# FOURTH DAY

FIRST COUNCILMANIC YEAR - SESSION OF 2020-2024

# JOURNAL CITY COUNCIL OF BALTIMORE

February 8, 2021

Reverend Dr. Terris King, Sr., Liberty Grace Church of God, led the Council in Prayer.

The President and members of the Council recited the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

#### SHOWCASE BALTIMORE

Reverend Dr. Terris King, Sr., Family League of Baltimore delivered a presentation.

The City Council of Baltimore met pursuant to adjournment. Present: Nicholas J. Mosby, President, and Councilmembers Cohen, McCray, Dorsey, Conway, Schleifer, Middleton, Torrence, Burnett, Bullock, Porter, Costello, Stokes, Glover, Ramos

#### JOURNAL APPROVED

The Journal of the January 25, 2021 Meeting, was read and approved.

#### COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE MAYOR

#### APPOINTMENTS BY THE MAYOR

CHRISTOPHER SHORTER, as City Administrator/Chief Administrative Officer, for a term expiring December 10, 2024.

APPROVED BY THE MAYOR

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR

January 26, 2021

The Honorable Nick J. Mosby, Council President and Members of the City Council Baltimore City Hall 100 N. Holliday Street Baltimore, MD 21202

Dear Council Members:

I am pleased to inform your Honorable Body that I have signed into law this day these bills which are routine and require no special treatment:

**Bill 21-0007** - An Ordinance concerning - COVID-19 Restaurant, Consumer, and Gig Worker Relief Act (Temporary Limit on Third-Party Delivery Service Fees) - For the purpose of establishing certain temporary regulations on third-party food delivery platforms; defining certain terms; authorizing the Director of Finance to adopt rules and regulations to implement and enforce this subtitle; setting forth certain prohibited conduct for third-party food delivery platforms; providing for enforcement by citation; providing for certain criminal and administrative penalties; providing for this Ordinance's severability; setting forth a certain termination date; providing for a special effective date; and generally relating to the regulation of third-party food delivery platforms and the economic well-being of Baltimore restaurants, consumers, and gig workers during the COVID-19 pandemic.

Sincerely,

Brandon M. Scott

Mayor

#### INTRODUCTION AND READ FIRST TIME

The President laid before the City Council the following bills and Resolutions of the Mayor and City Council for first reading:

**Bill No. 21-0032 -** By the Council President and Councilmember Middleton (The Administration)

An Ordinance establishing the salary of the Director of Public Works; and providing for a special effective date.

The bill was read the first time and referred to the Ways and Means Committee.

**Bill No. 21-0033 -** By Councilmembers Ramos, Burnett, Middleton, Dorsey, Cohen, Stokes, Glover

An Ordinance 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.

The bill was read the first time and referred to the City Solicitor, Minority and Women's Opportunity Office, Mayor's Office of Minority and Women's Business Development, Executive Office of the Mayor, Baltimore City Information and Technology, Mayor's Office of Equity and Civil Rights, Comptroller, Department of Finance, and the Public Safety and Government Operations Committee.

#### Bill No. 21-0034 - Councilmember Ramos

An Ordinance prohibiting the Mayor and City Council from conducting or otherwise scheduling a tax sale pursuant to Title 14, Subtitle 8, Part III {"Tax Sales"} of the State Tax-Property Article during the 2021 calendar year; and providing for a special effective date.

The bill was read the first time and referred to the City Solicitor, Department of Housing and Community Development, Department of Finance, Mayor's Office, and the Ways and Means Committee.

#### Bill No. 21-0035 - Councilmember Torrence

An Ordinance designating the Reed Calloway House, 1316 North Carey Street, as an historical landmark: exterior.

The bill was read the first time and referred to the City Solicitor, Board of Municipal and Zoning Appeals, Planning Commission, Department of Housing and Community Development, Commission for Historical and Architectural Preservation, Baltimore Development Corporation, and the Education, Workforce, and Youth Committee.

Bill No. 21-0036 - Councilmembers Dorsey, Burnett, Cohen, Porter, Torrence, Schleifer, Ramos

An Ordinance establishing a common set of definitions, rules of interpretation, and methods for time computation for the Baltimore City Code.

The bill was read the first time and referred to the City Solicitor, Department of Finance, Department of Legislative Reference, and the Rules and Legislative Oversight Committee.

Bill No. 21-0037 - Councilmember Dorsey, Burnett, Cohen, Conway, Bullock

An Ordinance requiring certain businesses to provide premium pay to gig workers; prohibiting certain businesses from taking certain adverse actions against gig workers; requiring certain businesses to keep certain records of their compliance with the premium pay requirements; requiring certain notices to be provided to gig workers; including the premium pay provisions within the Baltimore City Wage Commission's scope of enforcement; applying certain fines and penalties for violations of premium pay provisions; defining certain terms; and generally relating to guaranteeing a fair wage to gig workers in Baltimore City.

