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To: President and Members of the City Council c/o 409 City Hall

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The Baltimore City Health Department (BCHD) is pleased to have the opportunity to review Council Bill #21-0004, entitled, "Office to End Homelessness - Establishment, Administration, and Permanent Housing Voucher Program." This bill would, among other provisions, establish the Baltimore City Office to End Homelessness with a mission of making "homelessness rare, brief, and non-recurring" and the Permanent Housing Voucher Program to provide housing subsidies to homeless families.

BCHD takes **no position** on Council Bill #21-0004 and defers to the Department of Housing and Community Development.