett, Councilmember Burnett, Councilwoman Sneed, Councilman Bullock, Councilman Costello, and Mary Pat Clarke:

I am writing to you regarding the proposed changes to the City Charter. The City Charter is the governing document of the City of Baltimore. It sets forth the structure and powers of the City government. The proposed changes are intended to improve the efficiency and effectiveness of the City government. I believe these changes are necessary for the City to continue to grow and prosper. I am confident that the City Council will support these changes and that the City will benefit from them.

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Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Garrett Brown <garrett.uic@gmail.com>
Sent: Friday, June 5, 2020 8:42 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Subject: Baltimore City FY21 Budget Proposal

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Dear Ms. Currin & members of the Budget and Appropriations Committee:

I'm writing to express my dissatisfaction with the proposed increase to the Baltimore Police Department's budget for the next fiscal year.

While the issue of crime and violence in the city is very real, decades of a "more police" approach have only made our problems worse. While I understand that budgets are tight, it strikes me as absurd to continue this backward approach of funneling money into the BPD while cutting funding from schools, affordable housing, and services for youth.

I also understand that the City Council can only reject budget proposals and are not able to reallocate funds. Please know that I will also be writing to Mayor Jack Young as well, to voice my opinion on how funding is distributed.

Thank you for listening.

Garrett Brown
Resident, Baltimore City

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Ginger Kohn <gingerkohn12@gmail.com>
Sent: Friday, June 5, 2020 7:03 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council); Bernard C Jack Young; City Council President; Cohen, Zeke (City Council); McCray, Danielle (City Council); Dorsey, Ryan (City Council); Henry, Bill (email); Schleifer, Isaac (City Council); Middleton, Sharon (City Council); Pinkett, Leon2 (City Council); Burnett, Kristerfer (City Council); Bullock, John (City Council); Reisinger, Edward (City Council); Costello, Eric (City Council); Stokes, Robert (City Council); Sneed, Shannon (City Council); Clarke, MaryPat (City Council)
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Ms. Currin and the members of the Budget and Appropriations Committee,

My name is Ginger Kohn, and I am a Baltimore resident. In the midst of this pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it feels especially inappropriate to propose an increase to the BPD budget to \$545 million. I urge you to ethically reallocate this increase, as well as a meaningful portion of the remaining BPD budget, towards social services and education. Investment in programs such as the Affordable Housing Trust Fund, Baltimore Children and Youth Fund, Safe Streets Baltimore, the Office of Employment and Development, or the Department of Health, shows our commitment to communities and the vision that all Baltimore residents deserve to thrive. Historically, the city government has spent far more on police than on public health, homeless services, youth services, and other vital agencies. This while the Baltimore Police Department disproportionately targets nonwhite residents—from traffic stops to the use of lethal force.

It's time to staunch the expansion of the BPD's mandate into homeless services, schools, youth services, mental health, and other social services where an armed police force simply doesn't belong. It's time to protect investments in human services, the social safety net, and racial and economic justice. I am writing to insist that the upcoming BBMR budget hearings for FY 2021 reflect the voices and needs of Baltimore's citizens. I am asking that city officials give intense care, attention and effort towards sustainable, long-term change.

I demand that you allocate these funds to programs that will actually help and improve our Baltimore community, instead of harming it.

Thank you,

Ginger Kohn

2413 Everton Rd

443-610-1504

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Eric Evans <eric.commette.evans@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 2:51 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Subject: Baltimore City FY21 Budget Testimony

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To the Budget and Appropriations Council:

All due respect to the city we all choose to live in, to better, and to enjoy, but the enormously high funding for the Baltimore Police Department on behalf of the City of Baltimore amidst our continued murder rate is a prime example that increased funding for police at the expense of community-based funding is a failure. The proposed budget in front of you will raise the BPD budget well over \$500,000,000 while our schools receive half of that. Our city could be positively transformed with better schools, increased public transportation options connecting our many neighborhoods, and plenty of other initiatives that continue to be cut while police funding rises. While I understand you may not have the power to change the funding, I urge you to reject the proposed budget before you. This insanely high police funding at the expense of education, transportation, parks, health, and housing must end.

Thank you,

Eric Evans

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: info <info@blackrabbitllc.com>
Sent: Thursday, May 28, 2020 12:30 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Subject: Re: Baltimore City Notice of Proposed Real Property Taxincrease

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Yes, I understand the nuances. The bottom line is that what I will be paying is going up, right? Even if it's not this year, if the city raises the assessments, my amount owed will increase. This is clearly what I meant. I will again ask that you read the statement I will provide below at the meeting. Please consider this a formal request.

Dear Esteemed Members of the Baltimore City Council,

c/o Marguerite.currin@baltimorecity.gov

Thank you for granting time to these notes prepared on the proposed Real Property tax changes that result in higher future amounts owed to the city. As a long-time Baltimore resident and believer in this city, it is my firm understanding that decisions like this are short-sighted and run people out of Baltimore. I can't even begin to count how many people I know, full taxpayers and wage earners, who have left Baltimore city to live across the county line to avoid high taxes and high water bills. There are other ways to collect necessary revenue that does not penalize Baltimore City residents as this does. For example, Baltimore City residents are being charged for the "amenity" of "county water" even though we process it for both city and county residents. Why is there not a small toll for county residents when they take any of the main arteries into the city, from the county, to access city amenities like the stadiums, restaurants, waterfront, science center, National Aquarium, and jobs that are city-located? (35 cents, full speed EZ Pass, nobody would have to stop or slow – Chicago is a great example of this). Why is there only a one-way amenities surcharge flowing into the county leaving a discrepancy that the city aims to fix by increasing city real estate taxes? We have people coming into Baltimore every day for jobs, adding wear and tear to the infrastructure that is being repaired by the funding provided by Baltimore City residents, not the county residents who commute on them. County residents then turn around at the end of every working day, taking their real estate tax payments with them to another jurisdiction. How is this fair? How is this something that falls on our shoulders every year? Furthermore, we are in the middle of a pandemic and financial crisis. Over 25% of America's workforce is unemployed. This is a ridiculous time to be raising any amounts owed to the city by its residents.

On behalf of my friends, family, colleagues, and neighbors,

Thank you for taking the time to consider this seriously.

On Fri, May 22, 2020 at 11:53 AM Currin, Marguerite (City Council) <Marguerite.Currin@baltimorecity.gov> wrote:

Yes, the advertisement as worded can be misleading. However, each year the Department of Assessment and Taxation sends each county; including Baltimore City a constant yield tax rate. Baltimore City's constant yield tax rate of \$2.248 is higher than the rate proposed by the Department of Assessment and Taxation, and that is why the language stated

that the City is proposing a higher constant yield tax rate. But in reality the city have not raised its tax rate of \$2.248 in years. I just look up the constant yield tax rate for 2014 and it is listed as \$2.248 as well.

From: info <info@blackrabbitllc.com>

Sent: Friday, May 22, 2020 10:15 AM

To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council) <Marguerite.Currin@baltimorecity.gov>

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Thank you for your quick response Ms. Currin. Perhaps I am misunderstanding what I read in the Sun, could you shed any light on this? (see attached)

thank you!

**BALTIMORE CITY
NOTICE OF PROPOSED
REAL PROPERTY TAX INCREASE**

The City Council of Baltimore City proposes to increase real property taxes.

1. For the tax year beginning July 1, 2020, the estimated real property assessable base will increase by 2.99% from \$28,892,145,187 to \$29,691,232,846.
2. If Baltimore City maintains the current tax rate of \$2,348 per \$100 of assessment, real property tax revenues will increase by 2.99% resulting in \$26,110,827 of new real property tax revenues.
3. In order to fully offset the effect of increasing assessments, the real property tax rate should be reduced to \$2,182.9, the constant yield tax rate.
4. The City is considering not reducing its real property tax rate enough to fully offset increasing assessments. The City proposes to adopt a real property tax rate of \$2,348 per \$100 of assessment. This tax rate is 2.99% higher than the constant yield tax rate and will generate \$26,110,827 in additional property tax revenues.

A public hearing on the proposed real property tax rate increase will be held on Wednesday, May 27, 2020 at 5:00 P.M. The hearing will be held remotely via video and audio teleconference. For information on how to view the video conference or listen via audio, or to provide testimony into the conference, please visit the City Council's web page at www.baltimorecitycouncil.com or use the following link: <https://bit.ly/baltimorecouncil>. This page also contains information on registering for public comment.

Participants who join the video conference will be enabled to speak. Speakers will be allowed to address the Council for two (2) minutes. Public comment may also be made by emailing comments@baltimorecity.gov. All electronic comments must be submitted by 1:00 P.M. on Wednesday, May 27, 2020. Comments received will be read by Baltimore City Council staff during the public comment portion of the meeting.

The hearing is open to the public, and public testimony is encouraged.

For more information regarding this hearing, please call the Office of Council Services at 443-084-3485 or visit the Council's web page at www.baltimorecitycouncil.com for further information.

On Fri, May 22, 2020 at 7:21 AM Currin, Marguerite (City Council) <Marguerite.Currin@baltimorecity.gov> wrote:

Dear Sir/Madam:

Please note that the Property Tax Rate for Baltimore City is the same as last year. There is no increase. Please feel free to call me if needed.

From: info <info@blackrabbitllc.com>

Sent: Thursday, May 21, 2020 5:11 PM

To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council) <Marguerite.Currin@baltimorecity.gov>

Subject: Re: Baltimore City Notice of Proposed Real Property Tax Increase

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Re: Baltimore City Notice of Proposed Real Property Tax increase

Dear Esteemed Members of the Baltimore City Council,

c/o Marguerite.currin@baltimorecity.gov

Thank you for granting time to these notes prepared on the proposed Real Property tax increase. As a long-time Baltimore resident and believer in this city, it is my firm understanding that decisions like this are short-sighted and run people out of Baltimore. I can't even begin to count how many people I know, full taxpayers and wage earners, who have left Baltimore city to live across the county line to avoid high taxes and high water bills. There are other ways to collect necessary revenue that does not penalize Baltimore City residents as this does. For example, Baltimore City residents are being charged for the "amenity" of "county water" even though we process it for both city and county residents. Why is there not a small, (35 cents, full speed EZ Pass, nobody would have to stop or slow – Chicago is a great example of this) toll for county residents when they take any of the main arteries into the city, from the county, to access city amenities like the stadiums, restaurants, waterfront, science center, National Aquarium, and jobs that are city-located? Why is there only a one-way amenities surcharge flowing into the county leaving a discrepancy that the city aims to fix by increasing city real estate taxes? We have people coming into Baltimore every day for jobs, adding wear and tear to the infrastructure that is being repaired by the funding provided by Baltimore City residents, not the county residents who commute on them. County residents then turn around at the end of every working day, taking their real estate tax payments with them to another jurisdiction. How is this fair? How is this something that falls on our shoulders every year? Furthermore, we are in the middle of a pandemic and financial crisis. Over 25% of America's workforce is unemployed. This is a ridiculous time to be raising taxes.

On behalf of my friends, family, colleagues, and neighbors,

Thank you for taking the time to consider this seriously.

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Nora Grider <nora.grider@gmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, June 9, 2020 9:57 AM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council); Bernard C Jack Young; Clarke, MaryPat (City Council); Reisinger, Edward (City Council); Stokes, Robert (City Council); Burnett, Kristerfer (City Council); Middleton, Sharon (City Council); Henry, Bill (email); McCray, Danielle (City Council); City Council President; Cohen, Zeke (City Council); Dorsey, Ryan (City Council); Schleifer, Isaac (City Council); Pinkett, Leon2 (City Council); Bullock, John (City Council); Costello, Eric (City Council); Sneed, Shannon (City Council)
Subject: Baltimore City Police Department Budget

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Dear Mayor Young and Members of the City Council,

My name is Nora Bohrer and I am a Baltimore City resident. In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. The vast disparity between police funding and all other programs is a gross misuse of public funds. BPD has regularly proven that the tactic of more money and more police activities do not equal a more just and safer city. I urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021.

Investment in programs such as the Affordable Housing Trust Fund, Baltimore Children and Youth Fund, Safe Streets Baltimore, the Office of Employment and Development, or the Department of Health will have a measurable and lasting impact on public health and safety. This is a small list of places to start. There is so much research available to show that increasing funding of community investment and decreasing policing will improve the lives of all in the city, but especially those in our black and brown communities who are experiencing the most oppression.

You have a responsibility to the lives of hundreds of thousands of people to defund police budgets in favor of research based community improvements.

Thank you,
Nora



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Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Jessica Caylor <jncaylor@gmail.com>
Sent: Saturday, June 6, 2020 9:41 AM
To: City Council President; Cohen, Zeke (City Council); McCray, Danielle (City Council); Dorsey, Ryan (City Council); Henry, Bill (email); Schleifer, Isaac (City Council); Middleton, Sharon (City Council); Pinkett, Leon2 (City Council); Burnett, Kristerfer (City Council); Bullock, John (City Council); Reisinger, Edward (City Council); Costello, Eric (City Council); Stokes, Robert (City Council); Sneed, Shannon (City Council); Clarke, MaryPat (City Council); Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
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Sincerely,
Jessica Caylor
Baltimore City resident

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Charlene Rock <hisgirl24good@yahoo.com>
Sent: Tuesday, June 9, 2020 11:50 AM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Cc: McCray, Danielle (City Council)
Subject: Baltimore City Police Department Defunding measure

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Greetings:

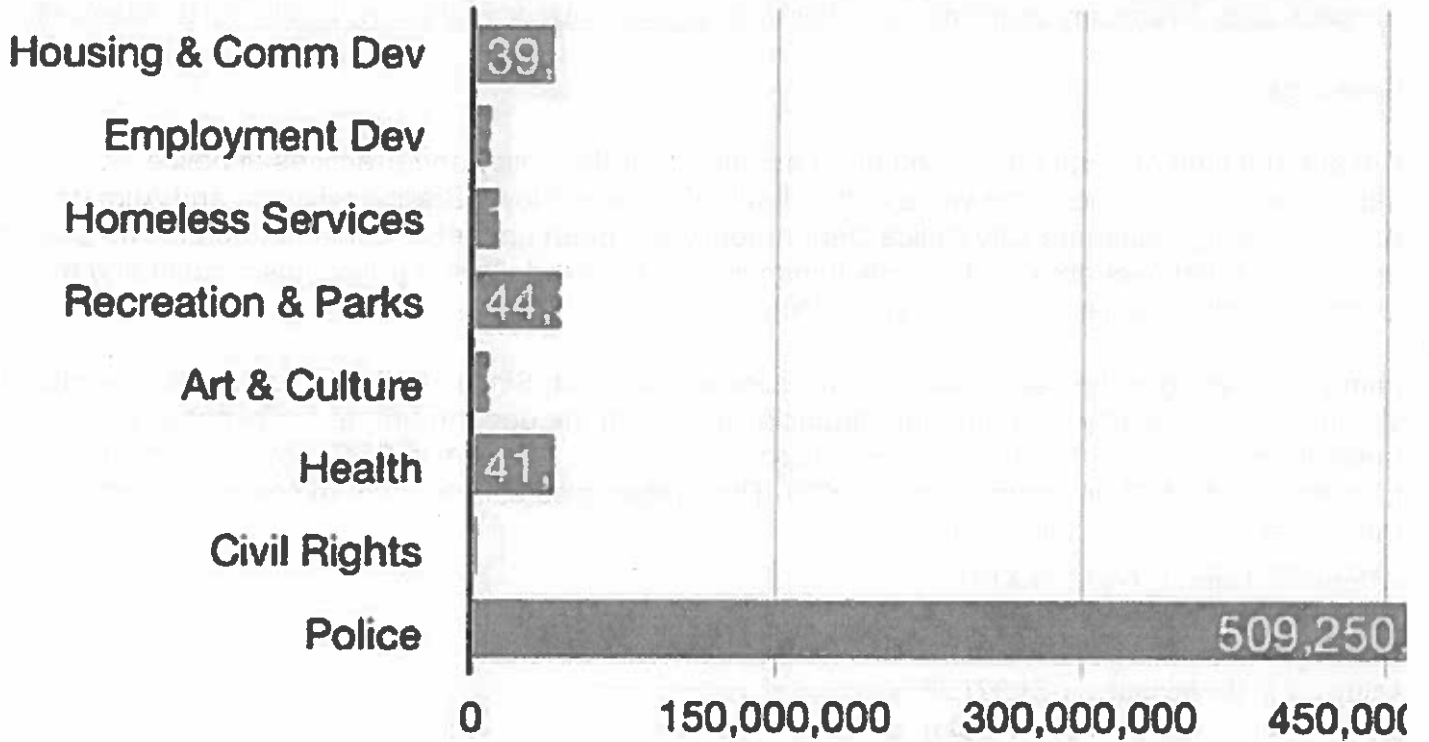
We are at a time of great unrest and more scrutiny over the policy and practices of police departments across the in the wake of the death of George Floyd, Breonna Taylor, and Ahmaud Arbery. Locally, Baltimore City Police Department have been under the consent decree over practices and policies that over time cost the city minimum \$24 million dollars in police misconduct and murder to include both Freddie Gray and Tyrone West.

