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	AGENCY NAME & ADDRESS	DEPARTMENT OF PLANNING 417 EAST FAYETTE STREET, 8 TH FLOOR
	SUBJECT	CCB #09-0376/SUPPLEMENTAL FEDERAL FUND CAPITAL APPROPRIATION – DEPT. OF TRANSPORTATION – \$1,590,000

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DATE:

August 18, 2009

The Honorable President and Members of the City Council City Hall, Room 400 100 N. Holliday Street

The Department of Planning has received City Council Bill #09-0376 for the purpose of providing a Supplementary Federal Fund Capital Appropriation in the amount of \$1,590,000 to the Department of Transportation (Account #9950-904663-9508), to provide funding for the purchase of a ferry boat and to make pier improvements.

A grant from the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act will fund these purchases and targeted improvements will support Baltimore's Inner Harbor Connector ferry boat operation. Moreover, this effort is consistent with Baltimore City's Comprehensive Master Plan in that it supports Goal 3, Objective:1under the Earn category to improve access to jobs and mitigate traffic congestion.

Therefore, the Department of Planning recommends approval of City Council Bill #09-0376. If you have questions, please contact Mr. Wolde Ararsa, Division Chief of Land Use and Urban Design at 410-396-4488.

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Attachment

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