



MEMORANDUM

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

From: Andy Frank, Real Estate Officer,

Date: May 18, 2022

Re: 22-0198 – City Property - Naming the Baltimore City Health Department Building to the Dr. Maxie T. Collier Health Department Building

Position: Support

The Department of Real Estate is reporting on CCB 22-0198 – City Property - Naming the Baltimore City Health Department Building to the Dr. Maxie T. Collier Health Department Building. The purpose of the bill is to rename the Baltimore City Health Department Building, located at 1001 East Fayette Street, to the Dr. Maxie T. Collier Health Department Building.

Background

Dr. Maxie T. Collier was the first African-American health commissioner for Baltimore City. His legacy includes championing needle-exchange programs, life-saving prenatal care programs, and raising awareness of the importance mental health care in Black and Brown communities.

Dr. Collier's contributions to the City of Baltimore deserve to be acknowledged and remembered.

The Department of Real Estate supports the passage of CCB 22-0198.

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