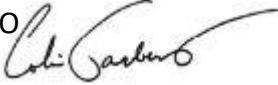




MEMORANDUM

DATE: August 15, 2023
TO: Economic and Community Development Committee
FROM: Colin Tarbert, President and CEO
POSITION: No Objection
SUBJECT: Council Bill 23-0412 – City Property – Renaming Playground at Hanlon Park After Ruby K. Couch



INTRODUCTION

The Baltimore Development Corporation (BDC) is reporting on City Council Bill 23-0412 introduced by Councilmember Torrence.

PURPOSE

The intent of the council bill is to rename the city park, Hanlon Park, located at 2731 North Longwood Street to Ruby K. Couch Playground.

BRIEF HISTORY

Mrs. Ruby K. Couch was known for her long-time dedication to the Hanlon area. Mrs. Couch served in several community leadership positions and advocated for the betterment of the greater Hanlon community. Renaming the playground will memorialize her lifelong dedication to the community and helping others.

FISCAL IMPACT

None

AGENCY POSITION

The Baltimore Development Corporation respectfully takes **No Objection** to City Council Bill 23-0412. If you have any questions, please contact Kim Clark at 410-837-9305 or KClark@baltimoredevelopment.com.

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