



# BALTIMORE POLICE DEPARTMENT



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TO: The Honorable President and Members  
of the Baltimore City Council  
Room 400 City Hall  
**Attn. Karen Randle**

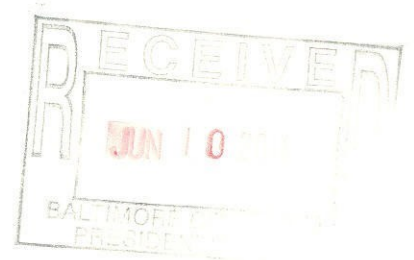
FROM: James H. Green, <sup>JHG</sup> Deputy Chief Legal Counsel  
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RE: City Council Bill No. 11-0715-Towing Service-Trespass Towing

The Baltimore Police Department (BPD) has reviewed City Council Bill No. 11-0715-Towing Service-Trespass Towing which proposes to modify the composition of the Trespass Towing Board and authorizes the Board to deny, suspend, revoke, or refuse to renew a license under certain circumstances and supports the bill as amended.

The proposed amendments as outlined by the City Solicitor's Office in their June 10, 2011 letter provides clarification in reference to the nature of complaint as an additional ground for sanction that would warrant notice and a resulting hearing before the Board. The Department also stands willing to assist in the City's collective efforts in this area and will continue to work to ensure the best and fairest services for our citizens. Thank you for the opportunity to comment on this legislation.

cc: Angela Gibson, Mayor's Legislative Liaison



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