

**CITY OF BALTIMORE
COUNCIL BILL 14-0152R
(Resolution)**

Introduced by: Councilmember Clarke, President Young, Councilmembers Holton, Stokes, Kraft,
Scott, Henry, Middleton, Branch, Reisinger, Cole, Mosby
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Assigned to: Land Use and Transportation Committee
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A COUNCIL RESOLUTION CONCERNING

**Revisiting Mayor and City Council Resolution 10-27 (Council Bill 09-0433) – Street and
Transportation Projects – Complete Streets**

FOR the purpose of calling on the Department of Transportation and the Department of Planning
to appear before the City Council to discuss the status and application of “Complete Streets”
principles to the planning, design, and construction of all new City transportation
improvement projects.

Recitals

WHEREAS, ~~The Mayor and City Council adopted Resolution 09-0433~~ Mayor and City
Council Resolution 10-27 “Street and Transportation Projects - Complete Streets” was enacted
on November 22, 2010, directing that the Department of Transportation and the Department of
Planning plan for, design, and construct all new City transportation improvement projects to
provide appropriate accommodations for pedestrians, bicyclists, transit riders, motorists, and
persons of all abilities, while promoting safe operation for all users.

WHEREAS, The Department of Transportation was required by Mayor and City Council
Resolution ~~09-0433~~ 10-27 “Street and Transportation Projects - Complete Streets” to provide
annual reports on the implementation of Complete Streets principles.

WHEREAS, The Department of Transportation was directed to incorporate Complete Streets
principles, as applicable, into all Department plans, manuals, rules, regulations, and programs.

WHEREAS, Complete Streets may be achieved through single projects or incrementally
through a series of smaller improvements over time, and it is the Mayor and City Council’s intent
that all sources of transportation funding be drawn on to implement Complete Streets.

WHEREAS, The Department of Transportation was directed to report to the Mayor and City
Council annually, on the anniversary of the effective date of Mayor and City Council Resolution
~~09-0433~~ 10-27, on the Department’s progress towards implementing Complete Streets
throughout Baltimore. Reports were to incorporate performance measures established to gauge
how well streets are serving all users.

EXPLANATION: Underlining indicates matter added by amendment.
~~Strike out~~ indicates matter stricken by amendment.

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1 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF BALTIMORE**, that the
2 Council calls on the City agencies concerned with Complete Streets in Baltimore to appear
3 before the City Council to discuss the status and application of “Complete Streets” principles to
4 the planning, design, and construction of all new City transportation improvement projects.

5 **AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, That a copy of this Resolution be sent to the Mayor, the
6 Department of Transportation, the Planning Commission, and the Mayor’s Legislative Liaison to
7 the City Council.