

MEMORANDUM

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

c/o Natawna Austin, Executive Secretary

From: Michael Braverman, Housing Commissioner

Date: April 1, 2019

Re: City Council Bill 18-0295, Baltimore City Landmark List: Exteriors - Hanlon Park

The Department of Housing and Community Development has reviewed City Council Bill 18-0295, for the purpose of designating Hanlon Park in its entirety as a historical landmark: exterior.

As part of the designation process, the bill underwent hearings in both the Planning Commission and the Commission for Historical and Architectural Preservation. Both commissions recommended approval of the bill under the condition that language be added to ensure that the designation does not impact or impede the Department of Public Work's ability to complete current water infrastructure projects.

The Department of Housing and Community Development defers to the Commission for Historical and Architectural Preservation in regard to City Council Bill 18-0295.

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cc: Mr. Jeffrey Amoros, Mayor's Office of Government Relations