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	SUBJECT	City Council Bill 20-0510		

TO: Mayor Bernard C. “Jack” Young  
TO: Health Committee  
FROM: Department of Transportation  
POSITION: No Objection  
RE: Council Bill – 20-0510

DATE: 7/13/20

**INTRODUCTION** – Trauma-Informed Care Task Force Composition - Revisions and Clarifications

**PURPOSE/PLANS** – For the purpose of adding 2 educators with experience within the Baltimore City Public School System to the Trauma-Informed Care Task Force; clarifying that one Councilmember appointed to the Task Force have substantial experience as an educator with the Baltimore City Public School System; clarifying that one Councilmember appointed to the Task Force have substantial experience as a parent with the Baltimore City Public School System; clarifying that the appointed Councilmember with substantial experience as an educator shall be co-chair of the Task Force; conforming and correcting related provisions; and providing for a special effective date.

**COMMENTS** – Council Bill 20-0510 amends recently passed Council Bill 19-0410, the Baltimore City Trauma-Responsive Care Act. The amendments look to increase the task force from 28 members to 30 members, adding two members to the task force with experience as educators in Baltimore City Public Schools. Furthermore, this bill amends the section specifying City Council representation on the task force to include one Councilmember with experience teaching in Baltimore City Public Schools and one Councilmember who is a parent of a student of Baltimore City Public Schools.

**AGENCY/DEPARTMENT POSITION** – The Department of Transportation foresees no immediate direct fiscal or operational impact resulting from the advancement of Council Bill 20-0510. For this reason, the Department of Transportation has **no objection** to City Council bill 20-0510.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact Liam Davis at [Liam.Davis@baltimorecity.gov](mailto:Liam.Davis@baltimorecity.gov) or at 410-545-3207.

Sincerely,

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Director