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R	AGENCY NAME & ADDRESS	Department of Transportation (DOT) 417 E Fayette Street, Room 527	BALTIMORE	
М	SUBJECT	City Council Bill 19-0143R	мемо	A REAL PROPERTY.

DATE: 4/26/19

TO: Ex Officio Mayor Bernard C. "Jack" Young

TO: Judiciary & Legislative Investigations Committee

FROM: Department of Transportation

POSITION: Support

RE: Council Bill - 19-0143R

**INTRODUCTION** – Investigatory Hearing - Agency Permitting Processes

<u>PURPOSE/PLANS</u> – For the purpose of inviting the heads of the Department of Finance, Department of Public Works, Department of Transportation, Health Department, the Department of Housing and Community Development, Mayor's Office of Information Technology, and representatives of the Baltimore Police Department and the Baltimore City Fire Department to provide information about their agencies' permitting and licensing processes.

<u>COMMENTS</u> – This resolution calls for an investigatory hearing into the permitting processes of various municipal agencies. The Department of Transportation is responsible for many permits issued by the City of Baltimore, including but not limited to: curb cuts, special events, block parties, street closures, conduit access, etc. The Department of Transportation is ready and willing to provide the City Council more information on our various permitting processes that impact Baltimore's citizens, businesses, institutions and stakeholders.

<u>AGENCY/DEPARTMENT POSITION</u> – The Department of Transportation Supports City Council resolution 19-0143R.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact Liam Davis at Liam.Davis@baltimorecity.gov or at 410-545-3207.

Sincerely,

Frank Murphy Acting Director

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