The bill was read the first time and referred to the City Solicitor, Labor Commissioner, Department of Human Resources, Wage Commission, Department of Finance, Baltimore Development Corporation, Downtown Partnership, and the Education, Workforce, and Youth Committee.

Bill No. 21-0038 - Councilmembers Burnett, Cohen, Dorsey, Porter, Middleton, Bullock

An Ordinance requiring city-owned or -occupied buildings to place a notice regarding the human-trafficking prevention hotline in certain locations; deleting an obsolete reference to the "Maryland Department of Labor, Licensing, and Regulation"; providing that certain businesses may obtain the required human-trafficking notices from the United States Department of Homeland Security's Blue Campaign website; and conforming and clarifying related provisions.

The bill was read the first time and referred to the City Solicitor, Baltimore Development Corporation, Health Department, Police Department, Department of Housing and Community Development, Mayor's Office of Homeless Services, Mayor's Office of Criminal Justice, Department of General Services, Department of Social Services, Finance Department, Mayor's Office of Neighborhood Safety and Engagement, and the Public Safety and Government Operations Committee.

**Bill No. 21-0039 -** Councilmember Stokes, Council President Mosby, Councilmembers Schleifer, Conway, Costello, Glover, Middleton, Porter, Torrence, Ramos, Cohen, Bullock

An Ordinance requiring certain contractors to create and submit to the Director of the Department of Finance initial employment plans to bid on government-assisted construction projects or contracts that receive government assistance totaling \$5 million or more; requiring the Director of the Department of Finance to score the bids using the Director's evaluation of the

employment plan as 10% of a bidder's score; requiring the winning bidder to submit a revised employment plan to the Director of the Department of Finance with certain criteria; and conforming related provisions.

The bill was read the first time and referred to the City Solicitor, Mayor's Office of Employment Development, Department of Finance, and the Education, Workforce, and Youth Committee.

The President laid before the City Council the following Council Resolutions for first reading:

**Bill No. 21-0016R -** By Councilmembers Burnett, Cohen, Dorsey, Porter, Middleton, Ramos, Bullock

A Resolution inviting representatives from the Department of Public Works, the Law Department, the Health Department, and the Mayor's Office of Emergency Management to appear before the City Council to discuss the effectiveness and sufficiency of measures being taken to address basement backups of raw sewage in the City.

The bill was read the first time and referred to the City Solicitor, Department of Public Works, Department of Health, Mayor's Office of Emergency Management, 311 Services, Finance Department, Department of Housing and Community Development, Mayor's Office of Performance and Initiative, and the Health, Environment, and Technology Committee.

Bill No. 21-0017R - By Councilmembers Burnett, Porter, Middleton, Bullock, Cohen, Stokes

A Resolution inviting representatives from the Baltimore City Fire Department, the Baltimore Police Department, the Office of the State's Attorney for Baltimore City, the Baltimore City Health Department, the Baltimore City Department of Housing and Community Development, the Mayor's Office of Criminal Justice, the Baltimore City Public School System, and the Mayor's Office of Homeless Services to appear before the City Council to discuss arsons, fire fatalities and injuries, and school fires; how we can work to re-institute the Joint Agency Arson Task Force; and discuss other tools that would assist in the prevention or prosecution of arson.

The bill was read the first time and referred to the Fire Department, Police Department, State's Attorney, Department of Health, Mayor's Office of Criminal Justice, Baltimore City Public School System, Mayor's Office of Homeless Services, City Solicitor, Department of Housing and Community Development, Department of Finance, Mayor's Office of Neighborhood Safety and Engagement, and the Public Safety and Government Operations Committee.

**Bill No. 21-0018R -** By Councilmembers McCray, Porter, Ramos, Middleton, Stokes, Torrence, Bullock, Cohen

A Resolution inviting the Director of the Department of Human Resources, the Director of the Department of Finance, the Director of the Baltimore City Office of Information & Technology, and other interested parties to appear before the Baltimore City Council to discuss: the development and implementation process of the Workday Enterprise System; what focus groups or other workgroups were created to identify potential problems during the development process; what offline performance tests were conducted to identify potential gaps in service delivery capabilities; and what corrective processes have been put in place to remedy the countless problems that the city has faced during this implementation process.

The bill was read the first time and referred to the City Solicitor, Department of Human Resources, Baltimore City Information and Technology, Department of Finance, City Administrator, and the Public Safety and Government Operations Committee.

Bill No. 21-0019R - By Councilmembers Stokes, Burnett, Middleton

Introduced: February 8, 2021 (Read and adopted)

#### A COUNCIL RESOLUTION CONCERNING

# **Recognizing February as Career and Technical Education Month**

FOR the purpose of recognizing February as Career and Technical Education Month.