I am participating in the call to defund our police department. Since 2015, I've noticed the reaction to violent crime in the city is to put more financial support in the department, at the expense of diverting funds from public health initiatives. The proposed BPD FY21 Budget is \$549,959,519. This is an increase of \$13,583,042 compared to FY20. The Budget also calls for cuts to several departments that better serve the public, including:

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Some concerned residents got together and produce a graph of some of the spending and aligned it with the spending of police services. The below is how it is appearing:

Baltimore City General Funds by Agency



As a taxpayer and a longtime resident, this model of spending has not best served the city, even with a consent decree in place and a private donor-funded spy plane. This city this year is on track to see another 300 plus homicide, apparent by the tracking reports to include this page: [2020 Baltimore City Homicides - List](#)

2020 Baltimore City Homicides - List

Reading Homework : " Dysfunction in Baltimore police homicide unit went unaddressed as killings hit historic lev...

I am urging the council to divest from the police budget and re-examine distribution of funding elsewhere. This can include but not limited to the below:

- Boost the budget for the Baltimore City Health Department to remediate/abate lead poisoning by \$30 million
- Start a guaranteed income program for households in extreme poverty (those earning less than \$20,000 a year) with \$30 million
- Fund mental health counselors in public schools and recreation centers in the Black Butterfly, especially in the most redlined and environmentally oppressed neighborhoods \$5 million
- Fund a gun buyback effort \$2 million

I thank you in advance for reading and responding to the concerns and request I have in reviewing and making changes to the budget to move towards a budget that invests more in public health and economical development and less on policing.

Charlene Rock-Foster
Resident, Second Council District
4417 Marx Avenue
Baltimore, MD 21206

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Kelsey Thom <kelseyannethom@gmail.com>
Sent: Friday, June 5, 2020 7:00 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Subject: Baltimore City Proposal to Increase Police Funding

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Hello,

My name is Kelsey Baird. I am a Speech Pathologist working with Elementary students, currently in Baltimore County. I seek to live in and serve the children and families of Baltimore City in the upcoming school year.

It's been brought to my attention that Baltimore City is planning on increasing police funding, and slashing social programming such as Homeless Outreach.

Please, please consider (especially in the wake of increased awareness of police brutality) decreasing funds used on Baltimore City Police Force and redirecting those funds into programs and policies that would reduce the need for police force intervention. The ACLU states that 50% of police caused deaths were to individuals with disabilities. 50%. Our homeless population struggles with mental health and addiction. How is slashing the budget for homeless outreach efforts going to reduce the risk of these individuals to dying by police brutality?

We need first responders trained in mental health, homeless outreach and support...programs to support our youth so they know the other options available to them instead of turning to gangs for family.

I sincerely want to be a part of the City community, but cannot and will not move to an area that does not consider the safety and well being of its constituents. At this time, many do not see our Police force as a group set to protect and serve their members. The suggested increase should go to community programs that help decrease the need for police presence.

Sincerely,
Kelsey Baird

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Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Max Tucker <maxtucker119@gmail.com>
Sent: Friday, June 5, 2020 8:12 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Subject: Baltimore City's FY21 Budget

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I strongly disapprove of the increase in the BPD at the expense of various far more essential city resources. The increase in the police budget would be better spent on an inordinate number of things, including:

- Events Art Culture and Films
- Youth and Trauma Services
- Housing and Community Development
- Affordable Housing
- Outreach to the Homeless

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: allierosenblatt . <allierosenblatt@gmail.com>
Sent: Saturday, June 6, 2020 8:55 AM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Subject: Baltimore Police Budget

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Sincerely,

Alexandra Rosenblatt, Baltimore City Resident.

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Aminah Shourbaji <ashourbaji@gmail.com>
Sent: Saturday, June 6, 2020 9:36 AM
Subject: Baltimore Police Department Budget

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Sincerely,

Aminah Shourbaji

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Alison Moss <ssonmoss@gmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, June 9, 2020 9:30 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Subject: Baltimore Police Department Funding in FY21 Budget

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To Whom it May Concern:

Hello, my name is Alison Moss. I am a Baltimore City resident and would like to protest the overinvestment of city funds to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I am writing to demand that 50% of BPD's 2020 operating budget be invested in Baltimore's Black communities. For too long, racist policing by BPD has left the city dangerous to Black residents, those with mental health issues, and other vulnerated groups. BPD, with its long and public history of gross misconduct, should not be rewarded through increased funding. Our tax dollars must be spent on education, and programs such as Safe Streets Baltimore and the Affordable Housing Trust Fund.

We need to build a strong social safety net which can support all residents. This cannot be done by continuing to destroy communities through aggressive, militarized policing. To that end, we must abolish the Law Enforcement Officers' Bill of Rights to ensure that police officers are held accountable for their actions. We already have a Bill of Rights for citizens in this country. It is not necessary to have a second one which allows members of a certain profession to commit crimes with impunity.

I am certain I am one of thousands of Baltimore residents writing to demand disinvestment in BPD. When making your decision about funding for BPD in the FY21 budget, please consider these widespread, impassioned calls for equity and racial justice in our city. This is an unprecedented opportunity to make real, historic change and build a better future for Baltimore.

Sincerely,

Alison Moss

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Charlotte Wood <cgwood98@gmail.com>
Sent: Saturday, June 6, 2020 9:21 PM
To: cgwood98@gmail.com
Subject: Baltimore Police Funding

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Hello,

My name is Charlotte Wood. I'm a resident of Baltimore, and I call on the Baltimore City Council to vote against the proposed FY 2020-21 Baltimore Police Department budget and instead work to implement significant and permanent reductions to this department. These funds should be routed toward the development of harm reduction systems that do not terrorize our neighbors and communities.

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Sincerely,
Charlotte Wood

Sent from my iPhone

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Martine Richards <martine.richards@gmail.com>
Sent: Saturday, June 6, 2020 8:40 AM
To: Bernard C Jack Young
Subject: Baltimore Police FY21 Budget

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Sincerely,
Martine Richards
2635 Hampden Ave
12th District Voter

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Julie Raphael <juliebraphel@gmail.com>
Sent: Friday, June 5, 2020 10:38 PM
To: Bernard C Jack Young; Pratt, Joan (Comptroller); Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Cc: City Council President; Cohen, Zeke (City Council); McCray, Danielle (City Council); Middleton, Sharon (City Council); Pinkett, Leon2 (City Council); Clarke, MaryPat (City Council); ooRyan.Dorsey@baltimorecity.gov
Subject: Baltimore, MD City FY21 Budget

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Dear Baltimore City Leadership,

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Sincerely,

Julie Raphael
Resident
Baltimore City 21211

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: khbaluch@bcps.k12.md.us
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 3:22 PM
To: antonio.hayes@senate.state.md.us; jill.carter@senate.state.md.us; mary.washington@senate.state.md.us; cory.mccray@senate.state.md.us; bill.ferguson@senate.state.md.us; charles.sydnor@senate.state.md.us; frank.conaway@house.state.md.us; nick.mosby@house.state.md.us; melissa.wells@house.state.md.us; dalya.attar@house.state.md.us; tony.bridges@house.state.md.us; samuel.rosenberg@house.state.md.us; curt.anderson@house.state.md.us; regina.boyce@house.state.md.us; maggie.mcintosh@house.state.md.us; keith.haynes@house.state.md.us; chanel.branch@house.state.md.us; talmadge.branch@house.state.md.us; stephanie.smith@house.state.md.us; luke.clippinger@house.state.md.us; robbyn.lewis@house.state.md.us; brooke.lierman@house.state.md.us; Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Subject: BCPS teacher calls to defund the police

To whom it may concern,

My name is Khadim Baluch and I am a Baltimore resident. I am one of many Baltimore City residents urging our City Council members and Mayor Jack Young to ethically reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget. We are asking our elected officials to divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective at the beginning of FY 2021. We have seen clearly from experience, and from all current research, that armed police do not reduce crime and poverty, and in many instances increase crime and violence by perpetuating cycles and perpetrating violence themselves. Several City Council members have already made it clear that they stand with the residents of Baltimore City on this and plan to vote in favor of these types of changes in next week's budget hearings. They have also made us aware of the fact that the Baltimore Police Department is not locally controlled by the City Council as it is a State Agency. Because of this, Baltimore City Government only has so much ability to implement change.

So I am reaching out to you today to urge you to support the residents of Baltimore City in our efforts. We have had enough of the violent approach to "controlling" poverty and crime and are ready to completely re-imagine what community safety looks like. Investment in programs such as the Affordable Housing Trust Fund, Baltimore Children and Youth Fund, Safe Streets Baltimore, the Office of Employment and Development, or the Department of Health, shows our commitment to communities and the vision that all Baltimore residents deserve to thrive. It's time to defund the BPD's harmful expansion into homeless services, schools, youth services, mental health, and other social services where police don't belong. It's time to increase investments in human services, the social safety net, and racial and economic justice.

We ask that you support us in our effort towards finding sustainable, long term change by giving control of BPD to Baltimore's local government and in any other ways you can. It is time for change and we know we can build a better future based on restorative justice and healing.

Thank you,

Khadim Baluch
2808 Guilford Ave
908-930-8581
6/8/2020

Khadim Baluch
English Teacher
Digital Harbor High School
Baltimore City Public Schools

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Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: khbaluch@bcps.k12.md.us
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 3:26 PM
To: Bernard C Jack Young; City Council President; Cohen, Zeke (City Council); McCray, Danielle (City Council); Dorsey, Ryan (City Council); Henry, Bill (email); Schleifer, Isaac (City Council); Middleton, Sharon (City Council); Pinkett, Leon2 (City Council); Burnett, Kristerfer (City Council); Bullock, John (City Council); Reisinger, Edward (City Council); Costello, Eric (City Council); Stokes, Robert (City Council); Sneed, Shannon (City Council); Clarke, MaryPat (City Council); Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Subject: BCPS teachers call to defund the police

To whom it may concern,

My name is Khadim Baluch, and I am a Baltimore resident and teacher at Digital Harbor High School. In the midst of this pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it feels especially inappropriate to propose an increase to the BPD budget to \$545 million. I urge you to ethically reallocate this increase, as well as a meaningful portion of the remaining BPD budget, towards social services and education. Investment in programs such as the Affordable Housing Trust Fund, Baltimore Children and Youth Fund, Safe Streets Baltimore, the Office of Employment and Development, or the Department of Health, shows our commitment to communities and the vision that all Baltimore residents deserve to thrive. Historically, the city government has spent far more on police than on public health, homeless services, youth services, and other vital agencies. This while the Baltimore Police Department disproportionately targets nonwhite residents—from traffic stops to the use of lethal force.

It's time to staunch the expansion of the BPD's mandate into homeless services, schools, youth services, mental health, and other social services where an armed police force simply doesn't belong. It's time to protect investments in human services, the social safety net, and racial and economic justice. I am writing to insist that the upcoming BBMR budget hearings for FY 2021 reflect the voices and needs of Baltimore's citizens. I am asking that city officials give intense care, attention and effort towards sustainable, long-term change.

Thank you,

Khadim Baluch
2808 Guilford Ave
khbaluch@bcps.k12.md.us
908-930-8581

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Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Clementine Smith <clementine.smith624@gmail.com>
Sent: Saturday, June 6, 2020 10:45 AM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Cc: City Council President; Bernard C Jack Young; Bernard C Jack Young; Pratt, Joan (Comptroller)
Subject: B-More City Budget!!!

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Dear Baltimore City Leadership,

I call on you and the Baltimore City Council to vote against the proposed FY 2020-21 Baltimore Police Department budget and instead work to implement significant and permanent reductions to this department. These funds should be routed toward the development of harm reduction systems that do not terrorize our neighbors and communities.

The proposed BPD FY21 Budget is \$549,959,519. This is an increase of \$13,583,042 compared to FY20. The Budget also calls for cuts to several departments that better serve the public, including:

- Affordable Housing (-\$3,535,819)
- Housing and Community Development (-\$227,023)
- Homeless Prevention and Support Services for the Homeless (-\$641,270)
- Outreach to the homeless (-\$1,971,541)
- Enoch Pratt Free Library (-\$350,000)
- Youth and Trauma Services (-\$10,749)
- Board of Elections (-\$190,470)
- Environmental Inspection Services (-\$50,243)
- Chronic Disease Prevention (-\$252,906)
- Park programs and events (-\$122,912)
- Public right of way cleaning (-\$686,806)
- Events Art Culture and Films (-\$442,488)

I call on the City Council to cancel the BPD budget increase of \$13.5 million and allocate it to the above departments.

Sincerely,
Clementine Smith

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: mfbarry@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Meg Barry
<mfbarry@everyactioncustom.com>
Sent: Thursday, June 11, 2020 6:35 AM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Subject: Cut BPD Funding - Public Comment

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Dear Marguerite Currin,

Please see the message below and ensure that it is entered into the public record.

I am writing to ask that you vote NO on the proposal to increase the Baltimore Police Department's budget. While I understand that City Council does not have the authority to re-allocate costs, it is fully within your power to cut funding, and I hope you will push for a significant reduction in the police budget.

The BPD should not receive more funding, especially at a time when it is clear that they do not protect Baltimore residents equally and it has been proposed that other critical services have their budgets cut.

Sincerely,
Meg Barry
1117 William St Baltimore, MD 21230-4109 mfbarry@gmail.com

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Jon.Smeton@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Jon Smeton
<Jon.Smeton@everyactioncustom.com>
Sent: Thursday, June 11, 2020 12:13 AM
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Sincerely,
Jon Smeton
3112 Abell Ave Baltimore, MD 21218-3411 Jon.Smeton@gmail.com

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: zafarshah@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Zafar Shah
<zafarshah@everyactioncustom.com>
Sent: Wednesday, June 10, 2020 9:38 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
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Sincerely,
Zafar Shah
5804 Stuart Ave Baltimore, MD 21215-4142 zafarshah@gmail.com

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: emilyblank@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Emily Blank
<emilyblank@everyactioncustom.com>
Sent: Wednesday, June 10, 2020 5:06 PM
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Sincerely,
Emily Blank
3718 Shepherd St Brentwood, MD 20722-1444 emilyblank@gmail.com

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: joemagar@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Joe Magar
<joemagar@everyactioncustom.com>
Sent: Wednesday, June 10, 2020 5:03 PM
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Sincerely,

Joe Magar

3933 Keswick Rd Baltimore, MD 21211-2227 joemagar@gmail.com

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: rja.lloyd@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Rianna Lloyd
<rja.lloyd@everyactioncustom.com>
Sent: Wednesday, June 10, 2020 3:57 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
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Sincerely,

Ms. Rianna Lloyd

1214 Eutaw Pl # 104 Baltimore, MD 21217-3605 rja.lloyd@gmail.com

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Tereza Dvorak <tereza.l.dvorak@gmail.com>
Sent: Saturday, June 6, 2020 11:49 AM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Subject: Cut budgeted General Funds to BPD

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Dear Ms. Currin ,

My name is Tereza Dvorak. I am a resident of 13th District in Baltimore City. I am emailing today to demand a cut of budgeted General Funds to the Baltimore City Police Department (BPD) for the Fiscal Year ending June 30, 2021.

The recent murders of George Floyd and Breonna Taylor are only the televised instances of police brutality and gross abuse of power against the Black community. These tragic events come 5 years after the murder of Freddie Gray at the hands of the BPD. As a result, I think it is clear that bloated police funding is a crux for discrimination at the hands of those who claim to protect and serve.

Living in a city where the majority (62.8% to be exact) of residents are Black, I do not support a Baltimore where revenue from residents' property and income taxes are funneled disproportionately to the BPD. Furthermore, I do not support a Baltimore where the BPD is allocated 182x the funding of our Civil Rights initiatives. On what would be the 27th birthday of Breonna Taylor, I am emailing to demand a cut of funding to the BPD.

I demand a cut of this short-sighted allocation of funds to the BPD for the fiscal year ending in June 2021. In addition, I demand that the 6/12 hearing on BPD budget be extended so more Baltimore City residents can weigh in on this crucial decision.

