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| F R O M | NAME & TITLE | Steve Sharkey, Director | CITY of BALTIMORE M E M O |  |
| | AGENCY NAME & ADDRESS | Department of Transportation (DOT) 417 E Fayette Street, Room 527 | | |
| | SUBJECT | City Council Bill 22-0223 | | |

TO: Mayor Brandon M. Scott
TO: Economic & Community Development Committee
FROM: Department of Transportation
POSITION: **No Objection**
RE: Council Bill – 22-0223

DATE: 9/19/22

INTRODUCTION – Downtown Management District and Downtown Management Authority

PURPOSE/PLANS – For the purpose of renewing and continuing the Downtown Management District and Downtown Management Authority, subject to certain conditions, for an additional 5 years; generally relating to the activities and authority of the Downtown Management District and Downtown Management Authority; and providing for a special effective date.

COMMENTS – Council Bill 22-0223 seeks authorization to renew and extend operation of the existing Downtown Management District and Downtown Management Authority. Baltimore's Downtown Management District and Downtown Management Authority, both operated by Downtown Partnership of Baltimore since their inception, must be authorized via City Council Ordinance every 5 years. This legislation would reauthorize the Downtown Management District and Downtown Management Authority for an additional 5 years, though FY27.

AGENCY/DEPARTMENT POSITION – Baltimore City DOT foresees no operational or fiscal impact resulting from the legislation and has **no objection** towards the advancement of Council Bill 22-0223.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact Liam Davis at Liam.Davis@baltimorecity.gov or at 410-545-3207.

Sincerely,

Steve Sharkey
Director