

CITY OF BALTIMORE
ORDINANCE ___
Council Bill 19-0358

Introduced by: President Young, Councilmembers Henry, Costello, Bullock, Stokes, Sneed,
Dorsey, Cohen, Pinkett, Scott, Clarke, Reisinger, Middleton, Burnett, Schleifer

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Assigned to: Budget and Appropriations Committee

Committee Report: Favorable

Council action: Adopted

Read second time: June 17, 2019

AN ORDINANCE CONCERNING

**Children and Youth Fund – Interim Governance and Administration –
1-Year Extension**

FOR the purpose of extending, for 1 year, the interim administrative structure for the Children and Youth Fund; providing for a special effective date; and generally relating to the Children and Youth Fund established by City Charter Article I, § 13.

BY repealing and reordaining, without amendment
Article 5 - Finance, Property, and Procurement
Section 9-4(b)
Baltimore City Code
(Edition 2000)

BY repealing and reordaining, with amendments
Article 5 - Finance, Property, and Procurement
Section 9-6
Baltimore City Code
(Edition 2000)

SECTION 1. BE IT ORDAINED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF BALTIMORE, That, after conducting a public hearing and having heard testimonial evidence, the City Council finds that:

- (i) in order to yield the best possible results for Baltimore’s youth programs and services, the interim fiscal agent has exercised due diligence and deliberate caution in establishing the permanent intermediary required by City Code Article 5, § 9-4(b)(3);

<p>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.</p>
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1 (ii) as a result of this determined diligence and caution, the permanent intermediary is not
2 yet prepared to administer the Children and Youth Fund established by City Charter
3 Article I, § 13; and

4 (iii) it is thus appropriate and necessary to extend, by authority of City Code Article 5,
5 § 9-6, the Fund’s interim structure for 1 additional year.

6 **SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED,** That the Laws of Baltimore City read as
7 follows:

8 **Baltimore City Code**

9 **Article 5. Finance, Property, and Procurement**

10 **Subtitle 9. Children and Youth Fund**

11 **§ 9-4. Interim fiscal agent.**

12 (b) *General powers and duties.*

13 The interim fiscal agent must:

- 14 (1) identify specific programs and services to be funded by the Fund;
15 (2) allocate the available funds among the programs and services identified for
16 funding; and
17 (3) establish a permanent intermediary, with a focus on youth leadership and
18 governance, capable of dispersing the money appropriated to the Fund to specific
19 youth-focused programs and services.

20 **§ 9-6. Automatic termination.**

21 This subtitle automatically expires on July 1, [2019] 2020, unless the City Council, after
22 conducting a public hearing and hearing testimonial evidence, finds that the permanent
23 intermediary required by § 9-4(b)(3) of this subtitle is not yet prepared to administer the
24 Fund, in which case this subtitle may be extended for 1 additional year.

25 **SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED,** That the catchlines contained in this Ordinance
26 are not law and may not be considered to have been enacted as a part of this or any prior
27 Ordinance.

28 **SECTION 4. AND BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED,** That this Ordinance takes effect when it is
29 enacted.

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

President, Baltimore City Council

Certified as duly delivered to his Honor, the Mayor,
this _____ day of _____, 20__

Chief Clerk

Approved this _____ day of _____, 20__

Mayor, Baltimore City