Thank you,
Tereza Dvorak

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Aryah Fradkin <aryah99@gmail.com>
Sent: Friday, June 5, 2020 9:55 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Subject: Cut Police Funding

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As the owner of two properties in Baltimore city, I find it appalling that we are increasing police budgets and slashing funding for youth programs and rehabilitation.

Are we ever going to get to the root of the problem and help our young people be better citizens? The time is now.

Respectfully,

Aryah Fradkin
5021 Roland
3018 Barclay

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Samantha Van Sant <sevansant@gmail.com>
Sent: Friday, June 5, 2020 7:07 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Subject: Cut Police Funding

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To Whom It May Concern:

Please take my email into consideration.

I do not want police funding increased. I want it to decrease. I want better social services, infrastructure, healthcare and education programs.

The police have violently attacked me, my friends, and loved ones. Baltimore Policing needs reform. That reform begins with re-allocation of funds.

Sincerely,
Samantha

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Maeve McGillicuddy <mvmcgillicuddy@gmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, June 9, 2020 4:20 PM
To: contact@maryland.gov; Currin, Marguerite (City Council); Costello, Eric (City Council); Pinkett, Leon2 (City Council); Middleton, Sharon (City Council); McCray, Danielle (City Council); Henry, Bill (email); Schleifer, Isaac (City Council); Sneed, Shannon (City Council); Bernard C Jack Young; City Council President; Cohen, Zeke (City Council); Dorsey, Ryan (City Council); Burnett, Kristerfer (City Council); Bullock, John (City Council); Reisinger, Edward (City Council); Stokes, Robert (City Council); Clarke, MaryPat (City Council)
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Dear Governor Hogan, Mayor Young, and City Officials,

My name is Maeve McGillicuddy and I am writing from zip code 21230 (District 10) demanding that the proposed Baltimore Police Department budget increase be rejected unanimously. It would be completely misguided, reckless, and reprehensible to see one more dime go into BPD's budget. However, it is not nearly enough for the budget increase to be denied. The Baltimore Police Department should see money leave their budget immediately.

I moved to the city ten years ago from Anne Arundel County, I have been a Maryland resident all my life. While my first experience living in Baltimore was Mount Vernon, I have resided in Pigtown/Washington Village for the last several years.

My first experience with BPD was several years ago in 21230 when I was in my early twenties. I had taken a taxi from uptown back to my home in the early hours of the morning (the sky was still dark). Upon arrival at my destination, the taxi driver demanded I hand him my credit card for payment. I had booked this taxi through an app (Taxi Magic) and had paid him through the app, I even added on a couple dollars as a tip. He was not trying to hear this and kept demanding my credit card. I was polite and showed the driver his own fare screen showed proof of payment and I had an email with the receipt. After this went on for a few minutes I informed the driver I would be leaving the car. He told me "no you're not) and started driving his taxi away from my home with me in the backseat. I was immediately terrified, checked that my door was unlocked, and opened it getting out as the car slowed down. I went into my house as fast as I could where not too long after a police officer called me informing me the driver was saying I left and refused to sign a receipt. Through tears I told the officer what happened and that at no point was signing a receipt brought up. I will never forget what the officer replied, "Can you just come out here and do this so I can go do more important things". I told the officer I was frightened as the driver had attempted to drive away from my destination with me in the car. I told him I did not want the driver to know my address, but I agreed to come sign a receipt if the officer did not leave until I was in my front door again.

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You do not need me to tell you about the rampant racism, violence, & corruption in our city- the U.S. Department of Justice Civil Rights Division has an entire report on it.

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Neither the state nor the city has done enough since the death of Freddie Gray in police custody.

I am demanding the city/state:

-No longer allow the state to control BPD

- Pass a new budget cutting at least \$250 million from the current BPD budget or whatever the highest budget cut per year you are allowed by law to pass

- Demilitarize the BPD in their training, weaponry, & protocols

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I demand that you hold them accountable.

I know that cuts made from the police budget cannot be moved directly to other services & it will instead be put into the city's general fund. I believe this is a flaw in our system and that my representatives need to **VOTE YES on CB19-0379!**

I demand that any money cut from BPD's funds be redistributed to our education system, affordable housing, protecting residents from displacement of neighborhoods as a result of gentrification, youth and trauma services, environmental inspection services, chronic disease prevention, housing and community development administration, homeless prevention and support services for the homeless, outreach to the homeless, city infrastructure, employment opportunities, healthcare, arts, and parks & recreation services.

These are the same services shown to decrease crime rates across cities. These same services we as a city have watched be defunded and privatized, while the budget to the police department inflates!

We cannot police people out of poverty!

Please know this is a historic moment and your people, your constituents, need you.

We are watching.

Your constituent,

Maeva McGillicuddy

443.995.2379

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Sent: Tuesday, June 9, 2020 11:25 AM
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I demand that any money cut from BPD's funds be redistributed to our education system, affordable housing, youth and trauma services, environmental inspection services, chronic disease prevention, housing and community development administration, homeless prevention and support services for the homeless, outreach to the homeless, city infrastructure employment opportunities, healthcare, arts, and parks & recreation services.

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We cannot police people out of poverty!

Please know this is a historic moment and your people, your constituents, need you.

We are watching.

Your constituent,

Maeva McGillicuddy

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Maeve McGillicuddy <mvmcgillicuddy@gmail.com>
Sent: Saturday, June 6, 2020 1:43 AM
To: Bernard C Jack Young; Currin, Marguerite (City Council); Clarke, MaryPat (City Council); Reisinger, Edward (City Council); Stokes, Robert (City Council); Burnett, Kristerfer (City Council); Middleton, Sharon (City Council); Henry, Bill (email); McCray, Danielle (City Council); City Council President; Cohen, Zeke (City Council); Dorsey, Ryan (City Council); Schleifer, Isaac (City Council); Pinkett, Leon2 (City Council); JohnBullock@baltimorecity.gov; Costello, Eric (City Council); Sneed, Shannon (City Council)
Subject: Cut the BPD budget! Baltimore City Council Agency Budget Hearings

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Dear Mayor Young & City Officials,

My name is Maeve McGillicuddy and I am writing from zip code 21230 demanding that the proposed Baltimore Police Department \$13 million dollar increase be rejected unanimously. It would be completely misguided, reckless, and reprehensible to see one more dime go into BPD's budget. The Baltimore Police Department should see money leave their budget immediately.

I am demanding our City:

Propose a new BPD budget cutting at least \$250 million . The Police need to be demilitarized in their training, weaponry, & protocols. We demand that both internal & external complaints on file against officers be made public record, that new judgments awarded through lawsuits against the department come from guilty parties' pensions and the BPD budget. I demand officers found to be performing unlawfully be fired with no severance pay and be arrested and charged with their crimes. I also demand that BPD hiring & salaries be frozen now!

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Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Ahmad, Azzam (DPW)
Sent: Tuesday, June 9, 2020 11:59 AM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Subject: Declined: BUDGET HEARINGS - DAY TWO (2)

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Alexis Dixon <adixon01@mica.edu>
Sent: Tuesday, June 9, 2020 9:25 AM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Cc: Bernard C Jack Young; Clarke, MaryPat (City Council); Reisinger, Edward (City Council); Stokes, Robert (City Council); Burnett, Kristerfer (City Council); Middleton, Sharon (City Council); Henry, Bill (email); McCray, Danielle (City Council); City Council President; Cohen, Zeke (City Council); Dorsey, Ryan (City Council); Schleifer, Isaac (City Council); Pinkett, Leon2 (City Council); Bullock, John (City Council); Costello, Eric (City Council); Sneed, Shannon (City Council)
Subject: Defund Baltimore City Police! Expense Budget Reform

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Dear Mayor Young,

My name is Alexis Dixon. In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021.

We need deep change and committed reform that bolsters our community and invests in its amazing citizens!

Investment in programs such as the Affordable Housing Trust Fund, Baltimore Children and Youth Fund, Safe Streets Baltimore, the Office of Employment and Development, or the Department of Health will have a measurable and lasting impact on public health and safety.

Best,

Alexis

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Tanzeem Naqvi <tnaqvi1@umbc.edu>
Sent: Saturday, June 6, 2020 2:44 PM
To: City Council President; Cohen, Zeke (City Council); McCray, Danielle (City Council); Dorsey, Ryan (City Council); Henry, Bill (email); Schleifer, Isaac (City Council); Middleton, Sharon (City Council); Pinkett, Leon2 (City Council); Burnett, Kristerfer (City Council); Bullock, John (City Council); Reisinger, Edward (City Council); Costello, Eric (City Council); Stokes, Robert (City Council); Sneed, Shannon (City Council); Clarke, MaryPat (City Council); Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Subject: Defund Baltimore Police Department NOW

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I call on the City Council to cancel the BPD budget increase of \$13.5 million and allocate it to the above departments. Show us that you actually care about the people you're serving.

Sincerely,
Tanzeem

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Maia Reeb <maia.reeb9@gmail.com>
Sent: Wednesday, June 10, 2020 11:07 AM
To: Bernard C Jack Young; City Council President; Cohen, Zeke (City Council); Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Subject: Defund BPD

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Thank you,

Maia Reeb

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Laura Flamm <laurajflamm@gmail.com>
Sent: Wednesday, June 10, 2020 10:41 AM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Cc: Stokes, Robert (City Council); City Council President
Subject: Defund BPD

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Good morning,

I stand in solidarity with my black neighbors in calling for Baltimore City to defund BPD. Clearly spending more on police is not leading to a reduction in crime. And each encounter with the police department puts black and brown people at increased risk for civil rights violations or even death.

I'm joining the call to have 50% of BPD's budget re-allocated to services in Baltimore's predominately black neighborhoods.

Best,
Laura Flamm
2615 Guilford Ave

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: John McNerney <johnrmcnerney@gmail.com>
Sent: Wednesday, June 10, 2020 9:27 AM
To: Costello, Eric (City Council); Bernard C Jack Young; Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Subject: Defund BPD

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Thank you,

John McNerney

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Katerina Minadakis <kminadakis@gmail.com>
Sent: Wednesday, June 10, 2020 8:37 AM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Subject: Defund BPD

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Dear Ms. Currin,

As the budget hearings begin I urge you to take the necessary steps to overhaul and reduce the Baltimore City Police Department budget. Over time, we can and will replace the police completely with a community of healing. With well trained first responders that are skilled in de-escalation, harm reduction, mediation, and more.

The first step needs to happen right now! We can not wait a single second longer to begin this process. Defunding the police is a process we as a city must commit to immediately.

To begin, the police do not need any more tactical military gear, this needs to be removed from the budget. Just the gas for the helicopters that fly around almost continuously costs thousands per helicopter per day. They do not make communities safer. Police overtime is frequently abused- we've seen the reports about certain officers averaging 80 hours a week, making more money than the Mayor and top paid city officials. Keep reforming and reducing wasteful overtime. I'm sure there are other decreases in the budget that are quite feasible and reasonable.

Signed,
Katerina Minadakis
3641 Chestnut Ave
Baltimore, MD 21211
443-600-2316

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Jessica Meyer <onejkm@gmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, June 9, 2020 12:32 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Cc: City Council President; Pinkett, Leon2 (City Council); Bernard C Jack Young; Costello, Eric (City Council); Schleifer, Isaac (City Council); Sneed, Shannon (City Council); Henry, Bill (email); Middleton, Sharon (City Council)
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Dear Ms. Currin,

I would like to share this public written testimony for the BPD budget hearing.

Dear City Council Budget and Appropriations Committee ,

I'm writing to express my support for Council President Scott's call to create a task force and reprioritize spending in Baltimore City. In a letter to Mayor Young, he wrote "Baltimore must re-allocate its budget away from the current dependence on the police department, We must diversify our investments into agencies that focus on proactively developing our young people and communities." I agree with this statement. I expect the passed budget to be an equitable spending plan that focuses on the needs of communities and neighborhoods and one that ends dependence on the police department. Money needs to be invested in Baltimore's Black communities. Infrastructure, healthcare, education, housing and other social services need to be prioritized in the FY2021 budget.

Kind regards,

Jessica Meyer

2007 Clipper Park Rd

#418

Baltimore, MD 21211

443-831-4784

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Annie Mesaros <mesarosa@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 3:21 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Cc: City Council President; Bernard C Jack Young; Bernard C Jack Young; Pratt, Joan (Comptroller)
Subject: Defund BPD

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Dear Baltimore City Leadership,

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Sincerely,
Annie Mesaros

Baltimore City Resident, Greenmount West neighborhood

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Annie Mesaros, MDiv
Theologian, Facilitator, and Spiritual Guide
anniemesaros.com

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Megan Fortman <fortmanmegan@gmail.com>
Sent: Saturday, June 6, 2020 2:18 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Subject: Defund BPD

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Dear Ms. Currin ,

My name is Megan Fortman. I am a resident of District 11, and I am emailing today to demand a cut of budgeted General Funds to the Baltimore City Police Department (BPD) for the Fiscal Year ending June 30, 2021.

The recent murders of George Floyd and Breonna Taylor are only the televised instances of police brutality and gross abuse of power against the Black community. These tragic events come 5 years after the murder of Freddie Gray at the hands of the BPD. As a result, I think it is clear that bloated police funding is a crux for discrimination at the hands of those who claim to protect and serve. Living in a city where the majority (62.8% to be exact) of residents are Black, I do not support a Baltimore where revenue from residents' property and income taxes are funneled disproportionately to the BPD. Furthermore, I do not support a Baltimore where the BPD is allocated 182x the funding of our Civil Rights initiatives. On what would be the 27th birthday of Breonna Taylor, I am emailing to demand a cut of funding to the BPD.

I demand a cut of this short-sighted allocation of funds to the BPD for the fiscal year ending in June 2021. In addition, I demand that the 6/12 hearing on BPD budget be extended so more Baltimore City residents can weigh in on this crucial decision.

Thank you,
Megan Fortman

Sent from my iPhone

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Ametisse Gover-Chamlou <ametissegc@gmail.com>
Sent: Friday, June 5, 2020 8:37 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council); Bernard C Jack Young
Subject: DEFUND BPD

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Good evening,

My name is Ametisse Gover-Chamlou and I am a resident of Baltimore City. I am absolutely opposed to the FY21 budget that increases BPD funding to over half a billion dollars. This budget increase is abhorrent and an act of violence against Black communities in Baltimore City. I absolutely demand a new plan that DEFUNDS the BPD and INSTEAD funds any of the following services (whose funding you have cut): youth and trauma services, environmental protection services, chronic disease prevention, housing and community development administration, homelessness prevention and support for the homeless, parks events arts culture and films.

Regards,

Ametisse Gover-Chamlou

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Ametisse Gover-Chamlou
Graduate Student, Class of 2021
University of Maryland School of Social Work

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Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Anabel Milton <anabel.milton@gmail.com>
Sent: Friday, June 5, 2020 7:56 PM
Subject: DEFUND BPD

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Sincerely,
Anabel Milton

Sent from my iPhone

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Joseph Galarraga <jrgal@terpmail.umd.edu>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 4:20 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Subject: Defund BPD and Charter Amendment

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Hello,

My name is Joseph Galarraga, and I live in Abell in District 14. I am writing to you because now is the time to commit to defunding the BPD and investing in solutions that are equitable and provide a better future for the city of Baltimore. I urge you to not pass a Baltimore City budget that is not committed to removing funds from the police department.

Additionally, I support the following charter amendment: " Charter Amendment - Ordinance of Estimates For the purpose of authorizing the City Council to amend the Ordinance of Estimates to increase items of appropriation or add items for new purposes, subject to certain limitations; deleting the requirement that supplementary appropriations be recommended by the Board of Estimates; correcting, clarifying, and conforming related provisions; and submitting this amendment to the qualified voters of the City for adoption or rejection." I believe that my city council representative should have a say on how to fund programs in the city - not just the Mayor. This would allow for a more balanced way of budgeting that represents broader perspectives of the city.

Thank you so much for taking the time to read this correspondence. I live at 311 E. 31st St. Baltimore, MD 21218. My number is 4102926971.

Best,
Joseph Galarraga

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Ametisse Gover-Chamlou <ametissegc@gmail.com>
Sent: Friday, June 5, 2020 8:25 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Subject: Defund BPD!

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Graduate Student, Class of 2021
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Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Becky Kang <beckyk25@gmail.com>
Sent: Wednesday, June 10, 2020 9:19 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Subject: Defund the \$545 million budget for BPD

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Hello Marguerite Currin,

My name is Becky Kang. I am a resident of Hoes Height (4201 Falls Road) and am writing to you again to express my desire for the city council to cut funding for BPD in 2021.

