

**CITY OF BALTIMORE**  
**ORDINANCE \_\_\_\_\_**  
**Council Bill 22-0282**

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Introduced by: The Council President  
At the request of: Department of Housing and Community Development  
Introduced and read first time: September 19, 2022  
Assigned to: Economic and Community Development Committee  
Committee Report: Favorable, with amendments  
Council action: Adopted  
Read second time: December 8, 2022

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**AN ORDINANCE CONCERNING**

**Urban Renewal – Oliver –  
Amendment 16**

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3 FOR the purpose of amending the Urban Renewal Plan for Oliver ~~to reauthorize the acquisition of~~  
4 ~~properties within the Project Area~~, to extend the life of the Plan; and to remove certain  
5 properties from the list in Appendices B and C; waiving certain content and procedural  
6 requirements; making the provisions of this Ordinance severable; providing for the  
7 application of this Ordinance in conjunction with certain other ordinances; and providing for  
8 a special effective date.

9 BY authority of  
10 Article 13 - Housing and Urban Renewal  
11 Section 2-6  
12 Baltimore City Code  
13 (Edition 2000)

**Recitals**

15 The Urban Renewal Plan for Oliver was originally approved by the Mayor and City Council  
16 of Baltimore by Ordinance 71-1067 and last amended by Ordinance 18-196.

17 An amendment to the Urban Renewal Plan for Oliver is necessary ~~to reauthorize the Plan's~~  
18 ~~powers of acquisition and condemnation so that these actions may legally continue, in~~  
19 ~~compliance with § 12-105.1 of the Real Property Article of the Annotated Code of Maryland~~; to  
20 extend the life of the Plan; and to remove certain properties from the lists in Appendices B and C.

21 Under Article 13, § 2-6 of the Baltimore City Code, no change may be made in any approved  
22 renewal plan unless the change is approved in the same manner as that required for the approval  
23 of a renewal plan.

**EXPLANATION:** CAPITALS indicate matter added to existing law.  
[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.  
Underlining indicates matter added to the bill by amendment.  
~~Strike out~~ indicates matter stricken from the bill by  
amendment or deleted from existing law by amendment.

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1       **SECTION 1. BE IT ORDAINED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF BALTIMORE**, That the  
2 following changes in the Urban Renewal Plan for Oliver are approved:

3       (1) ~~In the Plan, amend C.1.c. to read as follows:~~

4           ~~C. TECHNIQUES USED TO ACHIEVE PLAN OBJECTIVES~~

5               ~~1. Acquisition~~

6                   ~~...~~

7                       ~~c. The authority to acquire the Properties within the Project Area is expressly~~  
8                           ~~confirmed and reauthorized through and including [December 31, 2022]~~  
9                           ~~DECEMBER 31, 2026.~~

10       (1) ~~(2)~~ In the Plan, amend D. To read as follows:

11           D. Duration of Provisions and Requirements

12                   The Oliver Urban Renewal Plan, as amended from time to time, is in full force  
13                   and effect through and including [December 31, 2022] DECEMBER 31, 2026.

14       (2) ~~(3)~~ In the Plan, in Appendix B, delete the following from the list of properties:

15           1022 E Biddle St.

16           1102 E Biddle St.

17           ~~246 N Broadway~~ 1246 N Broadway

18           1217 N Caroline St.

19           1317 N Caroline St.

20           1409 N Caroline St.

21           1607 N Caroline St.

22           1615 N Caroline St.

23           1222 N Eden St.

24           1301 N Eden St.

25           1303 N Eden St.

26           1305 N Eden St.

27           1309 N Eden St.

28           1311 N Eden St.

29           1313 N Eden St.

30           1317 N Eden St.

31           1319 N Eden St.

32           1327 N Eden St.

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1           1331 N Eden St.  
2           1335 N Eden St.  
  
3           1430 N Eden St.  
4           1432 N Eden St.  
5           1440 N Eden St.  
6           1442 N Eden St.

7           1208 E Preston St.  
8           1212 E Preston St.  
9           1216 E Preston St.  
10          1222 E Preston St.  
11          1228 E Preston St.  
12          1232 E Preston St.

13           (3) ~~(4)~~ In the Plan, in Appendix C, delete the following from the list of properties:

14           1414 E Biddle St.

15           1412 N Broadway  
16           1428 N Broadway  
17           1436 N Broadway

18           1510 N Broadway  
19           1522 N Broadway  
20           1524 N Broadway  
21           1532 N Broadway

22           1600 N Broadway  
23           1608 N Broadway  
24           1626 N Broadway  
25           1628 N Broadway

26           1702 N Broadway  
27           1704 N Broadway  
28           1724 N Broadway  
29           1728 N Broadway

30           1815 N Caroline St.

31           **SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED**, That the Urban Renewal Plan for Oliver, as  
32           amended by this Ordinance and identified as “Urban Renewal Plan, Oliver, revised to include  
33           Amendment 16, dated September 19, 2022”, is approved. The Department of Planning shall file  
34           a copy of the amended Urban Renewal Plan with the Department of Legislative Reference as a  
35           permanent public record, available for public inspection and information.

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1       **SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED,** That if the amended Urban Renewal Plan  
2 approved by this Ordinance in any way fails to meet the statutory requirements for the content of  
3 a renewal plan or for the procedures for the preparation, adoption, and approval of a renewal  
4 plan, those requirements are waived and the amended Urban Renewal Plan approved by this  
5 Ordinance is exempted from them.

6       **SECTION 4. AND BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED,** That if any provision of this Ordinance or the  
7 application of this Ordinance to any person or circumstance is held invalid for any reason, the  
8 invalidity does not affect any other provision or any other application of this Ordinance, and for  
9 this purpose the provisions of this Ordinance are declared severable.

10       **SECTION 5. AND BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED,** That if a provision of this Ordinance concerns  
11 the same subject as a provision of any zoning, building, electrical, plumbing, health, fire, or  
12 safety law or regulation, the applicable provisions shall be construed to give effect to each.  
13 However, if the provisions are found to be in irreconcilable conflict, the one that establishes the  
14 higher standard for the protection of the public health and safety prevails. If a provision of this  
15 Ordinance is found to be in conflict with an existing provision of any other law or regulation that  
16 establishes a lower standard for the protection of the public health and safety, the provision of  
17 this Ordinance prevails and the other conflicting provision is repealed to the extent of the  
18 conflict.

19       **SECTION 6. AND BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED,** That this Ordinance takes effect on the date it is  
20 enacted.

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Certified as duly passed this 8 day of December, 2022



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President, Baltimore City Council

Certified as duly delivered to His Honor, the Mayor,

this 8 day of December, 2022



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Chief Clerk

Approved this 22nd day of December, 2022



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Mayor, Baltimore City

Approved for Form and Legal Sufficiency  
This 22nd Day of December, 2022.

*Elena R DiPietro*

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Chief Solicitor