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	SUBJECT	City Council Bill 19-0398		

TO: Mayor Bernard C. "Jack" Young  
TO: Housing & Urban Affairs Committee  
FROM: Department of Transportation  
POSITION: No Objection  
RE: Council Bill – 19-0398

DATE: 7/22/19

**INTRODUCTION** – Urban Renewal - Poppleton – Amendment

**PURPOSE/PLANS** – For the purpose of amending the Urban Renewal Plan for Poppleton to modify the boundaries of the Renewal Plan to remove certain properties, to revise certain exhibits to the Plan to reflect the change in the boundaries and to delete a certain exhibit, and to conform, clarify, or correct certain references in the Plan; waiving certain content and procedural requirements; making the provisions of this Ordinance severable; providing for the application of this Ordinance in conjunction with certain other ordinances; and providing for a special effective date.

**COMMENTS** – This bill serves as a companion bill to City Council Bill 19-0397 as well as City Council Bill 19-0399. Together, the three bills allow for the area known as the University of Maryland BioPark to be zoned under the new BSC zone designation, established under the Transform Baltimore comprehensive rezoning plan as Bio-Science Campus Zones. BSC zones allow for a broad use of development, including: manufacturing, office, research & development.

**AGENCY/DEPARTMENT POSITION** – The Department of Transportation has **no objection** to City Council Bill 19-0398.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact Liam Davis via email at [Liam.Davis@baltimorecity.gov](mailto:Liam.Davis@baltimorecity.gov) or by phone (410) 545-3207.

Sincerely,



Steve Sharkey  
Acting Director