



BALTIMORE CITY
DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING &
COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

MEMORANDUM

To: The Honorable President and Members of the Baltimore City Council
c/o Natawna Austin, Executive Secretary

From: Michael Braverman, Housing Commissioner

Date: August 10, 2020

Re: **City Council Resolution 20-0217R Informational Hearing – Sanitization of Buildings**

The Department of Housing and Community Development (DHCD) has reviewed City Council Resolution 20-0217R for the purpose of inviting the Housing Authority of Baltimore City and firms that co-own affordable housing with the Authority, under the Rental Assistance Demonstration Program, as well as the managers of multi-family housing units regulated by HUD, to report to the City Council regarding how common areas of the buildings in these programs are sanitized during the COVID-19 pandemic.

DHCD has no authority for the upkeep and sanitization of buildings owned and/or operated by the Housing Authority of Baltimore City.

DHCD takes **no position** on City Council Resolution 20-0217R.

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cc: Mr. Blendy, Nicholas, *Mayor's Office of Government Relations*