#### Recitals

WHEREAS, February is Career and Technical Education Month;

WHEREAS, Career and technical education is education that directly prepares high school students for successful careers;

**WHEREAS**, Career and technical education covers many different fields, such as health care, information technology, advanced manufacturing, hospitality, the arts, and business; and

WHEREAS, Many Baltimore City Public Schools offer career and technical education, allowing students to access state-of-the-art labs, use professional equipment, learn from industry professionals, and experience internships in their chosen field.

Now, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF BALTIMORE, That the City Council recognizes February as Career and Technical Education Month.

**AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, That a copy of this Resolution be sent to the Mayor, the CEO of the Baltimore City Public School System, and the Mayor's Legislative Liaison to the City Council.

Councilmember Stokes made a motion, which was duly seconded, that the Rules be suspended.

There being no objection, the President declared that the Rules were suspended.

Then Councilmember Stokes made a motion, which was duly seconded, that the Resolution be adopted.

The roll was called on the motion, resulting as follows:

Yeas - President and Councilmembers Cohen, McCray, Dorsey, Conway, Schleifer, Middleton, Torrence, Burnett, Bullock, Porter, Costello, Stokes, Glover, Ramos - Total 15.

Nays - 0.

The President declared the Resolution "Adopted".

**Bill No. 21-0020R -** By Council President Mosby, Councilmembers Dorsey, McCray, Burnett, Middleton, Ramos, Bullock, Schleifer, Glover, Torrence, Cohen, Stokes, Costello, Conway, Porter

Introduced: February 8, 2021 (Read and adopted)

#### A COUNCIL RESOLUTION CONCERNING

### **Recognizing the Service of Nancy Ray**

FOR the purpose of recognizing Nancy Ray on her 32 years of distinguished service to the City of Baltimore.

#### **Recitals**

Nancy Ray began working for the Department of Legislative Reference in 1989 and recently retired after 32 years of service to the City of Baltimore. In those 32 years, Nancy distinguished herself as an indispensable public servant, drafting a variety of bills, including zoning measures, franchise bills, namings and re-namings, and the annual Ordinance of Estimates, for 6 different administrations and scores of councilmembers.

In addition to her bill drafting duties, Nancy also served as Journal Clerk to the Baltimore City Council, ensuring that the public and the entirety of City government had a detailed and accurate memorialization of City Council proceedings.

Indeed, because of her length of service and her myriad of duties, she served as part of the Council's – and City government at large – institutional memory. She was able to tell anyone the history behind the successes and failures of certain important measures before the City Council, how and why certain Charter provisions came to pass, or who to talk to at various departments to "get things done."

It will be difficult to replace her diligent work ethic and her storied institutional knowledge, but the Council, on behalf of the citizens of Baltimore, want to sincerely congratulate her on her well-deserved retirement and extend its utmost gratitude to her for her service.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF BALTIMORE**, That the Council recognizes Nancy Ray on her 32 years of distinguished service to the City of Baltimore.

**AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, That a copy of this Resolution be sent to Ms. Ray, the Mayor, and the Mayor's Legislative Liaison to the City Council.

Councilmember Middleton made a motion, which was duly seconded, that the Rules be suspended.

There being no objection, the President declared that the Rules were suspended.

Then Councilmember Middleton made a motion, which was duly seconded, that the Resolution be adopted.

The roll was called on the motion, resulting as follows:

Yeas - President and Councilmembers Cohen, McCray, Dorsey, Conway, Schleifer, Middleton, Torrence, Burnett, Bullock, Porter, Costello, Stokes, Glover, Ramos - Total 15.

Nays - 0.

The President declared the Resolution "Adopted".

#### **CONSENT CALENDAR**

CEREMONIAL RESOLUTIONS NO. 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, AND 56 ADOPTED UNDER RULE 3-9.

The resolutions were read.

The roll was called on the adoption of the resolutions, resulting as follows:

Yeas - President and Councilmembers Cohen, McCray, Dorsey, Conway, Schleifer, Middleton, Torrence, Burnett, Bullock, Porter, Costello, Stokes, Glover, Ramos - Total 15.

Nays - 0.

The President declared the resolutions adopted under Rule 3-9.

#### Ceremonial Resolutions will be found at the end of the Journal.

#### **COMMITTEE REPORTS**

RLO AT 50:15!

Councilmember Schleifer, for the Rules and Legislative Oversight Committee, made a motion, which was duly seconded, that the favorable report of the Rules and Legisltiave Oversight Committee be adopted.

The Appointment of

THERESA BRUCE Member

BOARD: Trauma Informed Care Task Force

EXPIRATION OF TERM: December 10, 2024

The motion prevailed.

The President declared the favorable report adopted.

Councilmember Schleifer made a motion, which was duly seconded, that the appointment of Theresa Bruce be confirmed.

The roll was called, resulting as follows:

Yeas - President and Councilmembers Cohen, McCray, Dorsey, Conway, Schleifer, Middleton, Torrence, Burnett, Bullock, Porter, Costello, Stokes, Glover, Ramos - Total 15.

Nays - 0.

The President declared the appointment of Theresa Bruce confirmed.

