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City Council Bill 14-0173R Informational Hearing – New Citywide Street Sweeping Plan





TO

DATE

June 13, 2014

The Honorable President and Members of City Council City Hall 4th floor 100 N. Holliday Street

Please be advised of the following comments offered on behalf of the Baltimore Office of Sustainability (BoS). The CoS has reviewed the City Council Bill #14-0173R Informational Hearing –New Citywide Street Sweeping Plan bill and is offering the following comments.

The intent of this bill addresses the following goals of the Baltimore Sustainability Plan as approved by City Council on March 2, 2009:

- Cleanliness Goal 1: Eliminate litter throughout the City
- Cleanliness Goal 2: Sustain a clean and maintained appearance of public land
- Pollution Prevention Goal 3: Ensure that Baltimore water bodies are fishable and swimmable
- Greening Goal 4: Protect Baltimore's ecology and biodiversity
- Green Economy Goal 4: Raise Baltimore's profile as a forward thinking, green city

The Office of Sustainability supports the expansion of the City's Street Sweeping Program and it is the consensus of the Office of Sustainability to support City Council Bill # 14-0362.

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