If the budget proposal for \$549 million to the police is approved, it will be a sorely missed opportunity to invest in our city in other ways. Have you researched what Camden, NJ was able to accomplish when they defunded their police budgets and re-invested in their community? I am sure you have also seen the news of L.A. and Minneapolis' plans to cut police funding. Why can't Baltimore do the same? Baltimore has continuously cut funding for other programs year by year - can 2021 please be the year we try something new and cut funding to PD?

I am an Asian-American and I am filled with sadness when I see fellow black and minority citizens suffering from decaying communities. I no longer want to see black young adults squeegeeing downtown - instead of asking them to fend for themselves, our city should provide stronger resources and other avenues to provide them guidance.

I am asking you to please take a stance and hope you listen to this plea. I am not asking you to stand to absolve the police. I am asking you and the rest of our leaders to take a small step in reducing the \$545 million budget to BPD.

Thank you.

Best,
Becky Kang

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: M Powel <mbrewster.powel@gmail.com>
Sent: Wednesday, June 10, 2020 9:33 AM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Subject: A plea for action

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Hello,

My name is Matthew Powel and I am a Baltimore resident.

I am one of many Baltimore City residents urging our City Council members and Mayor Jack Young to ethically reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget. We are asking our elected officials to divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective at the beginning of FY 2021.

We have seen clearly from experience, and from all current research, that armed police do not reduce crime and poverty, and in many instances increase crime and violence by perpetuating cycles and perpetrating violence themselves. Several City Council members have already made it clear that they stand with the residents of Baltimore City on this and plan to vote in favor of these types of changes in next week's budget hearings. They have also made us aware of the fact that the Baltimore Police Department is not locally controlled by the City Council as it is a State Agency. Because of this, Baltimore City Government only has so much ability to implement change. So I am reaching out to you today to urge you to support the residents of Baltimore City in our efforts.

We have had enough of the violent approach to "controlling" poverty and crime and are ready to completely re-imagine what community safety looks like. Investment in programs such as the Affordable Housing Trust Fund, Baltimore Children and Youth Fund, Safe Streets Baltimore, the Office of Employment and Development, or the Department of Health, shows our commitment to communities and the vision that all Baltimore residents deserve to thrive.

It's time to defund the BPD's harmful expansion into homeless services, schools, youth services, mental health, and other social services where police don't belong. It's time to increase investments in human services, the social safety net, and racial and economic justice. We ask that you support us in our effort towards finding sustainable, long term change by giving control of BPD to Baltimore's local government and in any other ways you can. It is time for change and we know we can build a better future based on restorative justice and healing.

Thank you,
Matthew Powel
300 E 30th St, Apt 6E
Baltimore, MD 21218

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Justin Duvall <justinduvall@gmail.com>
Sent: Saturday, June 6, 2020 11:41 AM
To: mayor@baltimorecity.gov
Subject: Allocate for ACTUAL Change PLEASE

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Sincerely,
Justin Duvall
1418 Mill Race Rd
Baltimore, MD 21211

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Lauren Malloy <laurendmalloy@gmail.com>
Sent: Friday, June 5, 2020 7:03 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Subject: Allocation of Funding Request

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To Whom It May Concern:

I do not want police funding increased. I want funding redirected to social services, infrastructure, healthcare and education programs in Baltimore City.

Baltimore policing needs reform. That reform begins with re-allocation of funds.

Sincerely,

Lauren

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Maura Csipo <mcsipo42@gmail.com>
Sent: Wednesday, June 10, 2020 11:45 AM
To: City Council President; Cohen, Zeke (City Council); McCray, Danielle (City Council); Dorsey, Ryan (City Council); Henry, Bill (email); Schleifer, Isaac (City Council); Middleton, Sharon (City Council); Pinkett, Leon2 (City Council); Burnett, Kristerfer (City Council); Bullock, John (City Council); Reisinger, Edward (City Council); Costello, Eric (City Council); Stokes, Robert (City Council); Sneed, Shannon (City Council); Clarke, MaryPat (City Council); Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Subject: Attention urgent budget request

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It is truly a shame we are not investing in the residents of Baltimore city.

And are rather continuing to put fear and distrust in vulnerable neighborhoods though over policing.

Commit to make a change and divest and reallocate funds Sincerely, Maura Csipo

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Emily <eieio687@gmail.com>
Sent: Saturday, June 6, 2020 7:59 AM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Subject: B P D

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Sincerely
Emily O'Connor

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Heather St. Clair <heather.l.stclair@gmail.com>
Sent: Friday, June 5, 2020 8:50 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council); Clarke, MaryPat (City Council); City Council President; Bernard C Jack Young; Bernard C Jack Young; Pratt, Joan (Comptroller)
Subject: Baltimore 2021 Budget

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Dear Leaders of Baltimore City,

I am calling on you today to re-evaluate the proposed budget for FY 2021. I appreciate the challenges of developing a budget for a city as large, and with as many needs, as Baltimore, especially in these times. However, we must reduce the budget for policing, and instead prioritize harm reduction systems that are proven to be more effective in the long term.

While I was pleased to see the inclusion of two Baltimore Community Intelligence Centers in the budget, I question how effective they can be without robust funding to the services where these high-risk individuals will be directed ("housing, drug treatment, or job training").

The police department has received an outsized portion of the city budget for years, and we must find a way for this to end. I urge you to be bold and innovative, and reallocate the \$13.5 million increase in the police budget to education, recreation and parks, homeless services, the Enoch Pratt Free Library, and the many other City services which will suffer with the proposed cuts to their programming.

Sincerely,
Heather St. Clair
606 W 38th Street, Baltimore, MD 21211

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Ian Miyamura <ip.miyamura@gmail.com>
Sent: Saturday, June 6, 2020 1:49 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Subject: Baltimore Budget

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Hello,

I would like to add my voice to the others:

I am very concerned and disappointed to see that the BPD's budget is planned to increase by ~13M while numerous other services are receiving budget cuts. It is inexcusable. Our homeless need more access to resources. We now, more than ever, need affordable housing. Our public spaces need to be maintained and kept clean. Baltimore has such potential! It is painfully obvious from the thousands of caring people who have participated in the protests that we care about this city and its people. But Baltimore will never recover if we continue with such gross resource misallocations.

Please help us with the change that we all need.

Sincerely,
Ian Miyamura

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Madeline Kline <madzmaddiek@gmail.com>
Sent: Friday, June 5, 2020 8:54 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Subject: Baltimore Budget

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Dear Ms. Currin,

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It is upsetting that Baltimore would be doubling down on failed policing strategies when its people are in such pain, but even more disturbing that no good faith efforts to engage citizen perspectives are being used.

Sincerely,

Madeline Kline

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Lanoree Blake <lanoree.blake@gmail.com>
Sent: Thursday, June 4, 2020 11:06 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Subject: Baltimore Budget

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Good evening,
I am a concerned citizen emailing you in response to the proposed Baltimore budget, specifically the proposed increase to the Baltimore Police Department.
The Baltimore Police Department is not in need of more funding, but other areas are.
For example:
Affordable Housing
Homeless Prevention and Support Services for the Homeless
Parks
Events Art Culture

I urge you to reconsider where the money is going, and why you feel the need to send it to the already fully funded police department, when so many other departments are struggling financially.

Best,
Lanoree Blake

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Ariel Hong <arielhong@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 3:03 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Cc: Bernard C Jack Young; Clarke, MaryPat (City Council); Reisinger, Edward (City Council); Stokes, Robert (City Council); Burnett, Kristerfer (City Council); Middleton, Sharon (City Council); Henry, Bill (email); McCray, Danielle (City Council); City Council President; Cohen, Zeke (City Council); Dorsey, Ryan (City Council); Schleifer, Isaac (City Council); Pinkett, Leon2 (City Council); Bullock, John (City Council); Costello, Eric (City Council); Sneed, Shannon (City Council)
Subject: Baltimore Budget Reform

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Dear Mayor Young,

My name is Ariel Hong. In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021. To be incredibly explicit, as a new constituent who recently voted this past election, I want to see appropriate measures that defund the police (similar to measures taken by the Minneapolis City Council).

Investment in programs such as the Affordable Housing Trust Fund, Baltimore Children and Youth Fund, Safe Streets Baltimore, the Office of Employment and Development, or the Department of Health will have a measurable and lasting impact on public health and safety.

Best,
Ariel Hong
3417 Brewers Green Way
Baltimore, MD 21224

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Naomi Bouchard <naomibouchard@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 2:31 PM
To: Bernard C Jack Young; Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Cc: City Council President; Cohen, Zeke (City Council); McCray, Danielle (City Council); Dorsey, Ryan (City Council); Henry, Bill (email); Schleifer, Isaac (City Council); Middleton, Sharon (City Council); Pinkett, Leon2 (City Council); Burnett, Kristerfer (City Council); Bullock, John (City Council); Reisinger, Edward (City Council); Costello, Eric (City Council); Stokes, Robert (City Council); Sneed, Shannon (City Council); Clarke, MaryPat (City Council)
Subject: Baltimore Budget Week testimony submission

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Dear Mr. Mayor,

My name is Naomi Bouchard-Gordon and I am a Baltimore resident. In the midst of this pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it feels especially inappropriate to propose an increase to the BPD budget of \$545 million. I urge you to ethically reallocate this increase, as well as a meaningful portion of the remaining BPD budget, towards social services and education. Investment in programs such as the Affordable Housing Trust Fund, Baltimore Children and Youth Fund, Safe Streets Baltimore, the Office of Employment and Development, or the Department of Health, shows our commitment to communities and the vision that all Baltimore residents deserve to thrive. Historically, the city government has spent far more on police than on public health, homeless services, youth services, and other vital agencies. This while the Baltimore Police Department disproportionately targets nonwhite residents—from traffic stops to the use of lethal force.

It's time to staunch the expansion of the BPD's mandate into homeless services, schools, youth services, mental health, and other social services where an armed police force simply doesn't belong. It's time to protect investments in human services, the social safety net, and racial and economic justice. I am writing to insist that the upcoming BBMR budget hearings for FY 2021 reflect the voices and needs of Baltimore's citizens. I am asking that city officials give intense care, attention and effort towards sustainable, long-term change.

Thank you,

Naomi Bouchard-Gordon

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Naomi Bouchard-Gordon
Pronouns: she/her/hers
W. Biddle Street
Cell: (845) 489-7275
naomibouchard@gmail.com

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Sylvan Greyson <sillydot56@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 2:17 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Subject: Re: Baltimore Budget: Defund the BPD

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To whom it may concern,

My name is Sylvan, and I am a Baltimore resident. In the midst of this pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it feels especially inappropriate to propose an increase to the BPD budget. Instead, following the lead of the Minneapolis City Council and their veto-proof decision to begin defunding and disbanding the Minneapolis Police Department, I urge you to ethically reallocate this increase, as well as a meaningful portion of the remaining BPD budget, towards social services, education, health, and transportation. Investment in programs such as Baltimore Safe Haven, Affordable Housing Trust Fund, Baltimore Children and Youth Fund, Safe Streets Baltimore, the Office of Employment and Development, or the Department of Health, shows our commitment to communities and the vision that all Baltimore residents deserve to thrive. Historically, the city government has spent far more on police than on public health, homeless services, youth services, and other vital agencies. This while the Baltimore Police Department disproportionately targets nonwhite residents--from traffic stops to the use of lethal force to sex workers on the stroll.

It is beyond time to move our collective funds away from punishment, policing, and prisons and towards supporting the crucial work that people are demanding in the realms of homeless services, schools, youth services, mental health, and other social services where an armed police force simply doesn't belong. It's time to decriminalize sex work, decriminalize non-violent crimes, remove the police force from schools, and instead protect investments in human services, the social safety net, and commit to racial and economic justice. I am writing to insist that the upcoming BBMR budget hearings for FY 2021 reflect the voices and needs of Baltimore's citizens. I am asking that city officials give intense care, attention and effort towards sustainable, long-term change.

Thank you,
Sylvan

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Anwyn Statnick <guinevere1992@gmail.com>
Sent: Saturday, June 6, 2020 10:10 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Cc: Bernard C Jack Young; Clarke, MaryPat (City Council); Reisinger, Edward (City Council); Stokes, Robert (City Council); Burnett, Kristerfer (City Council); Middleton, Sharon (City Council); Henry, Bill (email); McCray, Danielle (City Council); City Council President; Cohen, Zeke (City Council); Dorsey, Ryan (City Council); Schleifer, Isaac (City Council); Pinkett, Leon2 (City Council); Bullock, John (City Council); Costello, Eric (City Council); Sneed, Shannon (City Council)
Subject: Baltimore City - Defund the Police

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Dear Mayor Young, My name is Anwyn Statnick. In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021. Investment in programs such as the Affordable Housing Trust Fund, Baltimore Children and Youth Fund, Safe Streets Baltimore, the Office of Employment and Development, or the Department of Health will have a measurable and lasting impact on public health and safety. Best, a concerned citizen.

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Ian Pearson <iangpearson1@gmail.com>
Sent: Sunday, June 7, 2020 5:48 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council); Bernard C Jack Young; Clarke, MaryPat (City Council); Stokes, Robert (City Council); Burnett, Kristerfer (City Council); Middleton, Sharon (City Council); Henry, Bill (email); McCray, Danielle (City Council); City Council President; Cohen, Zeke (City Council); Dorsey, Ryan (City Council); Schleifer, Isaac (City Council); Pinkett, Leon2 (City Council); Bullock, John (City Council); Costello, Eric (City Council); Sneed, Shannon (City Council)
Subject: BPD

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My name is Ian Pearson, and I'm a resident of Baltimore, in the hampden neighborhood . If the local and national protests over the last two weeks have demonstrated anything to public officials, it is that police terrorize and brutalize the communities they are supposedly entrusted to protect and serve.

The spectacular failure of the Gun Trace Task Force, which gave BPD the power to run roughshod over the city at the expense of the life and liberty of innocent citizens, and the 2015 murder of Freddie Grey by BPD are just a couple of the most notable examples of gross abuse of power exercised by the Baltimore Police Department. They are by no means isolated incidents, and speak to the culture of violence, racism, and corruption that exists within BPD. Enabling this police presence not only actively endangers the community, but diverts funds from programs that impact the city in a positive and meaningful way.

For these reasons I believe it is unconscionable and runs directly counter to the interests of the citizens of this city to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I am urging you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, DEFUND the BPD, and instead invest those funds in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021.

Investing these funds in programs such as the Affordable Housing Trust Fund, Baltimore Children and Youth Fund, Safe Streets Baltimore, the Office of Employment and Development, and the Department of Health will have a measurable and lasting impact on public health and safety.

The people of this city deserve to be invested in. Do the right thing.

Sincerely,

Ian Pearson

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: William Motel <wcmotel@gmail.com>
Sent: Wednesday, June 10, 2020 11:09 AM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council); Bernard C Jack Young; City Council President; Cohen, Zeke (City Council)
Subject: BPD Budget

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To all concerned:

After years of using a 'tough on crime' strategy in Baltimore, it's time for Baltimore to reevaluate its priorities. With the budget realities of post-COVID Baltimore, and the disgusting actions that police across the country have displayed in the wake of the killing of George Floyd and Breonna Taylor, it is beyond time to look at our budget priorities.

We cannot continue to tout the line that the police department is a state agency, and that we do not have control. We control the \$509M that is given to the department, as well as the IT and facilities support they get from other line items outside of the BPD Budget. Every year we kick the can down the road is another opportunity wasted to improve the city of Baltimore.

The liabilities are endless. The obvious ones are the mounting long term liabilities of pension costs accumulated, including the \$150.5M from this year alone. The less tangible costs are the abuses we are inflicting on our residents through police misfeasance, and passively through the lack of investment and total apathy in the engagement of public services.

It is unacceptable to look at the abuses of the departmental corruptions such as the Gun Trace Task Force and chalk them up to "a few bad apples," and demand nothing to ensure adequate change.

Since 2010, taxpayers have spent \$4.74B in city funds on the Baltimore Police Department. This model is not working. Cut the BPD's budget so we can start a discussion about where we can allocate that money. Rolling the budget back to 2014 levels would allow for an additional \$100M for additional programming that is sorely lacking. Los Angeles has already done such a roll-back. We could then spend the next year discussing how we can create a better police force that might actually provide some results. Maybe start with getting officers to live in the city, so they care about the community.

I am happy to help in any way that is needed, whether that is engaging at a local level and organizing. Please feel free to reach out to me if there is something I can do to further this conversation.

