

## **MEMORANDUM**

TO:

Honorable President and Members of the City Council

Attention: Karen Randle, Executive Secretary

FROM:

Brenda McKenzie, President and CEO / ^

DATE:

July 15, 2013

SUBJECT:

City Council Bill No. 13-0244

Baltimore City Landmark List - Canton Methodist Episcopal Church

The Baltimore Development Corporation (BDC) has been asked to comment on Council Bill 13-0244, Baltimore City Landmark List – Canton Methodist Episcopal Church. The BDC supports this Bill which calls for the Canton Methodist Episcopal Church located at 1000 South Ellwood Avenue to be designated a historical land mark.

The appropriate preservation of buildings, structures, sites and neighborhoods that possess aesthetic, historic and architectural value can positively impact the City's economy by maintaining rich social and historic urban fabric while simultaneously providing a catalyst for new development and capital investment. BDC request favorable consideration is given by the City Council.

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Angela Gibson

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