

# City of Baltimore

City Council  
City Hall, Room 408  
100 North Holliday Street  
Baltimore, Maryland 21202

## Meeting Minutes - Final

### Public Safety and Government Operations

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Wednesday, May 26, 2021

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**Worksession: 21-0033**  
**CHARM TV 25**

#### **CALL TO ORDER**

#### **INTRODUCTIONS**

#### **ATTENDANCE**

**Present** 7 - Mark Conway, Kristerfer Burnett, Zeke Cohen, Eric T. Costello, Antonio Glover, Phylicia Porter, and Odette Ramos

#### **ITEMS SCHEDULED FOR WORKSESSION**

##### [21-0033](#)

##### **Imari's LGBTQ Procurement Preference Act**

For the purpose of creating a LGBTQ Business Enterprise ("LGBTQBE") Program, to be administered by the Minority and Women's Business Opportunity Office; defining certain terms; establishing the eligibility requirements for firms seeking to participate in the LGBTQBE Program; establishing revocation criteria for firms in the LGBTQBE Program; authorizing the City to employ various affirmative procurement initiatives to promote the award of City contracts to LGBTQBEs; requiring annual reports on the LGBTQBE Program; requiring periodic hearings on and review of the LGBTQBE Program; providing for the appeal of certain adverse determinations by the Minority and Women's Business Opportunity Office; setting certain penalties; correcting, conforming, and clarifying related provisions; renumbering certain sections; and generally relating to City procurement requirements.

**Sponsors:** Odette Ramos, Kristerfer Burnett, Sharon Green Middleton, Ryan Dorsey, Zeke Cohen, Robert Stokes, Sr., Antonio Glover

**A motion was made by member Porter, seconded by member Ramos, that bill 21-0033 be recommended favorably with amendments. The motion carried by the following vote:**

**Yes:** 7 - Conway, Burnett, Cohen, Costello, Glover, Porter, and Ramos

#### **ADJOURNMENT**