



BALTIMORE HOUSING

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Mayor

PAUL T. GRAZIANO
Executive Director, HABC
Commissioner, HCD

MEMORANDUM

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

From: Paul T. Graziano, Commissioner

Date: March 4, 2008

Re: City Council Bill 08-0006 – Baltimore City Landmark List – Bolton Square

The Department of Housing and Community Development (DHCD) has reviewed City Council Bill 08-0006, which was introduced for the purpose of designating Bolton Square, located at 1400 to 1420 Mason Street, 300 to 310 West Lafayette Avenue, 236 to 250 West Lafayette Avenue, and 1401 to 1421 Jordan Street, as a Baltimore City Historic Landmark.

Celebrating its 40th anniversary last year, Bolton Square is a thirty five townhouse development designed by architect Hugh Newell Jacobsen. The development was recognized by the Baltimore Chapter of the AIA, the Chamber of Commerce of Metropolitan Baltimore, and Home for Better Living Program. In 1969, it won the Honor Award from the American Institute of Architects, the nation's highest award for excellence in architecture.

With these items discussed and resolved, the Department of Housing and Community Development supports adoption of City Council Bill 08-0006.

PTG:pmd

cc: Ms. Angela Gibson
Mr. Demaune Millard

