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<b>FROM</b>	<b>NAME &amp; TITLE</b>	THOMAS J. STOSUR, DIRECTOR	CITY of BALTIMORE <b>MEMO</b>	
	<b>AGENCY NAME &amp; ADDRESS</b>	DEPARTMENT OF PLANNING 8 <sup>TH</sup> FLOOR, 417 EAST FAYETTE STREET		
	<b>SUBJECT</b>	CITY COUNCIL BILL #17-0135/ CITY STREETS – CLOSING – NORTH CASTLE STREET AND MULTIPLE ALLEYS BETWEEN EAST EAGER STREET, NORTH CHESTER STREET, ASHLAND AVENUE, AND NORTH WASHINGTON STREET		

DATE: October 2, 2017

**TO** The Honorable President and  
Members of the City Council  
City Hall, Room 400  
100 North Holliday Street

The Department of Planning is in receipt of City Council Bill #17-0135, which is for the purpose of condemning and closing North Castle Street and 8 alleys of varying widths lying between East Eager Street, North Chester Street, Ashland Avenue, and North Washington Street, as shown on Plat 304-A-7A in the Office of the Department of Transportation; and providing for a special effective date.

This action was previously approved by the Planning Commission in their meeting of February 16, 2017, and so the Department of Planning recommends approval of City Council Bill #17-0135.

If you have any questions, please contact Mr. Wolde Ararsa, Division Chief, Land Use and Urban Design Division at 410-396-4488.

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- cc: Mr. Pete Hammen, Chief Operating Officer
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- Ms. Sharon Daboin, DHCD
- Ms. Elena DiPietro, Law Dept.
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