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The Appointment of

DAVID O. FAKUNLE Member

BOARD: Trauma Informed Care Task Force

EXPIRATION OF TERM: December 10, 2024

The motion prevailed.

The President declared the favorable report adopted.

Councilmember Schleifer made a motion, which was duly seconded, that the appointment of David O. Fakunle be confirmed.

The roll was called, resulting as follows:

Yeas - President and Councilmembers Cohen, McCray, Dorsey, Conway, Schleifer, Middleton, Torrence, Burnett, Bullock, Porter, Costello, Stokes, Glover, Ramos - Total 15.

Nays - 0.

The President declared the appointment of David O. Fakunle confirmed.

The Appointment of

PHILIP J. LEAF Member

BOARD: Trauma Informed Care Task Force

EXPIRATION OF TERM: December 10, 2024

The motion prevailed.

The President declared the favorable report adopted.

Councilmember Schleifer made a motion, which was duly seconded, that the appointment of Philip J. Leaf be confirmed.

The roll was called, resulting as follows:

Yeas - President and Councilmembers Cohen, McCray, Dorsey, Conway, Schleifer, Middleton, Torrence, Burnett, Bullock, Porter, Costello, Stokes, Glover, Ramos - Total 15.

Nays - 0.

The President declared the appointment of Philip J. Leaf confirmed.

The Appointment of

JABARI LYLES Member

BOARD: Trauma Informed Care Task Force

EXPIRATION OF TERM: December 10, 2024

The motion prevailed.

The President declared the favorable report adopted.

Councilmember Schleifer made a motion, which was duly seconded, that the appointment of Jabari Lyles be confirmed.

The roll was called, resulting as follows:

Yeas - President and Councilmembers Cohen, McCray, Dorsey, Conway, Schleifer, Middleton, Torrence, Burnett, Bullock, Porter, Costello, Stokes, Glover, Ramos - Total 15.

Nays - 0.

The President declared the appointment of Jabari Lyles confirmed.

The Appointment of

DANIEL D. PARSONS Member

BOARD: Trauma Informed Care Task Force

EXPIRATION OF TERM: December 10, 2024

The motion prevailed.

The President declared the favorable report adopted.

Councilmember Schleifer made a motion, which was duly seconded, that the appointment of Daniel D. Parsons be confirmed.

The roll was called, resulting as follows:

Yeas - President and Councilmembers Cohen, McCray, Dorsey, Conway, Schleifer, Middleton, Torrence, Burnett, Bullock, Porter, Costello, Stokes, Glover, Ramos - Total 15.

Nays - 0.

The President declared the appointment of Daniel D. Parsons.

The Appointment of

REGINA T. BOYCE Member

BOARD: Trauma Informed Care Task Force

EXPIRATION OF TERM: December 3, 2024

The motion prevailed.

The President declared the favorable report adopted.

Councilmember Schleifer made a motion, which was duly seconded, that the appointment of Regina T. Boyce be confirmed.

The roll was called, resulting as follows:

Yeas - President and Councilmembers Cohen, McCray, Dorsey, Conway, Schleifer, Middleton, Torrence, Burnett, Bullock, Porter, Costello, Stokes, Glover, Ramos - Total 15.

Nays - 0.

The President declared the appointment of Regina T. Boyce.

The Appointment of

ERRICKA ANGELA BRIDGEFORD Member

BOARD: Trauma Informed Care Task Force

EXPIRATION OF TERM: December 3, 2024

The motion prevailed.

The President declared the favorable report adopted.

Councilmember Schleifer made a motion, which was duly seconded, that the appointment of Erricka Angela Bridgeford be confirmed.

The roll was called, resulting as follows:

Yeas - President and Councilmembers Cohen, McCray, Dorsey, Conway, Schleifer, Middleton, Torrence, Burnett, Bullock, Porter, Costello, Stokes, Glover, Ramos - Total 15.

Nays - 0.

The President declared the appointment of Erricka Angela Bridgeford.

The Appointment of

DONNA BRUCE Member

BOARD: Trauma Informed Care Task Force

EXPIRATION OF TERM: December 3, 2024

The motion prevailed.

The President declared the favorable report adopted.

Councilmember Schleifer made a motion, which was duly seconded, that the appointment of Donna Bruce be confirmed.

The roll was called, resulting as follows:

Yeas - President and Councilmembers Cohen, McCray, Dorsey, Conway, Schleifer, Middleton, Torrence, Burnett, Bullock, Porter, Costello, Stokes, Glover, Ramos - Total 15.

Nays - 0.

The President declared the appointment of Donna Bruce.

The Appointment of

STEVE J. CZINN, MD, FAAP, FACG, AGAF Member

BOARD: Trauma Informed Care Task Force

EXPIRATION OF TERM:

December 3, 2024

The motion prevailed.

The President declared the favorable report adopted.

