CITY OF BALTIMORE ORDINANCE 25 -0 0 2 Council Bill 25-0024

Introduced by: The Council President
At the request of: The Administration (Department of Finance)
Introduced and read first time: February 10, 2025
Assigned to: Budget and Appropriations Committee
Committee Report: Favorable, with amendments
Council action: Adopted
Read second time: February 24, 2025

AN ORDINANCE CONCERNING

1	Supplementary Special Revenue General Fund Operating Appropriation –		
2	Board of Elections – \$1,417,451		
3	FOR the purpose of providing a Supplementary Special Revenue General Fund Operating		
4	Appropriation in the amount of \$1,417,451 to the Board of Elections – Service 899 (Fair		
5	Conduct of Elections), to provide funding for emergency security equipment and unbudgeted		
6	mailing costs from 2024 elections; and providing for a special effective date.		
7	By authority of		
8	Article VI - Board of Estimates		
9	Section 8(b)(2)(i) 8(b)(2)(iii) and (c)		
10	Baltimore City Charter		
11	(1996 Edition)		
12	Recitals		
13	The revenue appropriated by this Ordinance represents \$1,417,451 in excess of the revenue		
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16	This additional revenue could not have been reasonably anticipated when the Ordinance of		
17	Estimates for Fiscal Year 2024 was formulated.		
18	The source of this additional revenue is Income Tax - State Collected.		
19	This appropriation is made necessary by a material change in circumstances since the		
20	Ordinance of Estimates for Fiscal Year 2024 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 February 5, 2025, 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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	SECTION 1. BE IT ORDAINED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF BALTIMORE, That
	\$1,417,451 shall be made available to the Board of Elections – Service 899 (Fair Conduct of
3	Elections) as a Supplementary Special Revenue General Fund Operating Appropriation for Fisca
1	Year 2024, to provide funding for emergency security equipment and unbudgeted mailing costs
,	from 2024 elections. The source of revenue for this appropriation is Income Tax - State
5	Collected in excess of the amount from this source that was relied on by the Board of Estimates
1	in determining the tax levy required to balance the budget for Fiscal Year 2024.

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 24th day of February	President, Baltimore City Council	
Certified as duly delivered to His Honor, the Mayor		
this 24th day of February , 2025	CHIEN Haring	
	Chief Clerk	
Approved this 6th day of March , 20 25	Arandon M Scott Mayor, Baltimore City	
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pproved for Form and Legal Sufficiency,		

Chief Solicitor

this 26th day of February

, 2025