

MEMORANDUM

TO:

Honorable President and Members of the City Council

Attention: Karen Randle, Executive Secretary

FROM:

Brenda McKenzie, President and CEO

DATE:

June 23, 2014

SUBJECT:

City Council Bill No. 14-0390

Urban Renewal - Druid Heights - Amendment

The Baltimore Development Corporation (BDC) has been asked to comment on *Council Bill 14-0380 – Urban Renewal – Druid Heights – Amendment*__, for the purpose of amending the Urban Renewal Plan for Druid Heights. The BDC supports this Bill which calls for the reauthorization of the acquisition of properties in the Project Area.

This amendment for reauthorization is necessary to the Urban Renewal Plan for Druid Heights so that the current powers and actions of acquisition and condemnation be allowed to continue under Maryland law. Therefore, BDC respectively request favorable consideration be given by the City Council.

cc:

Colin Tarbert Angela Gibson

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