

Council Bill 16-0301R

- 1 • expand capacity for permitting review and establish deadlines for permit review and
2 processing for stormwater projects that will be utilized by the City in meeting
3 regulatory compliance;
- 4 • establish the following policies on the review and decision-making process for
5 Stormwater Management & Erosion and Sediment Control permits for voluntary
6 (non-regulatory) restoration projects:
 - 7 o 30-day maximum for projects under 5,000 square feet / 100 cubic yards
8 treatment
 - 9 o 45-day maximum for all other projects
 - 10 o Communicate any 'roadblocks' to advancing these initiatives (i.e., hiring
11 procedures, recruitment, etc.)
- 12 • ensure that revenue collected via Stormwater Enterprise Fund utility fees are
13 identified and tracked online in a simple format that is updated quarterly throughout
14 planning, design, and construction in a way that the general public can review and
15 comprehend.

16 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF BALTIMORE**, that the
17 Council calls on the Departments of Public Works and Finance to take steps to expedite
18 stormwater management projects funded by the Stormwater Enterprise Fund and otherwise, and
19 to send representatives to report to the Council on how these funds can be most effectively,
20 quickly, and efficiently used to promote improved water quality and healthier neighborhoods.

21 **AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, That a copy of this Resolution be sent to the Mayor, the
22 Director of Public Works, the Director of Finance, the Director of the Bureau of Budget and
23 Management Research, and the Mayor’s Legislative Liaison to the City Council.