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	AGENCY NAME & ADDRESS	DEPARTMENT OF PLANNING 417 EAST FAYETTE STREET, 8 <sup>TH</sup> FLOOR
	SUBJECT	CCB #09-0176R THE CYCLISTS' BILL OF RIGHTS

CITY of  
BALTIMORE  
**MEMO**



**TO**

DATE: October 26, 2010

The Honorable President and Members of the City Council  
City Hall, Room 400  
100 N. Holliday Street

The Department of Planning has received City Council Bill #09-0176R . This legislation is “For the purpose of reaffirming support for efforts to improve conditions for cyclists and encouraging more widespread awareness of the “Cyclists Bill of Rights”.”

Baltimore’s cycling community is vibrant and growing, and it needs the City’s support. Cycling as transportation and recreation is an important component of a forward thinking, livable city that attracts people of all ages and backgrounds. This resolution reaffirms the City’s commitment to cycling and to a balanced, multimodal transportation system that provides residents and visitors with a range of choices.

This bill supports the Sustainability Plan, the Bicycle Masterplan and the Comprehensive Master Plan, LIVE Goal # 3 Improve Transportation Access, Accessibility and Choice for City Residents; EARN Goal #3, “Improve Access to Jobs and Transportation Linkages between Businesses;” and LEARN Goal #4, Objective #1, “Improve Pedestrian and Bicycle Access to Schools and Libraries.”

Therefore, the Department of Planning recommends approval of CCB #09-0176R.

If you have questions regarding this matter, please contact Gary Letteron, Environmental Planner with the Office of Sustainability, at 410-396-4369.

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- cc: Ms. Kaliope Parthemos, Deputy Mayor
- Ms. Sophie Dagenais, Chief of Staff
- Ms. Angela Gibson, Mayor's Office
- Ms. Karen Randle, City Council Services
- Mr. Khalil Zaied, Director, DOT
- Mr. Nate Evans, Bicycle Planner, DOT
- Councilman Bill Henry, 4<sup>th</sup> District Representative
- Mr. Wilbur “Bill” Cunningham, Chairman, Planning Commission

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