

MEMORANDUM

To: The Honorable President and Members of the Baltimore City Council

c/o Natawna Austin, Executive Secretary (FB)

From: Michael Braverman, Acting Commissioner

Date: June 9, 2017

Re: City Council Bill 17-0068 - Waterfront Management District -

Extension of District

The Department of Housing and Community Development (HCD) has reviewed City Council Bill 17-0068, for the purpose of extending the Waterfront Management District to encompass certain adjoining blocks; clarifying a description of certain properties excepted from the Supplemental Tax; making this ordinance subject to certain contingencies; providing for a special effective date; and generally relating to the Waterfront Management District and Authority.

If enacted, this bill would increase the area that falls under the responsibility of the Management Authority in the Fells Point neighborhood to provide enhanced services for safety and cleanliness. The area would extend to mainly commercial properties along the main corridors, including Broadway, Thames Street, Fells Street and S. Wolfe Street.

The Department of Housing and Community Development has no objection to the passage of City Council Bill 17-0068.

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cc: Ms. Karen Stokes, Mayor's Office of Government Relations Mr. Kyron Banks, Mayor's Office of Government Relations

