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	SUBJECT	City Council Bill 17-0019		

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TO The Honorable President and
Members of the City Council
c/o Natawna Austin
Room 400 City Hall

I am herein reporting on City Council Bill 17-0019 for the purpose of allowing for the towing of vehicles in properly marked and designated bike lanes; increasing the fine for parking or standing in a bike lane; and generally relating to bike lanes.

The Department of Transportation supports this bill because it will enable better enforcement to prevent motorists from parking or stopping in a bike lane, which will facilitate alternative modes of transportation.

Thank you for this opportunity to comment.

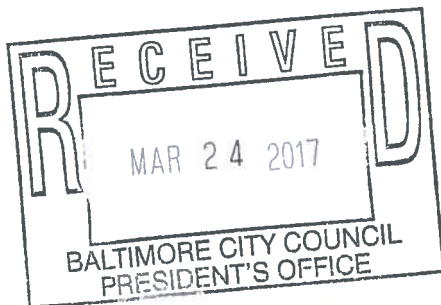
Respectfully,



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