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## DEPARTMENT OF RECREATION AND PARKS

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Honorable President Bernard Young Members of the City Council Baltimore City Council 100 N. Holliday Street Baltimore, Maryland 21202

> RE: Council Bill # 11-0274R Corporate Sponsorship of City Assets

Dear President Young:

The Baltimore City Department of Recreation and Parks supports Council Bill # 11-0274R that is for the purpose of calling for a hearing to explore the City's current utilization of public/private partnerships, determine if sponsorship of City assets can legally be sold, and discuss which assets could best be used to increase corporate sponsorship of City activities.

We support the intent of this Bill. BCRP looks forward to participating in the hearing to not only exchange ideas and experiences but to discuss the legalities involved in public/private partnerships as well as sponsorship of City assets.

The Department of Recreation and Parks supports Council Bill # 11-0274R.

Respectfully yours,

Gregory Bayor/nso

Director

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Cc: Angela Gibson, Liaison to City Council