Councilmember Schleifer made a motion, which was duly seconded, that the appointment of Steve J. Czinn, MD, FAAP, FACG, AGAF be confirmed.

The roll was called, resulting as follows:

Yeas - President and Councilmembers Cohen, McCray, Dorsey, Conway, Schleifer, Middleton, Torrence, Burnett, Bullock, Porter, Costello, Stokes, Glover, Ramos - Total 15.

Nays - 0.

The President declared the appointment of Steve J. Czinn, MD, FAAP, FACG, AGAF.

The Appointment of

KEVIN DANIELS, PH.D., D MIN., MSW (LIC.)

Member

BOARD: Trauma Informed Care Task Force

EXPIRATION OF TERM: December 3, 2024

The motion prevailed.

The President declared the favorable report adopted.

Councilmember Schleifer made a motion, which was duly seconded, that the appointment of Kevin Daniels, Ph.D., D Min., MSW (Lic.) be confirmed.

The roll was called, resulting as follows:

Yeas - President and Councilmembers Cohen, McCray, Dorsey, Conway, Schleifer, Middleton, Torrence, Burnett, Bullock, Porter, Costello, Stokes, Glover, Ramos - Total 15.

Nays - 0.

The President declared the appointment of Kevin Daniels, Ph.D., D Min., MSW (Lic.).

The Appointment of

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ELIJAH DAVIS, JR. Member

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The motion prevailed.

The President declared the favorable report adopted.

Councilmember Schleifer made a motion, which was duly seconded, that the appointment of Elijah Davis, Jr. be confirmed.

The roll was called, resulting as follows:

Yeas - President and Councilmembers Cohen, McCray, Dorsey, Conway, Schleifer, Middleton, Torrence, Burnett, Bullock, Porter, Costello, Stokes, Glover, Ramos - Total 15.

Nays - 0.

The President declared the appointment of Elijah Davis, Jr.

The Appointment of

DESYREE DIXON, LCDW-C Member

BOARD: Trauma Informed Care Task Force

EXPIRATION OF TERM: December 3, 2024

The motion prevailed.

The President declared the favorable report adopted.

Councilmember Schleifer made a motion, which was duly seconded, that the appointment of Desyree Dixon, LCDW-C be confirmed.

The roll was called, resulting as follows:

Yeas - President and Councilmembers Cohen, McCray, Dorsey, Conway, Schleifer, Middleton, Torrence, Burnett, Bullock, Porter, Costello, Stokes, Glover, Ramos - Total 15.

Nays - 0.

The President declared the appointment of Desyree Dixon, LCDW-C.

The Appointment of

TARA N. DOATY PH.D. Member

BOARD: Trauma Informed Care Task Force

EXPIRATION OF TERM: December 3, 2024

The motion prevailed.

The President declared the favorable report adopted.

Councilmember Schleifer made a motion, which was duly seconded, that the appointment of Tara N. Doaty, Ph. D., be confirmed.

The roll was called, resulting as follows:

Yeas - President and Councilmembers Cohen, McCray, Dorsey, Conway, Schleifer, Middleton, Torrence, Burnett, Bullock, Porter, Costello, Stokes, Glover, Ramos - Total 15.

Nays - 0.

The President declared the appointment of Tara N. Doaty, Ph. D.

The Appointment of

PANAGIS GALIATSATOS, MD, MHS Member

BOARD: Trauma Informed Care Task Force

EXPIRATION OF TERM: December 3, 2024

The motion prevailed.

The President declared the favorable report adopted.

Councilmember Schleifer made a motion, which was duly seconded, that the appointment of Panagis Galiatsatos, MD, MHS be confirmed.

The roll was called, resulting as follows:

Yeas - President and Councilmembers Cohen, McCray, Dorsey, Conway, Schleifer, Middleton, Torrence, Burnett, Bullock, Porter, Costello, Stokes, Glover, Ramos - Total 15.

Nays - 0.

The President declared the appointment of Panagis Galiatsatos, MD, MHS.

The Appointment of

LINDSAY R. GAVIN, PH.D. Member

BOARD: Trauma Informed Care Task Force

EXPIRATION OF TERM: December 3, 2024

The motion prevailed.

The President declared the favorable report adopted.

Councilmember Schleifer made a motion, which was duly seconded, that the appointment of Lindsay R. Gavin, Ph.D. be confirmed.

The roll was called, resulting as follows:

Yeas - President and Councilmembers Cohen, McCray, Dorsey, Conway, Schleifer, Middleton, Torrence, Burnett, Bullock, Porter, Costello, Stokes, Glover, Ramos - Total 15.

Nays - 0.

The President declared the appointment of Lindsay R. Gavin, Ph.D.

The Appointment of

MONICA GUERRERO-VAZQUEZ Member

BOARD: Trauma Informed Care Task Force

EXPIRATION OF TERM: December 3, 2024

The motion prevailed.

The President declared the favorable report adopted.

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Councilmember Schleifer made a motion, which was duly seconded, that the appointment of Monica Guerrero-Vazquez be confirmed.

