CITY OF BALTIMORE ORDINANCE _____ Council Bill 13-0279

Introduced by: The Council President At the request of: The Administration (Department of Finance) Introduced and read first time: October 21, 2013 Assigned to: Budget and Appropriations Committee Committee Report: Favorable Council action: Adopted Read second time: November 18, 2013

AN ORDINANCE CONCERNING

Supplementary General Fund Operating Appropriation	ı —
M-R: Art and Culture – \$250,000	

- FOR the purpose of providing a Supplementary General Fund Operating Appropriation in the
 amount of \$250,000 to the M-R: Art and Culture Service 824 (Events, Art, Culture, and
 Film), to provide funding to establish the Creative Baltimore Fund; and providing for a
- 6 special effective date.
- 7 BY authority of
- 8 Article VI Board of Estimates
- 9 Section 8(b)(3) and (c)
- 10 Baltimore City Charter
- 11 (1996 Edition)
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Recitals

The revenue appropriated by this Ordinance represents funds from billboard tax revenue in excess of the revenue relied on by the Board of Estimates in determining the tax levy required to balance the budget for Fiscal Year 2014.

16 This additional revenue could not have been reasonably anticipated when the Ordinance of 17 Estimates for Fiscal Year 2014 was formulated.

- 18 This appropriation is made necessary by a material change in circumstances since the 19 Ordinance of Estimates for Fiscal Year 2014 was formulated or is for a new program that could
- 20 not have been reasonably anticipated when that Ordinance of Estimates was formulated.
- 21 On September 25, 2013, the Board of Estimates recommended this appropriation to the City 22 Council.

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS indicate matter added to existing law. [Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law. <u>Underlining</u> 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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SECTION 1. BE IT ORDAINED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF BALTIMORE, That \$250,000 shall be made available to the M-R: Art and Culture – Service 824 (Events, Art, Culture, and Film) as a Supplementary General Fund Operating Appropriation for Fiscal Year 2014, to provide funding to establish the Creative Baltimore Fund. The source of revenue for this appropriation is funds from billboard tax revenue in excess of the amount from this source that was relied on by the Board of Estimates in determining the tax levy required to balance the budget for Fiscal Year 2014.

8 **SECTION 2.** AND BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, That this Ordinance takes effect on the date it is 9 enacted.

Certified as duly passed this _____ day of _____, 20____

President, Baltimore City Council

Certified as duly delivered to Her Honor, the Mayor,

this _____ day of _____, 20____

Chief Clerk

Approved this _____ day of _____, 20____

Mayor, Baltimore City