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	SUBJECT	City Council Bill 21-0109	M E M O	

TO: Mayor Brandon M. Scott
TO: Economic & Community Development Committee
FROM: Department of Transportation
POSITION: **No Objection**
RE: Council Bill – 21-0109

DATE: 10/18/21

INTRODUCTION – City Property - Renaming Calverton Elementary/Middle School to Katherine Johnson Global Academy

PURPOSE/PLANS – For the purpose of changing the name of Calverton Elementary/Middle School, located at 201 North Bend Road, to Katherine Johnson Global Academy.

COMMENTS – Council Bill 21-0109 seeks to rename the existing Calverton Elementary/Middle School to Katherine Johnson Global Academy, in honor of the 20th century African American NASA scientist who specialized in orbital mechanics. According to a report completed by Baltimore City Public Schools, the name Katherine Johnson Global Academy received the most votes from students, staff, parents, and community members in a voting survey, which was conducted from May 3rd through May 7th, 2021. The school building renaming will coincide with a brand-new learning facility completed via the 21st Century Schools Program.

AGENCY/DEPARTMENT POSITION – The Department of Transportation foresees no immediate direct operational or fiscal impact on the agency and has **no objection** to Council Bill 21-0109.

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

Sincerely,

Steve Sharkey
Director