

CITY OF BALTIMORE
ORDINANCE _____
Council Bill 23-0427

Introduced by: Councilmembers Cohen and Bullock
Introduced and read first time: September 19, 2023
Assigned to: Public Safety and Government Operations Committee

Committee Report: Favorable
Council action: Adopted
Read second time: April 8, 2024

AN ORDINANCE CONCERNING

Baltimore Police Department – Trauma-Informed Care Training

FOR the purpose of adding the Baltimore Police Department to the list of City agencies who are required to designate 2 agency staff members to participate in certain trauma-informed training and activities.

BY amending

Article 1 - Mayor, City Council, and Municipal Agencies
Section 22-21(a)(2)
Baltimore City 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 Code

Article 1. Mayor, City Council, and Municipal Agencies

Subtitle 22. Children, Youth, and Families

Part IV. Trauma-informed Care; Trauma-Responsiveness

§ 22-21. Trauma-informed care training.

(a) *Definitions.*

(2) *Agency.*

“Agency” means:

(i) the Baltimore City Fire Department;

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 (ii) the Baltimore City Parking Authority;
- 2 (III) THE BALTIMORE POLICE DEPARTMENT;
- 3 (IV) [(iii)] the Department of Finance;
- 4 (V) [(iv)] the Department of Law;
- 5 (VI) [(v)] the Department of Housing and Community Development;
- 6 (VII) [(vi)] the Department of Planning;
- 7 (VIII) [(vii)] the Department of Public Works;
- 8 (IX) [(viii)] the Department of Recreation and Parks;
- 9 (X) [(ix)] the Department of Transportation;
- 10 (XI) [(x)] the Environmental Control Board;
- 11 (XII) [(xi)] the Enoch Pratt Free Library of Baltimore City;
- 12 (XIII) [(xii)] the Mayor's Office of Criminal Justice;
- 13 (XIV) [(xiii)] the Mayor's Office of Employment Development; and
- 14 (XV) [(xiv)] the Mayor's Office of Homeless Services.

15 **SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED,** That this Ordinance takes effect on the 30th day
16 after the date it is enacted.

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Certified as duly passed this 15 day of April, 2024



President, Baltimore City Council

Certified as duly delivered to His Honor, the Mayor,

this 15 day of April, 2024



Chief Clerk

Approved this 24 day of April, 2024



Mayor, Baltimore City