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	SUBJECT	City Council Resolution # 13-0126R		

TO The Honorable President and
Members of the City Council
C/O Karen Randle
Room 409, City Hall

DATE:
November 5, 2013

Attention: Karen Randle

CCB 13-0126R – Privatized Tax Collection

Analysis

The Finance Department routinely outsources billing functions, including information systems, ACH processing and check processing. However, the Department believes that privatization is not an option under the City Charter. The Charter places the responsibility of tax and revenue collections with the Department of Finance.

“The Director shall receive, collect, and account for all moneys due the City and deposit these moneys in depositories selected by the Board of Finance.” Article VII, 12(a) Baltimore City Charter.

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Recommendation

The Department of Finance opposes Resolution 13-0126R.

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