Sincerely,

William Motel
22 S Patterson Park Ave
570.690.1874

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Sam Sweeney <sam@woodberrykitchen.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 10:06 AM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council); Bernard C Jack Young; Clarke, MaryPat (City Council); Reisinger, Edward (City Council); Stokes, Robert (City Council); Burnett, Kristerfer (City Council); Middleton, Sharon (City Council); Henry, Bill (email); McCray, Danielle (City Council); City Council President; Cohen, Zeke (City Council); Dorsey, Ryan (City Council); Schleifer, Isaac (City Council); Pinkett, Leon2 (City Council); Bullock, John (City Council); Costello, Eric (City Council); Sneed, Shannon (City Council)
Subject: BPD Budget

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To Whom It May Concern:

My name is Samantha Sweeney, and I'm a resident of the Highlandtown Community of Baltimore. If the local and national protests over the last two weeks have demonstrated anything to public officials, it is that police terrorize and brutalize the communities they are supposedly entrusted to protect and serve.

The spectacular failure of the Gun Trace Task Force, which gave BPD the power to run roughshod over the city at the expense of the life and liberty of innocent citizens, and the 2015 murder of Freddie Grey by BPD are just a couple of the most notable examples of gross abuse of power exercised by the Baltimore Police Department. They are by no means isolated incidents, and speak to the culture of violence, racism, and corruption that exists within BPD. Enabling this police presence not only actively endangers the community, but diverts funds from programs that impact the city in a positive and meaningful way.

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Samantha Sweeney

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Ola Lawal <amdalat30@gmail.com>
Sent: Saturday, June 6, 2020 2:00 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Subject: bpd budget

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To Whom It May Concern:

I do not want police funding increased. I want it to decrease. I want better social services, infrastructure, healthcare and education programs.

The police have violently attacked me, my friends, and loved ones. Baltimore Policing needs reform. That reform begins with re-allocation of funds.

Sincerely,

Ola Lawal

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Erica Eckel <eckelel@gwmail.gwu.edu>
Sent: Saturday, June 6, 2020 10:42 AM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Subject: BPD Budget

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Dear Ms. Currin ,

My name is Erica Eckel. I am a resident of the 12th district and I am emailing today to demand a cut of budgeted General Funds to the Baltimore City Police Department (BPD) for the Fiscal Year ending June 30, 2021.

The recent murders of George Floyd and Breonna Taylor are only the televised instances of police brutality and gross abuse of power against the Black community. These tragic events come 5 years after the murder of Freddie Gray at the hands of the BPD. As a result, I think it is clear that bloated police funding is a crux for discrimination at the hands of those who claim to protect and serve. Living in a city where the majority (62.8% to be exact) of residents are Black, I do not support a Baltimore where revenue from residents' property and income taxes are funneled disproportionately to the BPD. Furthermore, I do not support a Baltimore where the BPD is allocated 182x the funding of our Civil Rights initiatives. On what would be the 27th birthday of Breonna Taylor, I am emailing to demand a cut of funding to the BPD.

I demand a cut of this short-sighted allocation of funds to the BPD for the fiscal year ending in June 2021. In addition, I demand that the 6/12 hearing on BPD budget be extended so more Baltimore City residents can weigh in on this crucial decision.

Thank you,
Erica Eckel

Sent from my iPhone

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Joanna Nealey <joanna.nealey@icloud.com>
Sent: Saturday, June 6, 2020 9:14 AM
To: Bernard C Jack Young
Subject: BPD Budget

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Sincerely,
Joanna Nealey
District 14

Sent from my iPhone

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Jonathan Rochkind <jonathan@dnil.net>
Sent: Thursday, June 4, 2020 4:30 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Subject: BPD budget

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As a white professional who has lived in Baltimore for 14 years but did not grow up here, I expect that Baltimore will be REDUCING the BPD budget, and redirect those funds to something that benefits the community.

ENOUGH of continuing to increase the portion of our city budget that goes to BPD without any meaningful police reforms.

This is how you get what we got. Don't wait for the fire next time. Baltimore needs some things it's not getting because we're spending it all on the police instead. Baltimore needs less police, the police do not make us safer, they endanger us.

Jonathan Rochkind
755 Melville, Waverly

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: pathalle808@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of patricia halle <pathalle808@everyactioncustom.com>
Sent: Thursday, June 11, 2020 7:17 AM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Subject: BPD cut the budget/ invest in communities

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Dear Marguerite Currin,

Please see the message below, and ensure that it is submitted as a public testimony on the 2021 BPD Budget Hearing:

I am writing as a member of Jews United for Justice to ask that you vote against the proposal to increase the Baltimore Police Department's budget. While I understand that City Council does not have the authority to re-allocate costs, it is fully within your power to cut funding.

The BPD should not receive more funding, especially at a time when it is clear that they do not protect Baltimore residents equally and other critical services are seeing cuts in funding.

Jews United for Justice supports the demands of Organizing Black and other partners in the Campaign for Justice, Safety and Jobs (CJSJ), and will continue to fight alongside them for the changes that must be made to root out racist, violent, and corrupt police practices and invest in meeting the basic needs of the people of our city.

Sincerely,
Ms. patricia halle
808 Gorsuch Ave Baltimore, MD 21218-3526 pathalle808@gmail.com

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Casey McDonald <casey.m.mcdon@gmail.com>
Sent: Saturday, June 6, 2020 7:10 PM
To: Bernard C Jack Young
Cc: Currin, Marguerite (City Council); Clarke, MaryPat (City Council); Reisinger, Edward (City Council); Stokes, Robert (City Council); Burnett, Kristerfer (City Council); Middleton, Sharon (City Council); Henry, Bill (email); McCray, Danielle (City Council); City Council President; Cohen, Zeke (City Council); Dorsey, Ryan (City Council); Schleifer, Isaac (City Council); Pinkett, Leon2 (City Council); JohnBullock@baltimorecity.gov; Costello, Eric (City Council); Sneed, Shannon (City Council)
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Dear Mayor Young & City Officials,

My name is Casey McDonald and I am writing from zip code 21230 demanding that the proposed Baltimore Police Department \$13 million dollar increase be rejected unanimously. It would be completely misguided, reckless, and reprehensible to see one more dime go into BPD's budget. The Baltimore Police Department should see money leave their budget immediately.

I am demanding our City:

Propose a new BPD budget cutting at least \$250 million . The Police need to be demilitarized in their training, weaponry, & protocols. We demand that both internal & external complaints on file against officers be made public record, that new judgments awarded through lawsuits against the department come from guilty parties' pensions and the BPD budget. I demand officers found to be performing unlawfully be fired with no severance pay and be arrested and charged with their crimes. I also demand that BPD hiring & salaries be frozen now!

Our city needs to schedule more public testimony for the people to speak on the police brutality in our community and why we need to defund the police. Elected officials should be meeting with leaders who have been at the forefront of Baltimore's fight for police accountability. The Baltimore Police Department have proven time and again that they are violent and do not protect the community it pledges to serve.

I demand that you hold them accountable.

I know that cuts made from the police budget cannot be moved directly to other services & it will instead be put into the city's general fund. I believe this is a flaw in our system and that my representatives need to VOTE YES on CB19-0379!

I demand that any money cut from BPD's funds be redistributed to our education system, affordable housing, youth and trauma services, environmental inspection services, chronic disease prevention, housing and community development administration, homeless prevention and support services for

the homeless, outreach to the Homeless, city infrastructure, locally owned small businesses, healthcare, arts, and parks & recreation services.

These are the same services shown to decrease crime rates across cities. These same services we as a city have watched be defunded and privatized, while the budget to the police dept. inflates! We cannot police people out of poverty. Please know this is a historic moment and your people, your constituents, need you.

We are watching.

Your constituent,
Casey McDonald

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Wirzberger, Michelle (BPD)
Sent: Friday, June 5, 2020 7:18 PM
To: Wirzberger, Michelle (BPD)
Subject: BPD update: Protests and Arrests of Note

Good afternoon all! I wanted to share some information with you as we end the week.

1. There are several protests planned in Baltimore this weekend. The Baltimore Police Department is deeply committed to protecting everyone's first amendment rights, facilitating peaceful protests and ensuring the safety of all. Below you will find just a few pictures of BPD members interacting with and showing their solidarity with the protestors over the course of the last week. In case you missed it, you can find Police Commissioner Michael S. Harrison's statement regarding the in custody death of Mr. George Floyd at this link: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=UqVwUWkrMR4>.



(Note: the 4th picture was taken by Justin Fenton)

2. There have been a few arrests of note:

Southern District Homicide Arrest

On May 31, 2020, at approximately 7:25 p.m., Mr. Bright Ogueri approached an officer at Police Headquarters, to inform him of an assault he committed on May 29, 2020, in the 4000 block of 6th Street. Mr. Ogueri told the officer that he believed that the victim was dead. Southern District officers responded to the location, and located a 38 year-old male, inside of the dwelling. Officers pronounced the victim dead on the scene. Preliminary investigation revealed that Bright Ogueri and the victim were involved in a verbal dispute when Bright Ogueri shot the victim in the face. Detectives transported Bright Ogueri to Central Booking Intake Facility where he was charged with 1st degree murder.

Antonio Janifer Arrested, Charged with Attempted Murder of Police Officer

On Tuesday, May 20, 2020, Police Officer Joshua Jackson was shot when he attempted to stop a vehicle at the intersection of Light and Pratt Streets.

Officer Jackson was transported to Shock Trauma with a non-life threatening injury where he was treated and released. Baltimore Police detectives investigated this shooting and quickly identified 28 year-old Antonio Janifer, of the 3000 block of West North Avenue, as the shooting suspect and obtained an arrest warrant. On June 1, 2020 at approximately 8:20 P.M., members of the Warrant Apprehension Task Force along with Members of the U.S. Marshals Task Force arrested Antonio Janifer in Prince Georges County, Maryland without incident. Antonio Janifer was transported to Central Booking where he has been charged with 1st and 2nd Degree Attempted Murder.

As always, feel free to reach out to me at the number below if you have any questions or concerns. Have an awesome weekend!

Michelle Bloodsworth Wirzberger, Esq.
Director of Government Affairs
Baltimore Police Department
443-915-3155

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Tanya Field Hicks <tanyafhicks@yahoo.com>
Sent: Wednesday, June 10, 2020 9:20 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Subject: Budget

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Plane surveillance should not be funded. Waste of money and gas, even cheap gas.

We can do better with people on the ground and in the neighborhoods.

Thanks for your consideration.

Tanya Field Hicks

University Parkway.

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Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Aria <bloodkaika@gmail.com>
Sent: Friday, June 5, 2020 7:23 PM
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Sincerely,
Aria Linz

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Livin_cara <livincara@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 7:48 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Cc: Bernard C Jack Young; Clarke, MaryPat (City Council); Reisinger, Edward (City Council); Stokes, Robert (City Council); Burnett, Kristerfer (City Council); Middleton, Sharon (City Council); Henry, Bill (email); McCray, Danielle (City Council); City Council President; Cohen, Zeke (City Council); Dorsey, Ryan (City Council); Schleifer, Isaac (City Council); Pinkett, Leon2 (City Council); Bullock, John (City Council); Costello, Eric (City Council); Sneed, Shannon (City Council)
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Dear Mayor Young,

My name is Cara Woolston. In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021.

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Best,

Cara Woolston

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Linda Yeung <mylinda2@yahoo.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 7:44 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
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Best,
Linda

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Alayna Shadis <ashadis@terpmail.umd.edu>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 7:41 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Cc: Bernard C Jack Young; Clarke, MaryPat (City Council); Reisinger, Edward (City Council); Stokes, Robert (City Council); Burnett, Kristerfer (City Council); Middleton, Sharon (City Council); Henry, Bill (email); McCray, Danielle (City Council); City Council President; Cohen, Zeke (City Council); Dorsey, Ryan (City Council); Schleifer, Isaac (City Council); Pinkett, Leon2 (City Council); Bullock, John (City Council); Costello, Eric (City Council); Sneed, Shannon (City Council)
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Dear Mayor Young,

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Best,
Alayna Shadis

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Abby Huebler <ahuebler@udel.edu>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 7:39 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
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Dear Mayor Young,

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Best,
Abby Huebler

Sent from my iPhone

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Chel Chel <tiatran0919@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 7:37 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Cc: Bernard C Jack Young; Clarke, MaryPat (City Council); Reisinger, Edward (City Council); Stokes, Robert (City Council); Burnett, Kristerfer (City Council); Middleton, Sharon (City Council); Henry, Bill (email); McCray, Danielle (City Council); City Council President; Cohen, Zeke (City Council); Dorsey, Ryan (City Council); Schleifer, Isaac (City Council); Pinkett, Leon2 (City Council); Bullock, John (City Council); Costello, Eric (City Council); Sneed, Shannon (City Council)
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Dear Mayor Young,

My name is Tia Tran. In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021.

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Best,

Tia Tran
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Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Martines, Rachael V <RVMartines@bcps.k12.md.us>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 7:31 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Cc: Bernard C Jack Young; Clarke, MaryPat (City Council); Reisinger, Edward (City Council); Stokes, Robert (City Council); Burnett, Kristerfer (City Council); Middleton, Sharon (City Council); Henry, Bill (email); McCray, Danielle (City Council); City Council President; Cohen, Zeke (City Council); Dorsey, Ryan (City Council); Schleifer, Isaac (City Council); Pinkett, Leon2 (City Council); Bullock, John (City Council); Costello, Eric (City Council); Sneed, Shannon (City Council)
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Dear Mayor Young,

My name is Rachael Martines. I am a Baltimore City teacher.

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Best,
Rachael Martines

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Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Josh Archer <jarcher413@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 7:28 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
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Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Emily Reed <emilyreedbsa@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 7:25 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
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Dear Mayor Young,

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Best,
Emily Reed

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Lauren Campbell <laurencampbellxoxo@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 7:24 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Cc: Bernard C Jack Young; Clarke, MaryPat (City Council); Reisinger, Edward (City Council); Stokes, Robert (City Council); Burnett, Kristerfer (City Council); Middleton, Sharon (City Council); Henry, Bill (email); McCray, Danielle (City Council); City Council President; Cohen, Zeke (City Council); Dorsey, Ryan (City Council); Schleifer, Isaac (City Council); Pinkett, Leon2 (City Council); Bullock, John (City Council); Costello, Eric (City Council); Sneed, Shannon (City Council)
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Best,
Lauren

Sent from my iPhone

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Margarete Rubel <margerubel@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 7:23 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
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Dear Mayor Young,

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Best regards,

Margarete Rubel

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Katie <ktleewilson96@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 7:21 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
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Best,

Katie Wilson

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Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Anna morel-paletta <anna.morelpaletta@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 7:18 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
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Dear Mayor Young,

My name is Anna Morel-Paletta. In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021.

Investment in programs such as the Affordable Housing Trust Fund, Baltimore Children and Youth Fund, Safe Streets Baltimore, the Office of Employment and Development, or the Department of Health will have a measurable and lasting impact on public health and safety.

Best,
Anna Morel-Paletta

Sent from my iPhone

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Mackenzie Knox <mackenzietknox1@icloud.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 7:14 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Cc: Bernard C Jack Young; Clarke, MaryPat (City Council); Reisinger, Edward (City Council); Stokes, Robert (City Council); Burnett, Kristerfer (City Council); Middleton, Sharon (City Council); Henry, Bill (email); McCray, Danielle (City Council); City Council President; Cohen, Zeke (City Council); Dorsey, Ryan (City Council); Schleifer, Isaac (City Council); Pinkett, Leon2 (City Council); Bullock, John (City Council); Costello, Eric (City Council); Sneed, Shannon (City Council)
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Dear Mayor Young,

My name is Mackenzie Knox. In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021.

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Best,
Mackenzie Knox

Sent from my iPhone

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Catherine Robbins <catherine.k.robbins@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 7:11 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Cc: Bernard C Jack Young; Clarke, MaryPat (City Council); Reisinger, Edward (City Council); Stokes, Robert (City Council); Burnett, Kristerfer (City Council); Middleton, Sharon (City Council); Henry, Bill (email); McCray, Danielle (City Council); City Council President; Cohen, Zeke (City Council); Dorsey, Ryan (City Council); Schleifer, Isaac (City Council); Pinkett, Leon2 (City Council); Bullock, John (City Council); Costello, Eric (City Council); Sneed, Shannon (City Council)
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Dear Mayor Young,

My name is Catherine Robbins. In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021.

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Sincerely,
Catherine Robbins

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Alexis <thealexisd1@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 7:10 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Cc: Bernard C Jack Young; Clarke, MaryPat (City Council); Reisinger, Edward (City Council); Stokes, Robert (City Council); Burnett, Kristerfer (City Council); Middleton, Sharon (City Council); Henry, Bill (email); McCray, Danielle (City Council); City Council President; Cohen, Zeke (City Council); Dorsey, Ryan (City Council); Schleifer, Isaac (City Council); Pinkett, Leon2 (City Council); Bullock, John (City Council); Costello, Eric (City Council); Sneed, Shannon (City Council)
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Dear Mayor Young,

My name is Alexis, and I am a resident of Maryland. Amid a global pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021.