The roll was called, resulting as follows:

Yeas - President and Councilmembers Cohen, McCray, Dorsey, Conway, Schleifer, Middleton, Torrence, Burnett, Bullock, Porter, Costello, Stokes, Glover, Ramos - Total 15.

Nays - 0.

The President declared the appointment of Monica Guerrero-Vazquez.

The Appointment of

LYDELL HILLS Member

BOARD: Trauma Informed Care Task Force

EXPIRATION OF TERM: December 3, 2024

The motion prevailed.

The President declared the favorable report adopted.

Councilmember Schleifer made a motion, which was duly seconded, that the appointment of Lydell Hills be confirmed.

The roll was called, resulting as follows:

Yeas - President and Councilmembers Cohen, McCray, Dorsey, Conway, Schleifer, Middleton, Torrence, Burnett, Bullock, Porter, Costello, Stokes, Glover, Ramos - Total 15.

Nays - 0.

The President declared the appointment of Lydell Hills.

The Appointment of

MARK E. JEWS Member

BOARD: Trauma Informed Care Task Force

EXPIRATION OF TERM: December 3, 2024

The motion prevailed.

The President declared the favorable report adopted.

Councilmember Schleifer made a motion, which was duly seconded, that the appointment of Mark E. Jews be confirmed.

The roll was called, resulting as follows:

Yeas - President and Councilmembers Cohen, McCray, Dorsey, Conway, Schleifer, Middleton, Torrence, Burnett, Bullock, Porter, Costello, Stokes, Glover, Ramos - Total 15.

Nays - 0.

The President declared the appointment of Mark E. Jews.

The Appointment of

BRENDAN M. MCFADDEN Member

BOARD: Trauma Informed Care Task Force

EXPIRATION OF TERM: December 3, 2024

The motion prevailed.

The President declared the favorable report adopted.

Councilmember Schleifer made a motion, which was duly seconded, that the appointment of Brendan M. McFadden be confirmed.

The roll was called, resulting as follows:

Yeas - President and Councilmembers Cohen, McCray, Dorsey, Conway, Schleifer, Middleton, Torrence, Burnett, Bullock, Porter, Costello, Stokes, Glover, Ramos - Total 15.

Nays - 0.

The President declared the appointment of Brendan M. McFadden.

The Appointment of

TAMAR MEDELSON, PH.D. Member

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The motion prevailed.

The President declared the favorable report adopted.

Councilmember Schleifer made a motion, which was duly seconded, that the appointment of Tamar Medelson, Ph. D., be confirmed.

The roll was called, resulting as follows:

Yeas - President and Councilmembers Cohen, McCray, Dorsey, Conway, Schleifer, Middleton, Torrence, Burnett, Bullock, Porter, Costello, Stokes, Glover, Ramos - Total 15.

Nays - 0.

The President declared the appointment of Tamar Medelson, Ph. D.

The Appointment of

JAELA MORRIS/YOUNG ELDER Member

BOARD: Trauma Informed Care Task Force

EXPIRATION OF TERM: December 3, 2024

The motion prevailed.

The President declared the favorable report adopted.

Councilmember Schleifer made a motion, which was duly seconded, that the appointment of Jaela Morris/Young Elder be confirmed.

The roll was called, resulting as follows:

Yeas - President and Councilmembers Cohen, McCray, Dorsey, Conway, Schleifer, Middleton, Torrence, Burnett, Bullock, Porter, Costello, Stokes, Glover, Ramos - Total 15.

Nays - 0.

The President declared the appointment of Jaela Morris/Young Elder.

The Appointment of

SHAWNA MURRAY-BROWNE Member

BOARD: Trauma Informed Care Task Force

EXPIRATION OF TERM: December 3, 2024

The motion prevailed.

The President declared the favorable report adopted.

Councilmember Schleifer made a motion, which was duly seconded, that the appointment of Shawna Murray-Browne be confirmed.

The roll was called, resulting as follows:

Yeas - President and Councilmembers Cohen, McCray, Dorsey, Conway, Schleifer, Middleton, Torrence, Burnett, Bullock, Porter, Costello, Stokes, Glover, Ramos - Total 15.

Nays - 0.

The President declared the appointment of Shawna Murray-Browne.

The Appointment of

NNEKA NNAMDI Member

BOARD: Trauma Informed Care Task Force

EXPIRATION OF TERM: December 3, 2024

The motion prevailed.

The President declared the favorable report adopted.

Councilmember Schleifer made a motion, which was duly seconded, that the appointment of Nneka Nnamdi be confirmed.

The roll was called, resulting as follows:

Yeas - President and Councilmembers Cohen, McCray, Dorsey, Conway, Schleifer, Middleton, Torrence, Burnett, Bullock, Porter, Costello, Stokes, Glover, Ramos - Total 15.

Nays - 0.

The President declared the appointment of Nneka Nnamdi.

