

MEMORANDUM

TO:

Honorable President and Members of the City Council

Attention: Natawna Austin, Executive Secretary

FROM:

William H. Cole, President and CEO

Baltimore Development Corporation

DATE:

November 4, 2015

SUBJECT:

City Council Bill No. 15-0580

Baltimore City Landmark List: Exteriors – American Legion Federal Post #19

The Baltimore Development Corporation (BDC) has been asked to comment on Council Bill 15-0580, Baltimore City Landmark List-American Legion Federal Post #19, as an historic landmark: exterior. BDC supports this Bill which calls for the American Legion Post #19, located at 1502 Madison Avenue, to be designated as a historic landmark.

The appropriate preservation of buildings, structures, sites and neighborhoods that possess aesthetic, historic and architectural value can positively impact the City's economy by maintaining rich social and historic urban fabric while simultaneously providing a catalyst for new development and capital investment.

BDC respectfully request that favorable consideration is given by the City Council.

cc:

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