



TO: Marie McSweeney Anderson

FROM: Jennifer L. Coates, Committee Staff, Committee on Economic and Community Development

DATE: October 25, 2022

RE: **INSTRUCTIONS FOR ADVERTISING A PUBLIC HEARING FOR AN URBAN RENEWAL BILL**

- A. City Council **Bill No. 22-0226** is scheduled for a public hearing via WEBEX and in person at City Hall, 100 N. Holliday Street, 4th Floor; Baltimore, Maryland 21202 on **December 13, 2022 at 2:20 P.M.**
- B. At the expense of the person who requested this urban renewal plan amendment, the following requirements must be met.
1. **NEWSPAPER ADVERTISING** - Publication of notice of hearing **once a week for two consecutive weeks prior to the date of the hearing**. You may advertise in any of the following newspapers: The Daily Record, Baltimore Sun, or Afro-American.
 2. **POSTING OF A SIGN** - Notice of the public hearing shall be posted in the neighborhood involved at least **10 days prior to the hearing**. The sign is to be not less than 4 feet long and 3 feet wide with black lettering 2 inches high on a white background. The sign should be placed in a conspicuous manner.
 3. **NOTIFICATION OF PROPERTY OWNER(S)** - Any owner of property whose property is identified in legislation for acquisition by the City must be sent a letter, by ordinary mail, notifying the owner of the hearing. **The owner must receive the notice one week prior to the hearing date**. (For further information contact Survey Control Section, Department of Public Works 410-396-3641).
 4. **NOTIFICATION OF COMMUNITY GROUPS** - Under provision of certain urban renewal plans, community groups **or Project Area Committees (PACS) must be notified in writing of the public hearing ten 10 days in advance**. To find out if such a provision is contained in this plan, contact Chad Hayes (Chad.Hayes@baltimorecity.gov or 410-396-7526) at the Department of Planning.

5. **NOTIFICATION OF AFFECTED DEVELOPERS** - Under provision of certain urban renewal plans, the owner of any land previously disposed of by the Department of Housing & Community Development and whose interest is materially affected by a plan amendment, **must receive written notice of the hearing 10 days prior to the hearing date.**

6. **OTHER REQUIREMENTS** - There may be other notification or advertising requirements particular to an urban renewal plan. Please review the urban renewal plan associated with this bill.

7. **COPIES OF REQUIREMENTS** - Copies of all the advertising, sign posting certificate, and other notification requirements must be received by Natawna B. Austin, Executive Secretary, Baltimore City Council, **2 days prior to the public hearing.**

C. A list of advertising firms available to make signs as required in B-2 (above) is attached for your information.

AS OUTLINED ON THE PREVIOUS PAGE, THE INFORMATION BETWEEN THE DOUBLE LINES **MUST BE ADVERTISED IN A NEWSPAPER**, ONCE A WEEK FOR TWO CONSECUTIVE WEEKS, **DURING THE WEEKS OF NOVEMBER 27, 2022 AND DECEMBER 4, 2022. A SIGN MUST BE POSTED ON THE PROPERTY BY DECEMBER 2, 2022.**

**BALTIMORE CITY COUNCIL
PUBLIC HEARING ON BILL NO. 22-0226**

The Economic and Community Development Committee of the Baltimore City Council will meet on Tuesday, December 13, 2022 at 2:20 P.M. to conduct a public hearing on City Council Bill No. 22-0226. The Committee will conduct the hearing virtually via Webex and in person at City Hall, 100 N. Holliday Street, 4th Floor, Baltimore, Maryland. Information on how the public can participate in the hearing virtually, via WEBEX, will be available at <https://baltimore.legistar.com/Calendar.aspx>.

CC 22-0226 Urban Renewal - Charles North - Renewal Area Designation and Urban Renewal Plan

For the purpose of repealing the existing Charles/North Revitalization Area Urban Renewal Plan and replacing it by designating as a “Renewal Area” an area situated in Baltimore City, Maryland known as Charles North, bounded generally by Falls Road on the west, West Lanvale Street and Interstate 83 on the south, Calvert Street and Hargrove Street on the east, and West 22nd Street and West 23rd Street on the north; establishing the objectives of the Urban Renewal Plan; establishing permitted land uses in the Renewal Area; providing that where there might be conflict between the provisions of the Urban Renewal Plan and the provisions of any Planned Unit Development, the provisions of the Planned Unit Development control; providing review requirements and controls for all plans for new construction; providing that the provisions of the Baltimore City Zoning Code apply to the properties in the Urban Renewal Area; establishing controls for off-street parking facilities; authorizing the conditions for acquisition of properties in the Urban Renewal Area; providing for review by the Department of Housing and Community Development of development or rehabilitation plans in the Urban Renewal Area with respect to their conformance with the provisions of the Urban Renewal Plan; providing for community notification of any permit application for the development or redevelopment of any property within the boundaries of the Urban Renewal Area; creating disposition lots and providing for specific controls on specific lots; providing for the term of the Urban Renewal Plan; providing for community review of all proposed amendments to the Urban Renewal Plan; making provisions of this Ordinance severable; approving appendices and exhibits to the Urban Renewal Plan; waiving certain content and procedural requirements; providing for the application of the Ordinance in conjunction with certain other ordinances; and providing for a special effective date.

By authority of

Article 13 - Housing and Urban Renewal
Section 2-6
Baltimore City Code
(Edition 2000)

NOTE:

This bill is subject to amendment by the Baltimore City Council. Documents constituting the plan are available for inspection at the Baltimore City Department of Legislative Reference via appointment by calling (410) 396-4730 and selecting Option #2.

Sharon Green Middleton
Chair

SEND CERTIFICATION OF PUBLICATION TO:

Natawna B. Austin
Baltimore City Council
Room 409, City Hall
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Baltimore, MD 21202
410-396-1697

SEND BILL FOR THIS ADVERTISEMENT TO:

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