

MEMORANDUM

The Honorable President and Members of the Baltimore City Council To:

c/o Karen Randle, Executive Secretary

From: Paul T. Graziano, Commissioner

Date: September 16, 2010

City Council Bill 10-0514 - City Streets - Closing - Woodall Street and Re:

Clemm Street

The Department of Housing and Community Development has reviewed City Council Bill 10-0514, which was introduced for the purpose of condemning and closing (1) Woodall Street, extending from Fort Avenue, southwesterly to Clemm Street, and (2) Clemm Street, extending from Key Highway, southwesterly to the southeastern most extremity thereof, as shown on Plat 335-A-31B in the Office of the Department of General Services.

City Council Bill 10-0514 and its companion bill (CCB #10-515), if approved, would condemn, close to public use, and authorize the sale of portions of Clemm and Woodall Streets. Chesapeake Paperboard Centre, LLC would like to legally incorporate the unimproved portion of Clemm Street into the development site and would like to use the portion of Woodall Street as a private street accessing the development. A new access road from the development to Key Highway is located to the north of Clemm and Woodall Streets.

The Department of Housing and Community Development has no objection to the adoption of City Council Bill 10-0514.

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Ms. Angela Gibson, Mayor's Office of Government Relations cc:

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