

**CITY OF BALTIMORE
COUNCIL BILL 11-0705
(First Reader)**

Introduced by: The Council President
At the request of: The Administration (Department of Finance)
Introduced and read first time: May 23, 2011
Assigned to: Budget and Appropriations Committee

REFERRED TO THE FOLLOWING AGENCIES: Department of Finance, Department of General Services, Board of Estimates

A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ORDINANCE concerning

2 **Supplementary Federal Fund Grant Appropriation –**
3 **Department of General Services – \$190,500**

4 FOR the purpose of providing a Supplementary Federal Fund Grant Appropriation in the amount
5 of \$190,500 to the Department of General Services (Account # 9916-909015-9194), to
6 provide funding to underwrite a collaborative effort between the Department of General
7 Services and the Johns Hopkins University Office of Sustainability to promote energy
8 conservation by Baltimore City nonprofit organizations; and providing for a special effective
9 date.

10 By authority of
11 Article VI - Board of Estimates
12 Section 8(b)(2) and (c)
13 Baltimore City Charter
14 (1996 Edition)

15 **Recitals**

16 The revenue appropriated by this Ordinance represents a grant from the U.S. Environmental
17 Protection Agency (EPA) Climate Showcase in excess of the revenue relied on by the Board of
18 Estimates in determining the tax levy required to balance the budget for Fiscal Year 2011.

19 That grant could not have been expected with reasonable certainty when the Ordinance of
20 Estimates for Fiscal Year 2011 was formulated.

21 On April 20, 2011, the Board of Estimates recommended this appropriation to the City
22 Council.

23 **SECTION 1. BE IT ORDAINED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF BALTIMORE,** That
24 \$190,500 shall be made available to the Department of General Services (Account # 9916-
25 909015-9194) as a Supplementary Federal Fund Grant Appropriation for Fiscal Year 2011, to
26 provide funding to underwrite a collaborative effort between the Department of General Services
27 and the Johns Hopkins University Office of Sustainability to promote energy conservation by
28 Baltimore City nonprofit organizations. The source of revenue for this appropriation is the grant

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS indicate matter added to existing law.
[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.

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1 from the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) Climate Showcase in excess of the
2 amount from this source that was relied on by the Board of Estimates in determining the tax levy
3 required to balance the budget for Fiscal Year 2011.

4 **SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED,** That this Ordinance takes effect on the date it
5 is enacted.