

FROM	NAME & TITLE	THOMAS J. STOSUR, DIRECTOR	CITY of BALTIMORE MEMO	
	AGENCY NAME & ADDRESS	DEPARTMENT OF PLANNING 8 TH FLOOR, 417 EAST FAYETTE STREET		
	SUBJECT	CITY COUNCIL BILL #17-0035 / CITY STREETS – CLOSING-WEST TRENTON STREET		

TO

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

DATE: April 3, 2017

The Department of Planning has been asked to review City Council Bill #17-0035, for the purpose of condemning and closing West Trenton Street, extending from Shirk Alley Westerly 135 feet, more or less, toward Falls Road, as shown on Plat 61-A-30A in the Office of the Department of Transportation; and providing for a special effective date.

This proposed street closing is part of the site assembly for the MICA campus. They own the properties abutting this portion of Trenton Street and would incorporate it into future campus expansion. On October 17, 2013, the Planning Commission voted to approve that this portion of Trenton Street was no longer needed for public purpose. The Department of Planning has no objection to this and recommends approval of City Council Bill #17-0035.

If you have any questions, please contact Mr. Wolde Ararsa, Division Chief, Land Use and Urban Design Division at 410-396-4488.

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Attachment

cc: Mr. Pete Hammen, Chief Operating Officer
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