



August 21, 2013

Honorable President Bernard Young
Members of the City Council
Baltimore City Council
100 N. Holliday Street
Baltimore, Maryland 21202

RE: **Council Bill # 13-0229**
City Streets – Naming and Renaming Various Driveways in Druid Hill Park

Dear President Young:

The Baltimore City Department of Recreation and Parks **supports** this legislation that would result in a clearer, more logical roadway system for motorists and pedestrians to navigate through the park. The bill consolidates multiple single block street names to create more continuous park streets along Beechwood Drive, Swann Drive, Mansion House Drive, East Drive, Grove, Red Road, Mountain Pass, Shop Road, Hillway and Three Sisters Lane.

The former Recreation and Parks Advisory Board reviewed and approved this naming request. The Friends of Druid Hill Park and the Maryland Zoo in Baltimore have provided letters of support.

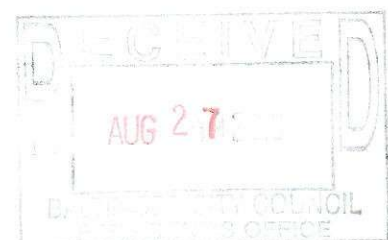
The Department of Recreation and Parks **supports Council Bill # 13-0229.**

Respectfully yours,


Ernest W. Burkeen, Jr.
Director

EWB:VSO

Cc: Angela Gibson, Liaison to City Council



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