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TO	The Honorable President and Members of the Baltimore City Council
FROM	Corren Johnson, Director – Department of Transportation
DATE	October 3, 2024
SUBJECT	24-0588 An Ordinance concerning an area of special signage control – Designation – Stadium Area

Position: No Objection

Introduction

For the purpose of approving the application of the Baltimore Ravens Limited Partnership to designate an Area of Special Signage Control known as the Stadium Area District; and providing for a special effective date.

DOT Analysis

Council Bill 24-0588 would establish a new area of special signage control in the Stadium Area, just west of the M&T Bank Stadium. Portions of the property within the proposed area known as the Stadium Area District would be converted to the C-5-DC zoning district under Council Bill 24-0589. Additionally, Council Bill 24-0590 would allow for the erection of signage on freestanding poles in said zoning district (C-5-DC). Therefore, signage on freestanding poles would be allowed within the proposed Stadium Area District. The Department has no objection to either of the associated Council Bills (24-0589 or 24-0590).

Conclusion

The Department foresees no fiscal or operational impact and has no objections to the advancement of Council Bill 24-0588.