

**CITY OF BALTIMORE  
COUNCIL BILL 22-0125R  
(Resolution)**

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Introduced by: Councilmember Burnett  
Introduced and read first time: August 15, 2022  
Assigned to: Economic and Community Development Committee

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Committee Report: Favorable  
Adopted: Adopted

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**A COUNCIL RESOLUTION CONCERNING**

1           **Informational Hearing - Occupancy Permits - Inspections and Code Enforcement**

2           FOR the purpose of requesting that representatives from the Department of Housing and  
3           Community Development, the Baltimore City Fire Department, and other interested parties  
4           appear before the Council to discuss the process of conducting building inspections and code  
5           enforcement prior to the issuance of an occupancy permit for a property in Baltimore City,  
6           problems that may occur during the process in connection with an unabated vacant building  
7           notice, and ways the process can be improved.

8           **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF BALTIMORE**, That the City  
9           Council requests that representatives from the Department of Housing and Community  
10          Development, the Baltimore City Fire Department, and other interested parties appear before the  
11          Council to discuss the process of conducting building inspections and code enforcement prior to  
12          the issuance of an occupancy permit for a property in Baltimore City, problems that may occur  
13          during the process in connection with an unabated vacant building notice, and ways the process  
14          can be improved.

15          **AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, That a copy of this Resolution be sent to the Director of the  
16          Department of Housing and Community Development, the Chief of the Baltimore City Fire  
17          Department, and the Mayor's Legislative Liaison to the City Council.

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