CITY OF BALTIMORE ORDINANCE Council Bill 19-0416

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AN ORDINANCE CONCERNING

1 2 3	Zoning – Conditional Use Conversion of a Single-Family Dwelling Unit to 3 Dwelling Units in the R-8 Zoning District – Variances – 2005 West Baltimore Street
4	FOR the purpose of permitting, subject to certain conditions, the conversion of a single-family
5	dwelling unit to 3 dwelling units in the R-8 Zoning District on the property known as 2005
6	West Baltimore Street (Block 0206, Lot 043), as outlined in red on the accompanying plat;
7	and granting variances from certain gross floor area per unit type, bulk (lot area), and off-
8	street parking regulations requirements.
9	BY authority of
10	Article 32 - Zoning
11	Sections 5-201(a), 5-305(a), 5-308, 9-401 (Table 9-401), 9-701(2), 9-703(c), 9-703(d),
12	9-703(f), 16-203, and 16-602 (Table 16-406)
13	Baltimore City Revised Code
14	(Edition 2000)
15	SECTION 1. BE IT ORDAINED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF BALTIMORE, That
16	permission is granted for the conversion of a single-family dwelling unit to 3 dwelling units in
17	the R-8 Zoning District on the property known as 2005 West Baltimore Street (Block 0206, Lot
18	043), as outlined in red on the plat accompanying this Ordinance, in accordance with Baltimore
19	City Zoning Code §§ 5-201(a) and 9-701(2), subject to the condition that the building complies
20	with all applicable federal, state, and local licensing and certification requirements.
21	SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, That pursuant to the authority granted by §§ 5-
22	305(a) and 5-308 of Article 32 - Zoning, permission is granted for a variance from the

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS indicate matter added to existing law. [Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law. Underlining 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.

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1 2 3 4	requirements of § 9-703(c) for gross floor area per unit type, as 750 square feet are required for each 1-bedroom unit. The existing structure contains approximately 1,500 square feet on its 2 lower levels, thus meeting the requirement for the lower 2 dwelling units to be created, but the top floor, being shorter in depth, has only approximately 500 square feet of floor area.
5 6 7 8	SECTION 2 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED , That pursuant to the authority granted by §§ 5-201(a), 5-305(a), and 5-308 of Article 32 - Zoning, permission is granted for a variance from the requirements of § 9-401 (Table 9-401: Rowhouse and Multi-Family Residential Districts - Bulk and Yard Regulations) for the lack of the required lot area size.
9 10 11 12	SECTION 3 4. AND BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED , That pursuant to the authority granted by §§ 5-201(a), 5-305(a), and 5-308 of Article 32 - Zoning, permission is granted for a variance from the off-street parking requirements of §§ 9-703(f), 16-203, and 16-602 (Table 16-406: Required Off-Street Parking.
13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20	SECTION 4 5. AND BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, That as evidence of the authenticity of the accompanying plat and in order to give notice to the agencies that administer the City Zoning Ordinance: (i) when the City Council passes this Ordinance, the President of the City Council shall sign the plat; (ii) when the Mayor approves this Ordinance, the Mayor shall sign the plat; and (iii) the Director of Finance then shall transmit a copy of this Ordinance and the plat to the Board of Municipal and Zoning Appeals, the Planning Commission, the Commissioner of Housing and Community Development, the Supervisor of Assessments for Baltimore City, and the Zoning Administrator.
21 22	SECTION 5 6. AND BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, That this Ordinance takes effect on the 30 th day after the date it is enacted.
	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