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Best,

Alexis

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Lydia Graveline <ldgravy@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 7:09 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Cc: Bernard C Jack Young; Clarke, MaryPat (City Council); Reisinger, Edward (City Council); Stokes, Robert (City Council); Burnett, Kristerfer (City Council); Middleton, Sharon (City Council); Henry, Bill (email); McCray, Danielle (City Council); City Council President; Cohen, Zeke (City Council); Dorsey, Ryan (City Council); Schleifer, Isaac (City Council); Pinkett, Leon2 (City Council); Bullock, John (City Council); Costello, Eric (City Council); Sneed, Shannon (City Council)
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Dear Mayor Young,

My name is Lydia Graveline. In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021.

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Best,
Lydia Graveline

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Erin Yasmeen <erindoran.y@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 7:06 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Cc: Bernard C Jack Young; Clarke, MaryPat (City Council); Reisinger, Edward (City Council); Stokes, Robert (City Council); Burnett, Kristerfer (City Council); Middleton, Sharon (City Council); Henry, Bill (email); McCray, Danielle (City Council); City Council President; Cohen, Zeke (City Council); Dorsey, Ryan (City Council); Schleifer, Isaac (City Council); Pinkett, Leon2 (City Council); Bullock, John (City Council); Costello, Eric (City Council); Sneed, Shannon (City Council)
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Dear Mayor Young,

My name is Erin Doran. In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021.

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Best,
Erin Doran

Sent from my iPhone

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Emily Cupps <ecuppsvt@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 7:01 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Cc: Bernard C Jack Young; Clarke, MaryPat (City Council); Reisinger, Edward (City Council); Stokes, Robert (City Council); Burnett, Kristerfer (City Council); Middleton, Sharon (City Council); Henry, Bill (email); McCray, Danielle (City Council); City Council President; Cohen, Zeke (City Council); Dorsey, Ryan (City Council); Schleifer, Isaac (City Council); Pinkett, Leon2 (City Council); Bullock, John (City Council); Costello, Eric (City Council); Sneed, Shannon (City Council)
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Dear Mayor Young, My name is Emily Cupps. In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021. Investment in programs such as the Affordable Housing Trust Fund, Baltimore Children and Youth Fund, Safe Streets Baltimore, the Office of Employment and Development, or the Department of Health will have a measurable and lasting impact on public health and safety.

Best,
Emily Cupps

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Mineydis Dubernay <mdubernay@yahoo.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 7:00 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Cc: Bernard C Jack Young; Clarke, MaryPat (City Council); Reisinger, Edward (City Council); Stokes, Robert (City Council); Burnett, Kristerfer (City Council); Middleton, Sharon (City Council); Henry, Bill (email); McCray, Danielle (City Council); City Council President; Cohen, Zeke (City Council); Dorsey, Ryan (City Council); Schleifer, Isaac (City Council); Pinkett, Leon2 (City Council); Bullock, John (City Council); Costello, Eric (City Council); Sneed, Shannon (City Council)
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Best,
Mineydis Dubernay

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Mineydis Dubernay <mdubernay@yahoo.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 6:56 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
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Best, Mineydis Dubernay

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Jenna Gregory <jennagr13@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 6:55 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Cc: Bernard C Jack Young; Clarke, MaryPat (City Council); Reisinger, Edward (City Council); Stokes, Robert (City Council); Burnett, Kristerfer (City Council); Middleton, Sharon (City Council); Henry, Bill (email); McCray, Danielle (City Council); City Council President; Cohen, Zeke (City Council); Dorsey, Ryan (City Council); Schleifer, Isaac (City Council); Pinkett, Leon2 (City Council); Bullock, John (City Council); Costello, Eric (City Council); Sneed, Shannon (City Council)
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Dear Mayor Young,

My name is Jenna Gregory. In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021.

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Best,

Jenna Gregory

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Allison Holtzman <apholtzman@smcm.edu>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 6:54 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Cc: Bernard C Jack Young; Clarke, MaryPat (City Council); Reisinger, Edward (City Council); Stokes, Robert (City Council); Burnett, Kristerfer (City Council); Middleton, Sharon (City Council); Henry, Bill (email); McCray, Danielle (City Council); City Council President; Cohen, Zeke (City Council); Dorsey, Ryan (City Council); Schleifer, Isaac (City Council); Pinkett, Leon2 (City Council); Bullock, John (City Council); Costello, Eric (City Council); Sneed, Shannon (City Council)
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Dear Mayor Young,

My name is Allison Holtzman. In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021.

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Thank you for your time,
Allison Holtzman

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Wesley Macek <macekwesley@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 6:49 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Cc: Bernard C Jack Young; Clarke, MaryPat (City Council); Reisinger, Edward (City Council); Stokes, Robert (City Council); Burnett, Kristerfer (City Council); Middleton, Sharon (City Council); Henry, Bill (email); McCray, Danielle (City Council); City Council President; Cohen, Zeke (City Council); Dorsey, Ryan (City Council); Schleifer, Isaac (City Council); Pinkett, Leon2 (City Council); Bullock, John (City Council); Costello, Eric (City Council); Sneed, Shannon (City Council)
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Dear Mayor Young, My name is Wesley Macek. I am a citizen and voter of Maryland. In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021. Investment in programs such as the Affordable Housing Trust Fund, Baltimore Children and Youth Fund, Safe Streets Baltimore, the Office of Employment and Development, or the Department of Health will have a measurable and lasting impact on public health and safety. Best,

Wesley Macek

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Dimitri Gapeev <tinyrex8@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 6:48 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Cc: Bernard C Jack Young; Clarke, MaryPat (City Council); Reisinger, Edward (City Council); Stokes, Robert (City Council); Burnett, Kristerfer (City Council); Middleton, Sharon (City Council); Henry, Bill (email); McCray, Danielle (City Council); City Council President; Cohen, Zeke (City Council); Dorsey, Ryan (City Council); Schleifer, Isaac (City Council); Pinkett, Leon2 (City Council); Bullock, John (City Council); Costello, Eric (City Council); Sneed, Shannon (City Council)
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Dear Mayor Young,

My name is Dima Gapeev. In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021.

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Best,
Dima Gapeev

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Naseem Ahmadi <ahmadi.naseem98@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 6:48 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Cc: Bernard C Jack Young; Clarke, MaryPat (City Council); Reisinger, Edward (City Council); Stokes, Robert (City Council); Burnett, Kristerfer (City Council); Middleton, Sharon (City Council); Henry, Bill (email); McCray, Danielle (City Council); City Council President; Cohen, Zeke (City Council); Dorsey, Ryan (City Council); Schleifer, Isaac (City Council); Pinkett, Leon2 (City Council); Bullock, John (City Council); Costello, Eric (City Council); Sneed, Shannon (City Council)
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Dear Mayor Young,

My name is Naseem Ahmadi. In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021.

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Best,
Naseem Ahmadi

Sent from my iPhone

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Alayna R. <aradner@comcast.net>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 6:45 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Cc: Bernard C Jack Young; Clarke, MaryPat (City Council); Reisinger, Edward (City Council); Stokes, Robert (City Council); Burnett, Kristerfer (City Council); Middleton, Sharon (City Council); Henry, Bill (email); McCray, Danielle (City Council); City Council President; Cohen, Zeke (City Council); Dorsey, Ryan (City Council); Schleifer, Isaac (City Council); Pinkett, Leon2 (City Council); Bullock, John (City Council); Costello, Eric (City Council); Sneed, Shannon (City Council)
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Dear Mayor Young,

My name is Alayna Radner. In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021.

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Best,
Alayna

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Bre Yat <brendanpyates@googlemail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 6:43 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Cc: Bernard C Jack Young; Clarke, MaryPat (City Council); Reisinger, Edward (City Council); Stokes, Robert (City Council); Burnett, Kristerfer (City Council); Middleton, Sharon (City Council); Henry, Bill (email); McCray, Danielle (City Council); City Council President; Cohen, Zeke (City Council); Dorsey, Ryan (City Council); Schleifer, Isaac (City Council); Pinkett, Leon2 (City Council); Bullock, John (City Council); Costello, Eric (City Council); Sneed, Shannon (City Council)
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Dear Mayor Young,

My name is Brendan Yates. In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021.

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Best,
Brendan Yates

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Sophie von Coelln <sophiev19@icloud.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 6:41 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Cc: Bernard C Jack Young; Clarke, MaryPat (City Council); Reisinger, Edward (City Council); Stokes, Robert (City Council); Burnett, Kristerfer (City Council); Middleton, Sharon (City Council); Henry, Bill (email); McCray, Danielle (City Council); City Council President; Cohen, Zeke (City Council); Dorsey, Ryan (City Council); Schleifer, Isaac (City Council); Pinkett, Leon2 (City Council); Bullock, John (City Council); Costello, Eric (City Council); Sneed, Shannon (City Council)
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Dear Mayor Young,

My name is Sophie von Coelln. In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021.

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Best,
Sophie von Coelln

Sent from my iPhone

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: paul harting <paulhartingtattoo@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 6:39 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Cc: Bernard C Jack Young; Clarke, MaryPat (City Council); Reisinger, Edward (City Council); Stokes, Robert (City Council); Burnett, Kristerfer (City Council); Middleton, Sharon (City Council); Henry, Bill (email); McCray, Danielle (City Council); City Council President; Cohen, Zeke (City Council); Dorsey, Ryan (City Council); Schleifer, Isaac (City Council); Pinkett, Leon2 (City Council); Bullock, John (City Council); Costello, Eric (City Council); Sneed, Shannon (City Council)
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Dear Mayor Young, My name is Paul Harting. In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021. Investment in programs such as the Affordable Housing Trust Fund, Baltimore Children and Youth Fund, Safe Streets Baltimore, the Office of Employment and Development, or the Department of Health will have a measurable and lasting impact on public health and safety. Best, Paul Harting

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Isaiah Jones <ibjones247@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 6:37 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Cc: Bernard C Jack Young; Clarke, MaryPat (City Council); Reisinger, Edward (City Council); Stokes, Robert (City Council); Burnett, Kristerfer (City Council); Middleton, Sharon (City Council); Henry, Bill (email); McCray, Danielle (City Council); City Council President; Cohen, Zeke (City Council); Dorsey, Ryan (City Council); Schleifer, Isaac (City Council); Pinkett, Leon2 (City Council); Bullock, John (City Council); Costello, Eric (City Council); Sneed, Shannon (City Council)
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Dear Mayor Young,

My name is Isaiah Jones. In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021.

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Best,
Isaiah Jones

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Hannah Daniel <hdanie7@students.towson.edu>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 6:39 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
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Dear Mayor Young,

My name is Hannah Daniel. In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021. Investment in programs such as the Affordable Housing Trust Fund, Baltimore Children and Youth Fund, Safe Streets Baltimore, the Office of Employment and Development, or the Department of Health will have a measurable and lasting impact on public health and safety.

Best, Hannah Daniel

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Tyler Reynolds <inspiredtyla@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 6:35 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Cc: Bernard C Jack Young; Clarke, MaryPat (City Council); Reisinger, Edward (City Council); Stokes, Robert (City Council); Burnett, Kristerfer (City Council); Middleton, Sharon (City Council); Henry, Bill (email); McCray, Danielle (City Council); City Council President; Cohen, Zeke (City Council); Dorsey, Ryan (City Council); Schleifer, Isaac (City Council); Pinkett, Leon2 (City Council); Bullock, John (City Council); Costello, Eric (City Council); Sneed, Shannon (City Council)
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Dear Mayor Young,

My name is Tyler Reynolds. In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021.

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Best,
Tyler Reynolds

Sent from my iPhone

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Nick Kang <kangnick13@yahoo.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 6:31 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Cc: Bernard C Jack Young; Clarke, MaryPat (City Council); Reisinger, Edward (City Council); Stokes, Robert (City Council); Burnett, Kristerfer (City Council); Middleton, Sharon (City Council); Henry, Bill (email); McCray, Danielle (City Council); City Council President; Cohen, Zeke (City Council); Dorsey, Ryan (City Council); Schleifer, Isaac (City Council); Pinkett, Leon2 (City Council); Bullock, John (City Council); Costello, Eric (City Council); Sneed, Shannon (City Council)
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Dear Mayor Young,

My name is Nick Kang. In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021.

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Best,

Sent from my iPhone

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Qing Lu <al22771@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 6:31 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Cc: Bernard C Jack Young; Clarke, MaryPat (City Council); Reisinger, Edward (City Council); Stokes, Robert (City Council); Burnett, Kristerfer (City Council); Middleton, Sharon (City Council); Henry, Bill (email); McCray, Danielle (City Council); City Council President; Cohen, Zeke (City Council); Dorsey, Ryan (City Council); Schleifer, Isaac (City Council); Pinkett, Leon2 (City Council); Bullock, John (City Council); Costello, Eric (City Council); Sneed, Shannon (City Council)
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Best,

Qing Lu

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Peter Romanello <peterromanello1025@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 6:30 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Cc: Bernard C Jack Young; Clarke, MaryPat (City Council); Reisinger, Edward (City Council); Stokes, Robert (City Council); Burnett, Kristerfer (City Council); Middleton, Sharon (City Council); Henry, Bill (email); McCray, Danielle (City Council); City Council President; Cohen, Zeke (City Council); Dorsey, Ryan (City Council); Schleifer, Isaac (City Council); Pinkett, Leon2 (City Council); Bullock, John (City Council); Costello, Eric (City Council); Sneed, Shannon (City Council)
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Dear Mayor Young,

My name is Peter Romanello. In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021.

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Best,
Peter

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Perri DeJarnette <perri.dejarnette@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 6:28 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Cc: Bernard C Jack Young; Clarke, MaryPat (City Council); Reisinger, Edward (City Council); Stokes, Robert (City Council); Burnett, Kristerfer (City Council); Middleton, Sharon (City Council); Henry, Bill (email); McCray, Danielle (City Council); City Council President; Cohen, Zeke (City Council); Dorsey, Ryan (City Council); Schleifer, Isaac (City Council); Pinkett, Leon2 (City Council); Bullock, John (City Council); Costello, Eric (City Council); Sneed, Shannon (City Council)
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Dear Mayor Young, My name is Perri DeJarnette. In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021. Investment in programs such as the Affordable Housing Trust Fund, Baltimore Children and Youth Fund, Safe Streets Baltimore, the Office of Employment and Development, or the Department of Health will have a measurable and lasting impact on public health and safety. Best,

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Liza Boeri <lizaboeri@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 6:28 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Cc: Bernard C Jack Young; Clarke, MaryPat (City Council); Reisinger, Edward (City Council); Stokes, Robert (City Council); Burnett, Kristerfer (City Council); Middleton, Sharon (City Council); Henry, Bill (email); McCray, Danielle (City Council); City Council President; Cohen, Zeke (City Council); Dorsey, Ryan (City Council); Schleifer, Isaac (City Council); Pinkett, Leon2 (City Council); Bullock, John (City Council); Costello, Eric (City Council); Sneed, Shannon (City Council)
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Dear Mayor Young,

My name is Liza Boeri. In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021.

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Best,
Liza

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Cecilia Charney <cecilia.charney@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 6:23 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Cc: Bernard C Jack Young; Clarke, MaryPat (City Council); Reisinger, Edward (City Council); Stokes, Robert (City Council); Burnett, Kristerfer (City Council); Middleton, Sharon (City Council); Henry, Bill (email); McCray, Danielle (City Council); City Council President; Cohen, Zeke (City Council); Dorsey, Ryan (City Council); Schleifer, Isaac (City Council); Pinkett, Leon2 (City Council); Bullock, John (City Council); Costello, Eric (City Council); Sneed, Shannon (City Council)
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Dear Mayor Young,

My name is Cecilia Charney. I live in the 4th district and went to Baltimore Polytechnic Institute. I'm studying in university to be an architect, and I hope I can work as an architect in Baltimore. This is a copy paste email, but that doesn't make it any less sincere. In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021.

Investment in programs such as the Affordable Housing Trust Fund, Baltimore Children and Youth Fund, Safe Streets Baltimore, the Office of Employment and Development, or the Department of Health will have a measurable and lasting impact on public health and safety. Please show courage and leadership in this struggle. Hear the voices of the people.