The Appointment of

DESTINI PHILPOT Member

BOARD: Trauma Informed Care Task Force

EXPIRATION OF TERM: December 3, 2024

The motion prevailed.

The President declared the favorable report adopted.

Councilmember Schleifer made a motion, which was duly seconded, that the appointment of Destini Philpot be confirmed.

The roll was called, resulting as follows:

Yeas - President and Councilmembers Cohen, McCray, Dorsey, Conway, Schleifer, Middleton, Torrence, Burnett, Bullock, Porter, Costello, Stokes, Glover, Ramos - Total 15.

Nays - 0.

The President declared the appointment of Destini Philpot.

The Appointment of

COLBY SANGREE Member

BOARD: Trauma Informed Care Task Force

EXPIRATION OF TERM: December 3, 2024

The motion prevailed.

The President declared the favorable report adopted.

Councilmember Schleifer made a motion, which was duly seconded, that the appointment of Colby Sangree be confirmed.

The roll was called, resulting as follows:

Yeas - President and Councilmembers Cohen, McCray, Dorsey, Conway, Schleifer, Middleton, Torrence, Burnett, Bullock, Porter, Costello, Stokes, Glover, Ramos - Total 15.

Nays - 0.

The President declared the appointment of Colby Sangree.

The Appointment of

ANIVA TAYLOR Member

BOARD: Trauma Informed Care Task Force

EXPIRATION OF TERM: December 3, 2024

The motion prevailed.

The President declared the favorable report adopted.

Councilmember Schleifer made a motion, which was duly seconded, that the appointment of Aniva Taylor be confirmed.

The roll was called, resulting as follows:

Yeas - President and Councilmembers Cohen, McCray, Dorsey, Conway, Schleifer, Middleton, Torrence, Burnett, Bullock, Porter, Costello, Stokes, Glover, Ramos - Total 15.

Nays - 0.

The President declared the appointment of Aniva Taylor.

The Appointment of

FAREEHA WAHEED Member

BOARD: Trauma Informed Care Task Force

EXPIRATION OF TERM: December 3, 2024

The motion prevailed.

The President declared the favorable report adopted.

Councilmember Schleifer made a motion, which was duly seconded, that the appointment of Fareeha Waheed be confirmed.

The roll was called, resulting as follows:

Yeas - President and Councilmembers Cohen, McCray, Dorsey, Conway, Schleifer, Middleton, Torrence, Burnett, Bullock, Porter, Costello, Stokes, Glover, Ramos - Total 15.

Nays - 0.

The President declared the appointment of Fareeha Waheed.

The Appointment of

COREY WITHERSPOON Member

BOARD: Trauma Informed Care Task Force

EXPIRATION OF TERM: December 3, 2024

The motion prevailed.

The President declared the favorable report adopted.

Councilmember Schleifer made a motion, which was duly seconded, that the appointment of Corey Witherspoon be confirmed.

The roll was called, resulting as follows:

Yeas - President and Councilmembers Cohen, McCray, Dorsey, Conway, Schleifer, Middleton, Torrence, Burnett, Bullock, Porter, Costello, Stokes, Glover, Ramos - Total 15.

Nays - 0.

The President declared the appointment of Corey Witherspoon.

# BILL NO. 21-0012R REPORTED FAVORABLY AND ADOPTED

Councilmember Stokes, for the Education, Workforce, and Youth Committee, reported Bill No. 21-0012R favorably.

# A COUNCIL RESOLUTION CONCERNING

# Investigative Hearing - Safe Return to In-Person Schooling

FOR the purpose of inviting the CEO of the Baltimore City Public School System to provide the City Council with an update regarding safety precautions the School System is taking for the return of students to in-person schooling and inviting representatives from the Baltimore City Fire Department, Health Department, and Department of Housing and Community Development to comment on the adequacy of those safety precautions.

#### Recitals

**WHEREAS**, Due to the pandemic, the majority of Baltimore City schoolchildren have been participating in virtual schooling since last spring;

**WHEREAS**, The Baltimore City Public School System ("BCPSS") will gradually introduce more students back to traditional in-person classes beginning with the start of the second semester, specifically students in kindergarten through 5<sup>th</sup> grade as well as 9<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> grade students, although families will have the option to remain in virtual learning; and

WHEREAS, The City Council and the public need to know what safety precautions BCPSS is taking in reopening schools to some students, such as whether all teachers will be vaccinated before students are allowed back, how classrooms will be organized for social distancing, information regarding ventilation systems in the schools, and whether the systems can adequately protect building visitors, etc.

Now, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF BALTIMORE, That the City Council invites the CEO of the Baltimore City Public School System is taking for the return of students to in-person schooling and inviting representatives from the Baltimore City Fire Department, Health Department, and Department of Housing and Community Development to comment on the adequacy of those safety precautions.

**AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, That a copy of this Resolution be sent to the Mayor, the CEO of the Baltimore City Public School System, the Health Commissioner, the Fire Chief, the Acting Commissioner of the Department of Housing and Community Development, and the Mayor's Legislative Liaison to the City Council.

Favorable report adopted.

The roll was called on the adoption of the Resolution, resulting as follows:

Yeas - President and Councilmembers Cohen, McCray, Dorsey, Henry, Schleifer, Middleton, Pinkett, Burnett, Bullock, Reisinger, Costello, Stokes, Sneed, Clarke - Total 15.

Nays - 0.

The President declared the Resolution adopted.

# BILL NO. 21-0017 REPORTED FAVORABLY, WITH AMENDMENTS, AND ORDERED PRINTED FOR THIRD READING

Councilmember Conway, for the Public Safety and Government Operations Committee, reported Bill No. 21-0017 favorably, with amendments.

An Ordinance requiring that the Department of Human Resources, the Parking Authority of Baltimore City, and the Department of Finance submit a report to the Mayor and City Council evaluating certain matters related to providing parking and commuter benefits to City employees; and providing for a special effective date.

Committee Amendments to City Council Bill No. 21-0017

### Amendment No. 1

On page 1, in lines 3 and 9, in each instance, after "Resources", insert ", the Parking Authority of Baltimore City,".

The amendments were read and adopted.

Favorable report, as amended, adopted.

The bill, as amended, was read the second time and ordered printed for third reading.

# BILL NO. 21-0018 REPORTED FAVORABLY, WITH AMENDMENTS, AND ORDERED PRINTED FOR THIRD READING

Councilmember Conway, for the Public Safety and Government Operations Committee, reported Bill No. 21-0018 favorably, with amendments.

An Ordinance requiring that Baltimore City Information and Technology, in consultation with certain other agencies, submit a report to the Mayor and City Council evaluating methods and systems of dispatching towing vehicles within Baltimore City; and providing for a special effective date.

Committee Amendments to City Council Bill No. 21-0018

#### Amendment No. 1

On page 1, in line 10, after the second comma, insert "the Department of General Services,".

The amendments were read and adopted.

Favorable report, as amended, adopted.

The bill, as amended, was read the second time and ordered printed for third reading.

# MOTION TO SUSPEND CITY COUNCIL RULES 10-2 AND 10-3 WITH REGARD TO BILL NO. 21-0032

Councilmember Costello made a motion, duly seconded, to suspend Rules 10-2 and 10-3 in order to have an early hearing on Bill No. 21-0032.

The motion carried without exception, and the President declared the rules suspended with regard to the bill. Then Councilmember Costello announced a hearing date for the bill.

#### **ADJOURNMENT**

On motion of Councilmember, duly seconded, the City Council adjourned to meet on Monday, 22 2021, at 5:00 p.m.

# Consent Calendar

CR 43 President Mosby, All Members

A City Council Resolution congratulating Jeanne Keels on your retiring from the Department of Housing and Community Development after 30 years of service.

CR 44 President Mosby, All Members

A City Council Resolution congratulating James Majors on your retirement from the Department of Housing and Community Development after 33 years of service.

CR 45 President Mosby, All Members

A City Council Resolution congratulating Julian Min on your commitment to our city and appointment as President of the Korean Society of Baltimore.

CR 46 President Mosby, All Members

A City Council Resolution on the death of Andrea C. Smith, January 24, 1966 – January 18, 2021.

CR 47 President Mosby, All Members

A City Council Resolution on the death of Mother Daisy B. Wallace, August 12, 1934 – January 4, 2021.

CR 48 President Mosby, All Members

A City Council Resolution on the death of Calvin Gerald McRae, Jr., March 2, 1969 – January 15, 2021.

CR 49 President Mosby, All Members

A City Council Resolution on the death of Latara Googins, December 3, 1986 – December 30, 2020.

CR 50 President Mosby, All Members

A City Council Resolution on the death of Jean M. Dahl, December 23, 2021 – January 25, 2021.

CR 51 President Mosby, All Members

A City Council Resolution on the death of Carylon Yvonne Whack, March 14, 1947 – January 3, 2021.

CR 52 President Mosby, All Members

A City Council Resolution on the death of Patricia Ann Briscoe, February 7, 1947 – January 19, 2021.

CR 53 President Mosby, All Members

A City Council Resolution congratulating Carol J. Wilson on 33 years of service with the City of Baltimore, we thank you!

- CR 54 President Mosby, All Members
  A City Council Resolution congratulating Hosea T. Chew on your 20th year as Music
  Director and your exemplary service to the Mt. Lebanon Baptist Church as well as
  your 40th year as Church Musician throughout the City of Baltimore and beyond.
- CR 55 President Mosby, Councilmember Torrence and All Members A City Council Resolution on the death of Emma Hale, May 26, 1934 – January 22, 2021.
- CR 56 President Mosby, All Members
  A City Council Resolution on the death of Linda Gaines, May 10th, 1953 January 31st, 2021.