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| <b>F<br/>R<br/>O<br/>M</b> | NAME & TITLE          | Corren Johnson, Interim Director                                     | CITY of<br>BALTIMORE |  |
|                            | AGENCY NAME & ADDRESS | Department of Transportation (DOT)<br>417 E Fayette Street, Room 527 |                      |   |
|                            | SUBJECT               | City Council Bill 22-0279  | M E M O              |   |

TO: Mayor Brandon M. Scott  
TO: Economic & Community Development Committee  
FROM: Department of Transportation  
POSITION: **No Objection**  
RE: Council Bill – 22-0279

DATE: 12/5/22

**INTRODUCTION** – Urban Renewal - Coldstream Homestead Montebello – Amendment

**PURPOSE/PLANS** – For the purpose of amending the Urban Renewal Plan for Coldstream Homestead Montebello to reauthorize the acquisition of properties within the Project Area; waiving certain content and procedural requirements; making the provisions of this Ordinance severable; providing for the application of this Ordinance in conjunction with certain other ordinances; and providing for a special effective date.

**COMMENTS** – Council Bill 22-0279 seeks to amend the existing Urban Renewal Plan for Coldstream Homestead Montebello by extending the authorization for Baltimore City to acquire properties within the existing renewal area. The legislation effectively extends municipal authority for property acquisition within the Coldstream Homestead Montebello Urban Renewal Area through December 31, 2026.

**AGENCY/DEPARTMENT POSITION** – Baltimore City DOT does not foresee an immediate operational or fiscal impact resulting from the legislation and has **no objection** towards the advancement of Council Bill 22-0279.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact Liam Davis at [Liam.Davis@baltimorecity.gov](mailto:Liam.Davis@baltimorecity.gov) or at 410-545-3207.

Sincerely,

Corren Johnson  
Interim Director