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The Honorable President and Members of the Baltimore City Council c/o Karen Randle, Executive Secretary Room 409, City Hall 100 N. Holliday Street Baltimore, Maryland 21202

> City Council Bill 11-0746 - City Property - Renaming Franklin Square Park to Re: Delegate Ruth M. Kirk Park at Franklin Square

Dear President and City Council Members:

The Law Department has reviewed City Council Bill 11-0746, which would rename Franklin Square Park to Delegate Ruth M. Kirk Park at Franklin Square. The bill is consistent with § 20-2 of Article 5 of the City Code, which provides that "City property shall be named or renamed by an ordinance of the Mayor and City Council."

Accordingly, the Law Department would approve Council Bill 11-0746 for form and legal sufficiency.

Very truly yours.

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