

The Baltimore City Department of  
**HOUSING & COMMUNITY  
DEVELOPMENT**

**MEMORANDUM**

To: The Honorable President and Members of the Baltimore City Council  
c/o Natawna Austin, Executive Secretary

From: Michael Braverman, Housing Commissioner



Date: November 16, 2017

Re: **City Council Bill 17-0166 - York Road Retail Business District – License Fees – Reversion to Annual Collection**

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The Department of Housing and Community Development (HCD) has reviewed City Council Bill 17-0166, for the purpose of changing the semiannual license fee collection period for the York Road Retail Business District to conform with the annual collection period applicable to all other Retail Business Districts; clarifying and conforming related provisions; providing for a special effective date; and generally relating to the operations of Retail Business Districts.

The Department of Housing and Community Development has no objection to the passage of City Council Bill 17-0166.

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cc: Ms. Karen Stokes, *Mayor's Office of Government Relations*  
Mr. Kyron Banks, *Mayor's Office of Government Relations*