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DATE: 2/23/2024

TO: Mayor Brandon Scott

TO: Economic and Community Development Committee

FROM: Department of Transportation

POSITION: No Objection

SUBJECT: Council Bill 24-0486

TITLE - Zoning - Conditional Use Banquet Hall - Variance - 601 Cherry Hill Road

<u>PURPOSE</u> – For the purpose of permitting, subject to certain conditions, the establishment, maintenance, and operation of a banquet hall on the property known as 601 Cherry Hill Road (Block 7625, Lot 046), as outlined in red on the accompanying plat; granting a variance from offstreet parking requirements; and providing for a special effective date.

<u>COMMENTS</u> — The bill would facilitate a potentially more intensive land use than what is currently in effect. This new use may result in customers lingering at the establishment, which could have a minor impact on parking supply and turnover. The establishment's central location and proximity to multiple transit lines is likely to result in additional pedestrian activity. Overall, we do not anticipate significant traffic impacts.

<u>DOT POSTION</u> – The Department foresees no direct operational or fiscal impact resulting from this legislation. Therefore, we have **no objection** the advancement of Council Bill 24-0486.

Please do not hesitate to contact Liam Davis at <u>Liam.Davis@baltimorecity.gov</u> or at 410-545-3207 if you have any questions or concerns.

Sincerely,

Corren Johnson, Director