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R O M	AGENCY NAME & ADDRESS	Department of Transportation (DOT) 417 E Fayette Street, Room 527	BALTIMORE	100
	SUBJECT	City Council Bill 19-0399	МЕМО	

DATE: 7/22/19

TO: Mayor Bernard C. "Jack" Young

TO: Land Use & Transportation Committee

FROM: Department of Transportation

POSITION: No Objection RE: Council Bill – 19-0399

<u>INTRODUCTION</u> – Rezoning - 755, 757, 759, 761, and 763 West Fayette Street, 760 West Baltimore Street, Block 0626, Lot 053 (k/a NWC Martin Luther King Jr. Boulevard and West Baltimore Street), and a Portion of the Former Bed of West Fairmount Avenue

<u>PURPOSE/PLANS</u> – For the purpose of changing the zoning for the properties known as 755, 757, 759, 761, and 763 West Fayette Street (Block 0626, Lots 043, 042, 041, 040, and 039, respectively), 760 West Baltimore Street (Block 0626, Lot 026A), Block 0626, Lot 053 (k/a NWC Martin Luther King Jr. Boulevard and West Baltimore Street), and a portion of the former bed of West Fairmount Avenue, as outlined in red on the accompanying plat, from the R-8 Zoning District to the BSC Zoning District.

<u>COMMENTS</u> – This bill serves as a companion bill to City Council Bill 19-0397 as well as City Council Bill 19-0398. 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.

<u>AGENCY/DEPARTMENT POSITION</u> – The Department of Transportation has **no objection** to City Council Bill 19-0399.

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

Sincerely,

Steve Sharkey Acting Director