Best,
Cecilia Charney

Sent from my iPhone

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: kyle dorsey <turn_up14@yahoo.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 6:18 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Cc: Bernard C Jack Young; Clarke, MaryPat (City Council); Reisinger, Edward (City Council); Stokes, Robert (City Council); Burnett, Kristerfer (City Council); Middleton, Sharon (City Council); Henry, Bill (email); McCray, Danielle (City Council); City Council President; Cohen, Zeke (City Council); Dorsey, Ryan (City Council); Schleifer, Isaac (City Council); Pinkett, Leon2 (City Council); Bullock, John (City Council); Costello, Eric (City Council); Sneed, Shannon (City Council)
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Dear Mayor Young,

My name is Kyle Dorsey. In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021.

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Best regards,
Kyle Dorsey

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Antonio Davis <davistime12@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 6:17 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Cc: Bernard C Jack Young; Clarke, MaryPat (City Council); Reisinger, Edward (City Council); Stokes, Robert (City Council); Burnett, Kristerfer (City Council); Middleton, Sharon (City Council); Henry, Bill (email); McCray, Danielle (City Council); City Council President; Cohen, Zeke (City Council); Dorsey, Ryan (City Council); Schleifer, Isaac (City Council); Pinkett, Leon2 (City Council); Bullock, John (City Council); Costello, Eric (City Council); Sneed, Shannon (City Council)
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Dear Mayor Young, My name is Antonio Davis Jr. In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021. Investment in programs such as the Affordable Housing Trust Fund, Baltimore Children and Youth Fund, Safe Streets Baltimore, the Office of Employment and Development, or the Department of Health will have a measurable and lasting impact on public health and safety. Best,

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Camille Rubin <camillerubin69@icloud.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 6:15 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Cc: Bernard C Jack Young; Clarke, MaryPat (City Council); Reisinger, Edward (City Council); Stokes, Robert (City Council); Burnett, Kristerfer (City Council); Middleton, Sharon (City Council); Henry, Bill (email); McCray, Danielle (City Council); City Council President; Cohen, Zeke (City Council); Dorsey, Ryan (City Council); Schleifer, Isaac (City Council); Pinkett, Leon2 (City Council); Bullock, John (City Council); Costello, Eric (City Council); Sneed, Shannon (City Council)
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Dear Mayor Young,

My name is Camille Rubin. In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021.

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Best,

Sent from my iPhone

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Kayla Shipley <kaylaship21@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 6:15 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Cc: Bernard C Jack Young; Clarke, MaryPat (City Council); Reisinger, Edward (City Council); Stokes, Robert (City Council); Burnett, Kristerfer (City Council); Middleton, Sharon (City Council); Henry, Bill (email); McCray, Danielle (City Council); City Council President; Cohen, Zeke (City Council); Dorsey, Ryan (City Council); Schleifer, Isaac (City Council); Pinkett, Leon2 (City Council); Bullock, John (City Council); Costello, Eric (City Council); Sneed, Shannon (City Council)
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Dear Mayor Young, my name is Kayla Shipy. In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is, to say the least, inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021. Investment in programs such as the Affordable Housing Trust Fund, Baltimore Children and Youth Fund, Safe Streets Baltimore, the Office of Employment and Development, or the Department of Health will have a measurable and lasting impact on public health and safety. Minneapolis has taken a position of outright abolition of their local PD, because it is clear that lumping all of the responsibilities of the police department together is, well, ineffective and leads to the global response that we're all seeing today. Removing the funding for the current type of law enforcement we have here and breaking the job up into specialized groups (ie a specially trained sect to handle wellness checks, a group for sexual assault, a group for homicide or detective work) which would all need individual training in those specified areas but would GREATLY reduce the tensions between citizens and law enforcement is clearly the path that should be taken into consideration at this point. Police, as we know them today, have a lot of state power that is difficult to disperse or tackle and at the very least, it should not currently be funded by the government. Hopes for genuine consideration and best of wishes,

Kayla

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Mateo Alejandro Pacheco <mateo.alejandro10@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 6:13 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Cc: Bernard C Jack Young; Henry, Bill (email); City Council President; McCray, Danielle (City Council); Reisinger, Edward (City Council); Costello, Eric (City Council); Schleifer, Isaac (City Council); Bullock, John (City Council); Burnett, Kristerfer (City Council); Pinkett, Leon2 (City Council); Clarke, MaryPat (City Council); Stokes, Robert (City Council); Dorsey, Ryan (City Council); Sneed, Shannon (City Council); Middleton, Sharon (City Council); Cohen, Zeke (City Council)
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Dear Mayor Young,

My name is Mateo Pacheco. In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021. Investment in programs such as the Affordable Housing Trust Fund, Baltimore Children and Youth Fund, Safe Streets Baltimore, the Office of Employment and Development, or the Department of Health will have a measurable and lasting impact on public health and safety.

Best,

Mateo Pacheco

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Mateo A. Pacheco
University of Maryland, College Park '20
Bachelor of Geographical Information Sciences
mpache@terpmail.umd.edu | (410)-370-8261

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Lo Londonn <lo.londonnnn@icloud.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 6:10 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Cc: Bernard C Jack Young; Clarke, MaryPat (City Council); Reisinger, Edward (City Council); Stokes, Robert (City Council); Burnett, Kristerfer (City Council); Middleton, Sharon (City Council); Henry, Bill (email); McCray, Danielle (City Council); City Council President; Cohen, Zeke (City Council); Dorsey, Ryan (City Council); Schleifer, Isaac (City Council); Pinkett, Leon2 (City Council); Bullock, John (City Council); Costello, Eric (City Council); Sneed, Shannon (City Council)
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Dear Mayor Young,

My name is Colby Carter. In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021.

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Best,

Sent from my iPhone

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Charlotte Slaughter <cgs86@sas.upenn.edu>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 6:06 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Cc: Bernard C Jack Young; Clarke, MaryPat (City Council); Reisinger, Edward (City Council); Stokes, Robert (City Council); Burnett, Kristerfer (City Council); Middleton, Sharon (City Council); Henry, Bill (email); McCray, Danielle (City Council); City Council President; Cohen, Zeke (City Council); Dorsey, Ryan (City Council); Schleifer, Isaac (City Council); Pinkett, Leon2 (City Council); Bullock, John (City Council); Costello, Eric (City Council); Sneed, Shannon (City Council)
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Dear Mayor Young,

My name is Charlotte Slaughter. In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021.

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Best,
Charlotte Slaughter
(22 year resident of Baltimore)

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Lildeeta <lildeetae@yahoo.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 6:06 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
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Dear Mayor Young,

My name is Edith Smith. In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021.

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Best,

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Isabella Pittman <isabellapadma@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 6:03 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Cc: Bernard C Jack Young; Clarke, MaryPat (City Council); Reisinger, Edward (City Council); Stokes, Robert (City Council); Burnett, Kristerfer (City Council); Middleton, Sharon (City Council); Henry, Bill (email); McCray, Danielle (City Council); City Council President; Cohen, Zeke (City Council); Dorsey, Ryan (City Council); Schleifer, Isaac (City Council); Pinkett, Leon2 (City Council); Bullock, John (City Council); Costello, Eric (City Council); Sneed, Shannon (City Council)
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Dear Mayor Young,

My name is Isabella Pittman. In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021.

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Best,
Isabella Pittman

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Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Cassidy Howe <howec72@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 6:01 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Cc: Bernard C Jack Young; Clarke, MaryPat (City Council); Reisinger, Edward (City Council); Stokes, Robert (City Council); Burnett, Kristerfer (City Council); Middleton, Sharon (City Council); Henry, Bill (email); McCray, Danielle (City Council); City Council President; Cohen, Zeke (City Council); Dorsey, Ryan (City Council); Schleifer, Isaac (City Council); Pinkett, Leon2 (City Council); Bullock, John (City Council); Costello, Eric (City Council); Sneed, Shannon (City Council)
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Dear Mayor Young,

My name is Cassidy Howe. In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021.

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Best,

Sent from my iPhone

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Shakhnoza Salimjonova <shakhnoza07@yahoo.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 6:01 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Cc: Bernard C Jack Young; Clarke, MaryPat (City Council); Reisinger, Edward (City Council); Stokes, Robert (City Council); Burnett, Kristerfer (City Council); Middleton, Sharon (City Council); Henry, Bill (email); McCray, Danielle (City Council); City Council President; Cohen, Zeke (City Council); Dorsey, Ryan (City Council); Schleifer, Isaac (City Council); Pinkett, Leon2 (City Council); Bullock, John (City Council); Costello, Eric (City Council); Sneed, Shannon (City Council)
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Dear Mayor Young,

My name is Shakhnoza . In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021.

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Best,
Shakhnoza Salimjonova
Princeton '24

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Rebecca Lippy <rlippy3@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 6:00 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Cc: Bernard C Jack Young; Clarke, MaryPat (City Council); Reisinger, Edward (City Council); Stokes, Robert (City Council); Burnett, Kristerfer (City Council); Middleton, Sharon (City Council); Henry, Bill (email); McCray, Danielle (City Council); City Council President; Cohen, Zeke (City Council); Dorsey, Ryan (City Council); Schleifer, Isaac (City Council); Pinkett, Leon2 (City Council); Bullock, John (City Council); Costello, Eric (City Council); Sneed, Shannon (City Council)
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Dear Mayor Young,

My name is Rebecca Lippy and I teach 3rd grade at Lakeland Elementary School and live in Patterson Park neighborhood. In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021.

Investment in programs such as the Affordable Housing Trust Fund, Baltimore Children and Youth Fund, Safe Streets Baltimore, the Office of Employment and Development, or the Department of Health will have a measurable and lasting impact on public health and safety. Our students deserve the funds to be successful and have increased resources available to help them in this difficult and unprecedented time. Thank you for your consideration of our talented and deserving students.

Best,
Rebecca Lippy

Sent from my iPhone

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Luke Sabracos <lukesabracos@icloud.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 5:58 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Cc: Bernard C Jack Young; Clarke, MaryPat (City Council); Reisinger, Edward (City Council); Stokes, Robert (City Council); Burnett, Kristerfer (City Council); Middleton, Sharon (City Council); Henry, Bill (email); McCray, Danielle (City Council); City Council President; Cohen, Zeke (City Council); Dorsey, Ryan (City Council); Schleifer, Isaac (City Council); Pinkett, Leon2 (City Council); Bullock, John (City Council); Costello, Eric (City Council); Sneed, Shannon (City Council)
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Dear Mayor Young,

My name is Luke Spencer Sabracos. In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021.

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Best,
Luke Sabracos

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Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Genevieve DeBell <gvvdbl@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 5:57 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Cc: Bernard C Jack Young; Clarke, MaryPat (City Council); Reisinger, Edward (City Council); Stokes, Robert (City Council); Burnett, Kristerfer (City Council); Middleton, Sharon (City Council); Henry, Bill (email); McCray, Danielle (City Council); City Council President; Cohen, Zeke (City Council); Dorsey, Ryan (City Council); Schleifer, Isaac (City Council); Pinkett, Leon2 (City Council); Bullock, John (City Council); Costello, Eric (City Council); Sneed, Shannon (City Council)
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Dear Mayor Young,

My name is Genevieve DeBell. In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021.

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Best,
Genevieve DeBell

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Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Katie Shaver <katieanns168@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 5:49 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Cc: Bernard C Jack Young; Clarke, MaryPat (City Council); Reisinger, Edward (City Council); Stokes, Robert (City Council); Burnett, Kristerfer (City Council); Middleton, Sharon (City Council); Henry, Bill (email); McCray, Danielle (City Council); City Council President; Cohen, Zeke (City Council); Dorsey, Ryan (City Council); Schleifer, Isaac (City Council); Pinkett, Leon2 (City Council); Bullock, John (City Council); Costello, Eric (City Council); Sneed, Shannon (City Council)
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Dear Mayor Young,

My name is Katie Shaver. In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021.

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Best,
Katie Shaver

Sent from my iPhone

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Alexis Oler <alexus82610@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 5:43 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Cc: Bernard C Jack Young; Clarke, MaryPat (City Council); Reisinger, Edward (City Council); Stokes, Robert (City Council); Burnett, Kristerfer (City Council); Middleton, Sharon (City Council); Henry, Bill (email); McCray, Danielle (City Council); City Council President; Cohen, Zeke (City Council); Dorsey, Ryan (City Council); Schleifer, Isaac (City Council); Pinkett, Leon2 (City Council); Bullock, John (City Council); Costello, Eric (City Council); Sneed, Shannon (City Council)
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Dear Mayor Young,

My name is Alexis Albany Oler. In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021.

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Best,

Alexus Oler

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Jacob Greene <jacobgreene24@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 5:43 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
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Dear Mayor Young,

My name is Jacob Greene. In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021.

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Best,
Jacob Greene
Concerned citizen of Baltimore

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Isabel Aldana <izaldana@icloud.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 5:41 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Cc: Bernard C Jack Young; Clarke, MaryPat (City Council); Reisinger, Edward (City Council); Stokes, Robert (City Council); Burnett, Kristerfer (City Council); Middleton, Sharon (City Council); Henry, Bill (email); McCray, Danielle (City Council); City Council President; Cohen, Zeke (City Council); Dorsey, Ryan (City Council); Schleifer, Isaac (City Council); Pinkett, Leon2 (City Council); Bullock, John (City Council); Costello, Eric (City Council); Sneed, Shannon (City Council)
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Dear Mayor Young,

My name is Isabel Aldana. In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021.

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Best,
Isabel Aldana

Sent from my iPhone

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Jesse Masinter <jesse.masinter@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 5:33 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Cc: Bernard C Jack Young; Clarke, MaryPat (City Council); Reisinger, Edward (City Council); Stokes, Robert (City Council); Burnett, Kristerfer (City Council); Middleton, Sharon (City Council); Henry, Bill (email); McCray, Danielle (City Council); City Council President; Cohen, Zeke (City Council); Dorsey, Ryan (City Council); Schleifer, Isaac (City Council); Pinkett, Leon2 (City Council); Bullock, John (City Council); Costello, Eric (City Council); Sneed, Shannon (City Council)
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Dear Mayor Young, My name is Jesse Masinter. In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021. Investment in programs such as the Affordable Housing Trust Fund, Baltimore Children and Youth Fund, Safe Streets Baltimore, the Office of Employment and Development, or the Department of Health will have a measurable and lasting impact on public health and safety. Best,
Jesse Masinter

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Sianne Powe <siannepowe@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 5:29 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Cc: Bernard C Jack Young; Clarke, MaryPat (City Council); Reisinger, Edward (City Council); Stokes, Robert (City Council); Burnett, Kristerfer (City Council); Middleton, Sharon (City Council); Henry, Bill (email); McCray, Danielle (City Council); City Council President; Cohen, Zeke (City Council); Dorsey, Ryan (City Council); Schleifer, Isaac (City Council); Pinkett, Leon2 (City Council); Bullock, John (City Council); Costello, Eric (City Council); Sneed, Shannon (City Council)
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Dear Mayor Young,

My name is Sianne Powe. In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021.

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Best,
Sianne Powe

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Esmeralda Lopez <ilovepeace98@hotmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 5:28 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Cc: Bernard C Jack Young; Clarke, MaryPat (City Council); Reisinger, Edward (City Council); Stokes, Robert (City Council); Burnett, Kristerfer (City Council); Middleton, Sharon (City Council); Henry, Bill (email); McCray, Danielle (City Council); City Council President; Cohen, Zeke (City Council); Dorsey, Ryan (City Council); Schleifer, Isaac (City Council); Pinkett, Leon2 (City Council); Bullock, John (City Council); Costello, Eric (City Council); Sneed, Shannon (City Council)
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Dear Mayor Young,

My name is Esmeralda Lopez. In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021.

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Best,
Esmeralda Lopez

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Avril Smith <avrirocks345@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 5:27 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Cc: Bernard C Jack Young; Clarke, MaryPat (City Council); Reisinger, Edward (City Council); Stokes, Robert (City Council); Burnett, Kristerfer (City Council); Middleton, Sharon (City Council); Henry, Bill (email); McCray, Danielle (City Council); City Council President; Cohen, Zeke (City Council); Dorsey, Ryan (City Council); Schleifer, Isaac (City Council); Pinkett, Leon2 (City Council); Bullock, John (City Council); Costello, Eric (City Council); Sneed, Shannon (City Council)
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Dear Mayor Young,

My name is Avril Smith. In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021.

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Best,

Sent from my iPhone

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Marguerite <margdavgreen@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 5:27 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
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Dear Mayor Young,

My name is Marguerite Davids. In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021.

