| E           | NAME & TITLE          | Michelle Pourciau, Director                                       | CITY of   | 16   |
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|             | SUBJECT               | City Council Bill Report 18-0225                                  | MEMO      | No. of the last of |

DATE: May 4, 2018

TO: Mayor Catherine E. Pugh

TO: Respective City Council Housing and Urban Affairs Committee

FROM: Department of Transportation

POSITION: Support

RE: Council Bill 18-0225 - City Streets - Closing - Eastbourne Avenue and a Portion of Savage

Street

<u>INTRODUCTION</u> – For the purpose of condemning and closing Eastbourne Avenue, lying between Rappallo Street and Savage Street, and a portion of Savage Street, extending from the north side of Holabird Avenue northerly 659 feet, more or less, to the northernmost extremity of it, as shown on Plat 337-A-27A in the Office of the Department of Transportation; and providing for a special effective date.

<u>PURPOSE/PLANS</u> – This bill will allow for developer RELP Holabird, LLC to consolidate their lots and enlarge an existing Peterbilt Trucking franchise.

**BRIEF HISTORY** – The portion of streets to be closed bisect the properties and the closings will allow for consolidation of the lots, this closing will formally and legally allow this to occur. The opening and closing of streets and alleys are covered under Article 26, Subtitle 3 – Opening, Widening, Closing Streets of the Baltimore City Code.

<u>AGENCY/DEPARTMENT POSITION</u> – The Department of Transportation supports City Council Bill 18-0225, and respectfully requests a favorable report.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact Mr. David Framm, he may be reached at david.framm@baltimorecity.gov or 410-396-5023.

Sincerely,

Michelle Pourciau

Director