CITY OF BALTIMORE ORDINANCE Council Bill 25-0007

Introduced by: The Council President

At the request of: The Administration (Department of Finance)

Introduced and read first time: January 13, 2025 Assigned to: Budget and Appropriations Committee

Committee Report: Favorable Council action: Adopted

Read second time: March 10, 2025

AN ORDINANCE CONCERNING

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3	FOR the purpose of providing a Supplementary Special Revenue Fund Operating Appropriation				
4	in the amount of \$270,000 to the Mayor's Office of Recovery Programming – Service 916				
5	(Opioid Restitution Administration), to provide funding for additional positions to oversee				
6	grants awarded through the Opioid Restitution Fund; and providing for a special effective				
7	date.				
8	By authority of				
9	Article VI - Board of Estimates				
10	Section 8(b)(2)(iii) and (c)				
11	Baltimore City Charter				
12	(1996 Edition)				
13	Recitals				
14	The revenue appropriated by this Ordinance represents \$270,000 from the Opioid Restitution				
15	Fund in excess of the revenue relied on by the Board of Estimates in determining the tax levy				
16	required to balance the budget for Fiscal Year 2025.				
17	This additional revenue could not have been reasonably anticipated when the Ordinance of				
18	Estimates for Fiscal Year 2025 was formulated.				
19	This appropriation is made necessary by a material change in circumstances since the				
20	Ordinance of Estimates for Fiscal Year 2025 was formulated or is for a new program that could				
21	not have been reasonably anticipated when that Ordinance of Estimates was formulated.				
22	On December 18, 2024, the Board of Estimates recommended this appropriation to the City				
23	Council.				

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS indicate matter added to existing law. [Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law. Underlining indicates matter added to the bill by amendment. Strike out indicates matter stricken from the bill by amendment or deleted from existing law by amendment.

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1	SECTION 1. BE IT ORDAINED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF BALTIMORE, That
2	\$270,000 shall be made available to the Mayor's Office of Recovery Programming – Service 916
3	(Opioid Restitution Administration) as a Supplementary Special Revenue Fund Operating
4	Appropriation for Fiscal Year 2025, to provide funding for additional positions to oversee grants
5	awarded through the Opioid Restitution Fund. The source of revenue for this appropriation is
6	\$270,000 from the Opioid Restitution Fund in excess of the amount from this source that was
7	relied on by the Board of Estimates in determining the tax levy required to balance the budget for
8	Fiscal Year 2025.

9 **SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED**, That this Ordinance takes effect on the date it is enacted.

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Certified as duly passed this 10th	day of	March	Jeke Ch		
			President, Baltimore City Council		
Certified as duly delivered to His	Honor, the	e Mayor,			
this 10th day of March	_, 20 <u>25</u>				
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			Chief Clerk		
Approved this 17th day of	March	_, 20 <u>25</u>			
			Brandon M. Scott		
			Mayor, Baltimore City		
Approved for Form and Legal Sufficiency,					
this 14th day of March , 2025					
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Chief Solicitor					

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