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Best,
Marguerite

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Daniel Arguero <danielarguero@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 5:26 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Cc: Bernard C Jack Young; Clarke, MaryPat (City Council); Reisinger, Edward (City Council); Stokes, Robert (City Council); Burnett, Kristerfer (City Council); Middleton, Sharon (City Council); Henry, Bill (email); McCray, Danielle (City Council); City Council President; Cohen, Zeke (City Council); Dorsey, Ryan (City Council); Schleifer, Isaac (City Council); Pinkett, Leon2 (City Council); Bullock, John (City Council); Costello, Eric (City Council); Sneed, Shannon (City Council)
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Dear Mayor Young,

My name is Daniel Arguero. In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021.

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Best,

Daniel Arguero

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Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Avipsa Hamal <avipsahamal7@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 5:25 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Cc: Bernard C Jack Young; Clarke, MaryPat (City Council); Reisinger, Edward (City Council); Stokes, Robert (City Council); Burnett, Kristerfer (City Council); Middleton, Sharon (City Council); Henry, Bill (email); McCray, Danielle (City Council); City Council President; Cohen, Zeke (City Council); Dorsey, Ryan (City Council); Schleifer, Isaac (City Council); Pinkett, Leon2 (City Council); Bullock, John (City Council); Costello, Eric (City Council); Sneed, Shannon (City Council)
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Dear Mayor Young,

My name is Avipsa Hamal. In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021.

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Best,

Sent from my iPhone

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: melanie johnson <mj6hs@virginia.edu>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 5:23 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Cc: Bernard C Jack Young; Clarke, MaryPat (City Council); Reisinger, Edward (City Council); Stokes, Robert (City Council); Burnett, Kristerfer (City Council); Middleton, Sharon (City Council); Henry, Bill (email); McCray, Danielle (City Council); City Council President; Cohen, Zeke (City Council); Dorsey, Ryan (City Council); Schleifer, Isaac (City Council); Pinkett, Leon2 (City Council); Bullock, John (City Council); Costello, Eric (City Council); Sneed, Shannon (City Council)
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My name is Melanie Johnson. In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021.

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Best,
Melanie Johnson

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Steve Malvaso <stephen.malvaso@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 5:23 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Cc: Bernard C Jack Young; Clarke, MaryPat (City Council); Reisinger, Edward (City Council); Stokes, Robert (City Council); Burnett, Kristerfer (City Council); Middleton, Sharon (City Council); Henry, Bill (email); McCray, Danielle (City Council); City Council President; Cohen, Zeke (City Council); Dorsey, Ryan (City Council); Schleifer, Isaac (City Council); Pinkett, Leon2 (City Council); Bullock, John (City Council); Costello, Eric (City Council); Sneed, Shannon (City Council)
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Dear Mayor Young,

My name is Stephen Malvaso. In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021.

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Best,

- Stephen Malvaso

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Davis Pfund <dpfund@udel.edu>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 5:17 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Cc: Bernard C Jack Young; Clarke, MaryPat (City Council); Reisinger, Edward (City Council); Stokes, Robert (City Council); Burnett, Kristerfer (City Council); Middleton, Sharon (City Council); Henry, Bill (email); McCray, Danielle (City Council); City Council President; Cohen, Zeke (City Council); Dorsey, Ryan (City Council); Schleifer, Isaac (City Council); Pinkett, Leon2 (City Council); Bullock, John (City Council); Costello, Eric (City Council); Sneed, Shannon (City Council)
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Dear Mayor Young,

My name is Davis Pfund. In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021.

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Best,
Davis

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Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Liz H <hoeyel@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 5:17 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Cc: Bernard C Jack Young; City Council President; Costello, Eric (City Council); jamesmb9188@gmail.com
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Dear Mayor Young and Councilman Costello,

My name is Liz Hoey, my husband's name is James Bailey (copied), and we live at 843 N Howard St, Apartment 1. In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. We urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021.

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Best,
Liz Hoey and James Bailey

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: lulu shankle <oliviashankle01@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 5:14 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Cc: Bernard C Jack Young; Clarke, MaryPat (City Council); Reisinger, Edward (City Council); Stokes, Robert (City Council); Burnett, Kristerfer (City Council); Middleton, Sharon (City Council); Henry, Bill (email); McCray, Danielle (City Council); City Council President; Cohen, Zeke (City Council); Dorsey, Ryan (City Council); Schleifer, Isaac (City Council); Pinkett, Leon2 (City Council); Bullock, John (City Council); Costello, Eric (City Council); Sneed, Shannon (City Council)
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Dear Mayor Young,

My name is Olivia Shankle. In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021.

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Best,
Olivia Shankle

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Kennedy P (KENspiracy) <praileauk@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 5:10 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Cc: Bernard C Jack Young; Clarke, MaryPat (City Council); Reisinger, Edward (City Council); Stokes, Robert (City Council); Burnett, Kristerfer (City Council); Middleton, Sharon (City Council); Henry, Bill (email); McCray, Danielle (City Council); City Council President; Cohen, Zeke (City Council); Dorsey, Ryan (City Council); Schleifer, Isaac (City Council); Pinkett, Leon2 (City Council); Bullock, John (City Council); Costello, Eric (City Council); Sneed, Shannon (City Council)
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Dear Mayor Young,

My name is Kennedy Praileau . In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021.

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Best,

Kennedy Praileau

Sent from my iPhone

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Courtney Cooper <courtneywynncooper@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 5:08 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Cc: Bernard C Jack Young; Clarke, MaryPat (City Council); Reisinger, Edward (City Council); Stokes, Robert (City Council); Burnett, Kristerfer (City Council); Middleton, Sharon (City Council); Henry, Bill (email); McCray, Danielle (City Council); City Council President; Cohen, Zeke (City Council); Dorsey, Ryan (City Council); Schleifer, Isaac (City Council); Pinkett, Leon2 (City Council); Bullock, John (City Council); Costello, Eric (City Council); Sneed, Shannon (City Council)
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Dear Mayor Young,

My name is Courtney. In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021.

Investment in programs such as the Affordable Housing Trust Fund, Baltimore Children and Youth Fund, Safe Streets Baltimore, the Office of Employment and Development, or the Department of Health will have a measurable and lasting impact on public health and safety.

Best,
Courtney

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Laura LaCroix <karina.l2552@icloud.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 5:03 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Cc: Bernard C Jack Young; Clarke, MaryPat (City Council); Reisinger, Edward (City Council); Stokes, Robert (City Council); Burnett, Kristerfer (City Council); Middleton, Sharon (City Council); Henry, Bill (email); McCray, Danielle (City Council); City Council President; Cohen, Zeke (City Council); Dorsey, Ryan (City Council); Schleifer, Isaac (City Council); Pinkett, Leon2 (City Council); Bullock, John (City Council); Costello, Eric (City Council); Sneed, Shannon (City Council)
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Dear Mayor Young,

My name is Karina LaCroix. In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021.

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Best,
Karina LaCroix

Sent from my iPhone

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Durmowicz, Casey <cdurmowi@highpoint.edu>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 5:03 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Cc: Bernard C Jack Young; Clarke, MaryPat (City Council); Reisinger, Edward (City Council); Stokes, Robert (City Council); Burnett, Kristerfer (City Council); Middleton, Sharon (City Council); Henry, Bill (email); McCray, Danielle (City Council); City Council President; Cohen, Zeke (City Council); Dorsey, Ryan (City Council); Schleifer, Isaac (City Council); Pinkett, Leon2 (City Council); Bullock, John (City Council); Costello, Eric (City Council); Sneed, Shannon (City Council)
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Dear Mayor Young,

My name is Casey Durmowicz. In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021.

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Best,

Casey Durmowicz

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Connor Boone <booneconnor45@icloud.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 5:02 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Cc: Bernard C Jack Young; Clarke, MaryPat (City Council); Reisinger, Edward (City Council); Stokes, Robert (City Council); Burnett, Kristerfer (City Council); Middleton, Sharon (City Council); Henry, Bill (email); McCray, Danielle (City Council); City Council President; Cohen, Zeke (City Council); Dorsey, Ryan (City Council); Schleifer, Isaac (City Council); Pinkett, Leon2 (City Council); Bullock, John (City Council); Costello, Eric (City Council); Sneed, Shannon (City Council)
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Dear Mayor Young,

My name is Connor Boone. In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021.

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Best,

Sent from my iPhone

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Ricardo Michel <ricardo2010michel@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 4:59 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Cc: Bernard C Jack Young; Clarke, MaryPat (City Council); Reisinger, Edward (City Council); Stokes, Robert (City Council); Burnett, Kristerfer (City Council); Middleton, Sharon (City Council); Henry, Bill (email); McCray, Danielle (City Council); City Council President; Cohen, Zeke (City Council); Dorsey, Ryan (City Council); Schleifer, Isaac (City Council); Pinkett, Leon2 (City Council); Bullock, John (City Council); Costello, Eric (City Council); Sneed, Shannon (City Council)
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Dear Mayor Young,

My name is [Ricardo]. In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021.

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Best, Ricardo

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Rose Pollard <rosepollard@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 4:56 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Cc: Bernard C Jack Young; Clarke, MaryPat (City Council); Reisinger, Edward (City Council); Stokes, Robert (City Council); Burnett, Kristerfer (City Council); Middleton, Sharon (City Council); Henry, Bill (email); McCray, Danielle (City Council); City Council President; Cohen, Zeke (City Council); Dorsey, Ryan (City Council); Schleifer, Isaac (City Council); Pinkett, Leon2 (City Council); Bullock, John (City Council); Costello, Eric (City Council); Sneed, Shannon (City Council)
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Apologies on the template-based message. It sent before I was ready, however I strongly believe in the message it contains. I urge you to act in response.

Sincerely,
Rose Pollard

> On Jun 8, 2020, at 4:38 PM, Rose Pollard <rosepollard@gmail.com> wrote:

>

> Dear Mayor Young,

>

> My name is [YOUR FULL NAME]. In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021.

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> Best,

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Christopher Aguirre <chrismaguirre@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 4:56 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Cc: Bernard C Jack Young; Clarke, MaryPat (City Council); Reisinger, Edward (City Council); Stokes, Robert (City Council); Burnett, Kristerfer (City Council); Middleton, Sharon (City Council); Henry, Bill (email); McCray, Danielle (City Council); City Council President; Cohen, Zeke (City Council); Dorsey, Ryan (City Council); Schleifer, Isaac (City Council); Pinkett, Leon2 (City Council); Bullock, John (City Council); Costello, Eric (City Council); Sneed, Shannon (City Council)
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Dear Mayor Young,

My name is Christopher Aguirre. In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021.

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Best,
Christopher Aguirre

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Gloria Richardson <gloririchardson@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 4:47 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Cc: Bernard C Jack Young; Clarke, MaryPat (City Council); Reisinger, Edward (City Council); Stokes, Robert (City Council); Burnett, Kristerfer (City Council); Middleton, Sharon (City Council); Henry, Bill (email); McCray, Danielle (City Council); City Council President; Cohen, Zeke (City Council); Dorsey, Ryan (City Council); Schleifer, Isaac (City Council); Pinkett, Leon2 (City Council); Bullock, John (City Council); Costello, Eric (City Council); Sneed, Shannon (City Council)
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Dear Mayor Young,

My name is Gloria Richardson. In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021.

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Best,

Sent from my iPhone

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Taylor Mitchell <taylor.mitchell22@yahoo.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 4:44 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Cc: Bernard C Jack Young; Clarke, MaryPat (City Council); Reisinger, Edward (City Council); Stokes, Robert (City Council); Burnett, Kristerfer (City Council); Middleton, Sharon (City Council); Henry, Bill (email); McCray, Danielle (City Council); City Council President; Cohen, Zeke (City Council); Dorsey, Ryan (City Council); Schleifer, Isaac (City Council); Pinkett, Leon2 (City Council); Bullock, John (City Council); Costello, Eric (City Council); Sneed, Shannon (City Council)
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Dear Mayor Young,

My name is Taylor Mitchell. In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021.

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Best,
Taylor

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Roni B <ronibobbi33@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 4:43 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Cc: Bernard C Jack Young; Clarke, MaryPat (City Council); Reisinger, Edward (City Council); Stokes, Robert (City Council); Burnett, Kristerfer (City Council); Middleton, Sharon (City Council); Henry, Bill (email); McCray, Danielle (City Council); City Council President; Cohen, Zeke (City Council); Dorsey, Ryan (City Council); Schleifer, Isaac (City Council); Pinkett, Leon2 (City Council); Bullock, John (City Council); Costello, Eric (City Council); Sneed, Shannon (City Council)
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Dear Mayor Young,

My name is Ronika Bobbitt. In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021.

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Best,

Ronika Bobbitt

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Jonnathan Medina <jonnathan.medina@yahoo.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 4:40 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
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Dear Mayor Young,

My name is Jonnathan Medina. In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021.

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Best,

Jonnathan Medina

Enviado desde mi iPhone

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Noah Suttner <noahsuttner@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 4:41 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Cc: Bernard C Jack Young; Clarke, MaryPat (City Council); Reisinger, Edward (City Council); Stokes, Robert (City Council); Burnett, Kristerfer (City Council); Middleton, Sharon (City Council); Henry, Bill (email); McCray, Danielle (City Council); City Council President; Cohen, Zeke (City Council); Dorsey, Ryan (City Council); Schleifer, Isaac (City Council); Pinkett, Leon2 (City Council); Bullock, John (City Council); Costello, Eric (City Council); Sneed, Shannon (City Council)
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Dear Mayor Young, My name is Noah J Suttner. In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021. Investment in programs such as the Affordable Housing Trust Fund, Baltimore Children and Youth Fund, Safe Streets Baltimore, the Office of Employment and Development, or the Department of Health will have a measurable and lasting impact on public health and safety. Best,

-NJS

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Adrian Bailey <baileyam72@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 4:40 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Cc: Bernard C Jack Young; Clarke, MaryPat (City Council); Reisinger, Edward (City Council); Stokes, Robert (City Council); Burnett, Kristerfer (City Council); Middleton, Sharon (City Council); Henry, Bill (email); McCray, Danielle (City Council); City Council President; Cohen, Zeke (City Council); Dorsey, Ryan (City Council); Schleifer, Isaac (City Council); Pinkett, Leon2 (City Council); Bullock, John (City Council); Costello, Eric (City Council); Sneed, Shannon (City Council)
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Dear Mayor Young,

My name is Adrian Michele Bailey In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021.

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Best, Adrian Bailey

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Dear Mayor Young,

My name is [YOUR FULL NAME]. In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021.

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Best,

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Catrina Williams <catrina_may05@icloud.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 4:37 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Cc: Bernard C Jack Young; Clarke, MaryPat (City Council); Reisinger, Edward (City Council); Stokes, Robert (City Council); Burnett, Kristerfer (City Council); Middleton, Sharon (City Council); Henry, Bill (email); McCray, Danielle (City Council); City Council President; Cohen, Zeke (City Council); Dorsey, Ryan (City Council); Schleifer, Isaac (City Council); Pinkett, Leon2 (City Council); Bullock, John (City Council); Costello, Eric (City Council); Sneed, Shannon (City Council)
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Dear Mayor Young,

My name is Catrina Williams. In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021.

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Best,

Catrina Williams

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Michael Bittner <michaeljbittner@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 4:35 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Cc: Bernard C Jack Young; Clarke, MaryPat (City Council); Reisinger, Edward (City Council); Stokes, Robert (City Council); Burnett, Kristerfer (City Council); Middleton, Sharon (City Council); Henry, Bill (email); McCray, Danielle (City Council); City Council President; Cohen, Zeke (City Council); Dorsey, Ryan (City Council); Schleifer, Isaac (City Council); Pinkett, Leon2 (City Council); Bullock, John (City Council); Costello, Eric (City Council); Sneed, Shannon (City Council)
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Dear Mayor Young,

My name is Michael Bittner. In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021.

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Best,
Michael Bittner.

Currin, Marguerite (City Council)

From: Ladan Savar <lsavar@mica.edu>
Sent: Monday, June 8, 2020 4:32 PM
To: Currin, Marguerite (City Council)
Cc: Bernard C Jack Young; Clarke, MaryPat (City Council); Reisinger, Edward (City Council); Stokes, Robert (City Council); Burnett, Kristerfer (City Council); Middleton, Sharon (City Council); Henry, Bill (email); McCray, Danielle (City Council); City Council President; Cohen, Zeke (City Council); Dorsey, Ryan (City Council); Schleifer, Isaac (City Council); Pinkett, Leon2 (City Council); Bullock, John (City Council); Costello, Eric (City Council); Sneed, Shannon (City Council)
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Dear Mayor Young,

My name is Ladan Savar. In the midst of a pandemic and public outcry against police brutality, it is inappropriate to propose increases to the Baltimore Police Department budget. I urge you to reallocate the Baltimore City Expense Budget, divest interest in the BPD, and invest in social services and education programs, effective for FY 2021.

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Best,
Ladan Savar.