

**CITY OF BALTIMORE
COUNCIL BILL 22-0276
(First Reader)**

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Assigned to: Economic and Community Development Committee

REFERRED TO THE FOLLOWING AGENCIES: City Solicitor, Department of Planning, Board of Municipal and Zoning Appeals, Planning Commission, Fire Department, Baltimore Development Corporation, Parking Authority of Baltimore City, Department of Transportation

A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ORDINANCE concerning

2 **Zoning – Conditional Use Conversion of a Single-Family Dwelling Unit to**
3 **2 Dwelling Units in the R-8 Zoning District – Variances –**
4 **2722 Auchentoroly Terrace**

5 FOR the purpose of permitting, subject to certain conditions, the conversion of a single-family
6 dwelling unit to 2 dwelling units in the R-8 Zoning District on the property known as 2722
7 Auchentoroly Terrace (Block 3229, Lot 30), as outlined in red on the accompanying plat; and
8 granting variances from certain bulk regulations (lot area size) and required off-street parking
9 requirements..

10 BY authority of

11 Article - Zoning

12 Section(s) 5-201(a), 5-305(a), 5-308, 9-401 (Table 9-401), 9-701(2), 9-703(f), 16-203, and
13 16-602 (Table 16-406)

14 Baltimore City Revised Code
15 (Edition 2000)

16 **SECTION 1. BE IT ORDAINED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF BALTIMORE,** That
17 permission is granted for the conversion of a single-family dwelling unit to 2 dwelling units in
18 the R-8 Zoning District on the property known as 2722 Auchentoroly Terrace (Block 3229,
19 Lot 30), as outlined in red on the plat accompanying this Ordinance, in accordance with
20 Baltimore City Zoning Code §§ 5-201(a) and 9-701(2), subject to the condition that the building
21 complies with all applicable federal, state, and local licensing and certification requirements.

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS indicate matter added to existing law.
[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.

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1 **SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED,** That pursuant to the authority granted by
2 §§ 5-305(a) and 5-308 of the Zoning Code, permission is granted from the requirements of
3 § 9-401 (Table 9-401: Rowhouse and Multi-Family Residential Districts - Bulk and Yard
4 Regulations), as the minimum lot size requirement for 2 dwelling units, in the R-8 Zoning
5 District, is 1,500 square feet, and the lot area size is 1,200 square feet, more or less, thus
6 requiring a variance of 20%.

7 **SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED,** That pursuant to the authority granted by
8 §§ 5-305(a) and 5-308 of the Zoning Code, permission is granted for a variance from the
9 requirements of §§ 9-703(f), 16-203, and 16-602 (Table 16-406: Required Off-Street Parking) for
10 off-street parking.

11 **SECTION 4. AND BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED,** That as evidence of the authenticity of the
12 accompanying plat and in order to give notice to the agencies that administer the City Zoning
13 Ordinance: (i) when the City Council passes this Ordinance, the President of the City Council
14 shall sign the plat; (ii) when the Mayor approves this Ordinance, the Mayor shall sign the plat;
15 and (iii) the Director of Finance then shall transmit a copy of this Ordinance and the plat to the
16 Board of Municipal and Zoning Appeals, the Planning Commission, the Commissioner of
17 Housing and Community Development, the Supervisor of Assessments for Baltimore City, and
18 the Zoning Administrator.

19 **SECTION 5. AND BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED,** That this Ordinance takes effect on the 30th day
20 after the date it is enacted.