

CITY OF BALTIMORE
ORDINANCE 25 -051
Council Bill 25-0072

Introduced by: Councilmember Bullock
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Introduced and read first time: May 12, 2025
Assigned to: Land Use and Transportation Committee
Committee Report: Favorable
Council action: Adopted
Read second time: September 29, 2025

AN ORDINANCE CONCERNING

1 **Zoning – Conditional Use Conversion of Single-Family Dwelling Units to 2 Dwelling Units**
2 **Each in the R-8 Zoning District – 1703 and 1709 Edmondson Avenue**

3 FOR the purpose of permitting, subject to certain conditions, the conversion of a single-family
4 dwelling unit to 2 dwelling units in the R-8 Zoning District on the property known as 1703
5 Edmondson Avenue (Block 0121, Lot 017) and a single-family dwelling unit to 2 dwelling
6 units in the R-8 Zoning District on the property known as 1709 Edmondson Avenue
7 (Block 0121, Lot 020), as outlined in red on the accompanying plat; granting variances
8 regarding off-street parking requirements; and providing for a special effective date.

9 BY authority of

10 Article 32 - Zoning
11 Section(s) 5-201(a), 5-305(a), 5-308, 9-701(2), 9-703(f), 16-203, and 16-602 (Table 16-406)
12 Baltimore City Revised Code
13 (Edition 2000)

14 **SECTION 1. BE IT ORDAINED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF BALTIMORE**, That
15 permission is granted for the conversion of a single-family dwelling unit to 2 dwelling units in
16 the R-8 Zoning District on the property known as 1703 Edmondson Avenue (Block 0121,
17 Lot 017) and a single-family dwelling unit to 2 dwelling units in the R-8 Zoning District on the
18 property known as 1709 Edmondson Avenue (Block 0121, Lot 020) as outlined in red on the plat
19 accompanying this Ordinance (together, "the properties"), in accordance with Baltimore City
20 Zoning Code §§ 5-201(a) and 9-701(2), subject to the condition that the buildings comply with
21 all applicable federal, state, and local licensing and certification requirements.

22 **SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED**, That pursuant to the authority granted by
23 §§ 5-305(a) and 5-308 of Article 32 - Zoning, permission is granted for a variance at the
24 properties from the requirements of §§ 9-703(f), 16-203, and 16-602 (Table 16-406: Required
25 Off-Street Parking) for off-street parking.

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS indicate matter added to existing law.
[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.
Underlining indicates matter added to the bill by amendment.
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amendment or deleted from existing law by amendment.

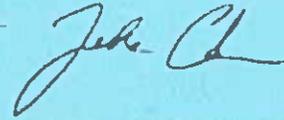
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1 **SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED,** That as evidence of the authenticity of the
2 accompanying plat and in order to give notice to the agencies that administer the City Zoning
3 Ordinance: (i) when the City Council passes this Ordinance, the President of the City Council
4 shall sign the plat; (ii) when the Mayor approves this Ordinance, the Mayor shall sign the plat;
5 and (iii) the Director of Finance then shall transmit a copy of this Ordinance and the plat to the
6 Board of Municipal and Zoning Appeals, the Planning Commission, the Commissioner of
7 Housing and Community Development, the Supervisor of Assessments for Baltimore City, and
8 the Zoning Administrator.

9 **SECTION 4. AND BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED,** That this Ordinance takes effect on the date it is
10 enacted.

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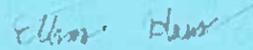
Certified as duly passed this 20th day of October, 2025



President, Baltimore City Council

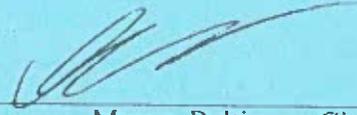
Certified as duly delivered to His Honor, the Mayor,

this 21st day of October, 2025



Chief Clerk

Approved this 23 day of October, 2025

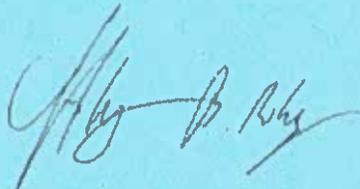


Mayor, Baltimore City

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Director of Finance

Approved for Form and Legal Sufficiency,

this 22nd day of October, 2025



Chief Solicitor