

**CITY OF BALTIMORE**  
**ORDINANCE \_\_\_\_\_**  
**Council Bill 06-0337**

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Introduced by: The Council President  
At the request of: The Administration (Department of Planning)  
Introduced and read first time: February 6, 2006  
Assigned to: Land Use and Transportation Committee

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Committee Report: Favorable with amendments  
Council action: Adopted  
Read second time: June 12, 2006

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**AN ORDINANCE CONCERNING**

**Zoning – Maps and Profiles**

FOR the purpose of authorizing the conversion, maintenance, and updating of zoning maps and profiles in digital format, subject to certain requirements; legalizing those maps and profiles; and generally relating to maps and profiles adopted under and as part of the Zoning Code of Baltimore City.

BY repealing and reordaining, with amendments

Article - Zoning  
Section(s) 2-202  
Baltimore City Revised Code  
(Edition 2000)

**SECTION 1. BE IT ORDAINED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF BALTIMORE,** That the Laws of Baltimore City read as follows:

**Baltimore City Revised Code**

**Article – Zoning**

**§ 2-202. Maps and profiles [made] part of article.**

(a) *In general.*

The zoning maps, flood plain overlay maps, and flood profiles adopted under this article are incorporated in and made a part of this article as fully as if they were set forth and described in this article.

(b) ~~{Evidence of authenticity}~~ ~~DIGITAL FORMAT AUTHORIZED.~~

{As evidence of the authenticity of these maps and profiles, each is to be signed by the Mayor and by the President of the City Council.}

**EXPLANATION:** CAPITALS indicate matter added to existing law.  
[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.  
Underlining indicates matter added to the bill by amendment.  
~~Strike out~~ indicates matter stricken from the bill by amendment or deleted from existing law by amendment.

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1        (C) DIGITAL FORMAT AUTHORIZED.

2            (1) THE ZONING ADMINISTRATOR MAY CONVERT THESE MAPS AND PROFILES INTO, AND  
3            MAINTAIN AND PERIODICALLY UPDATE THEM IN, A GEOGRAPHIC DATABASE OR OTHER  
4            DIGITAL FORMAT THAT IS CAPABLE OF DEPICTING THE ZONING LINES; AND  
5            DESIGNATIONS; ~~AND RELATED INFORMATION~~ IN BOTH ELECTRONIC AND PRINTED  
6            FORMS.

7            (2) ~~MAPS~~ ON CERTIFICATION BY THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC WORKS, THE MAPS AND  
8            PROFILES CONVERTED TO A DIGITAL FORMAT UNDER THIS SUBSECTION:

9            (I) ARE LEGALIZED FOR PURPOSES OF THE ZONING CODE OF BALTIMORE CITY; AND

10           (II) MAY BE TAKEN BY ALL PUBLIC OFFICIALS AND OTHERS AS EVIDENCE OF THE  
11           ORIGINAL MAPS AND PROFILES ADOPTED UNDER THIS ARTICLE.

12        **SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED,** That the catchlines contained in this Ordinance  
13        are not law and may not be considered to have been enacted as a part of this or any prior  
14        Ordinance.

15        **SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED,** That this Ordinance takes effect on the 30<sup>th</sup> day  
16        after the date it is enacted.

Certified as duly passed this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_

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President, Baltimore City Council

Certified as duly delivered to His Honor, the Mayor,  
this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_

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Chief Clerk

Approved this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_

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Mayor, Baltimore City