


The Baltimore City Department of  
**HOUSING & COMMUNITY  
DEVELOPMENT**

## MEMORANDUM

To: The Honorable President and Members of the Baltimore City Council  
c/o Natawna Austin, Executive Secretary

From: Michael Braverman, Housing Commissioner 

Date: June 11, 2018

Re: **City Council Bill 18-0174 - City Streets – Closing – Brunt Court and Certain Alleys  
Bounded by Robert Street, Division Street, Wilson Street, and Brunt Street**

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The Department of Housing and Community Development (HCD) has reviewed City Council Bill 18-0174, for the purpose of condemning and closing Brunt Court and certain alleys of varying widths bounded by Robert Street, Division Street, Wilson Street, and Brunt Street, as shown on Plat 326-A-31A in the Office of the Department of Transportation; and providing for a special effective date.

If enacted, this bill would support the construction of a new townhomes and a multi-family apartment building and the renovation of existing properties in the Upton neighborhood.

The Department of Housing and Community Development strongly encourages the passage of City Council Bill 18-0174.

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cc: Ms. Karen Stokes, *Mayor's Office of Government Relations*  
Mr. Kyron Banks, *Mayor's Office of Government Relations*