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Title: City Property - Naming the Baseball Diamond, located in the Southeast Portion of Swann Park, 300 West McComas Street, the Al Kaline Field
For the purpose of naming the baseball diamond, located in the southeast portion of Swann Park, 300 West McComas Street, the Al Kaline Field.

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Date	Ver.	Action By	Action	Result
7/22/2019	0	Mayor	Signed by Mayor	
6/11/2019	0	City Council	Approved and Sent to the Mayor	
5/13/2019	0	City Council	3rd Reader, for final passage	
5/13/2019	0	Judiciary and Legislative Investigations	Recommended Favorably	
5/7/2019	0	Judiciary and Legislative Investigations	Recommended Favorably	Pass
4/22/2019	0	Judiciary and Legislative Investigations	Scheduled for a Public Hearing	
3/14/2019	0	The City Council	Refer to Dept. of Recreation and Parks	
3/14/2019	0	The City Council	Refer to Dept. of Real Estate	
3/14/2019	0	The City Council	Refer to Dept. of Transportation	
3/14/2019	0	The City Council	Refer to Dept. of Finance	
3/14/2019	0	The City Council	Refer to City Solicitor	
3/14/2019	0	The City Council	Refer to Planning Commission	
3/11/2019	0	City Council	Assigned	
3/11/2019	0	City Council	Introduced	

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Introductory*

City of Baltimore

Council Bill

Introduced by: Councilmember Costello

A Bill Entitled

An Ordinance concerning

City Property - Naming the Baseball Diamond, located in the Southeast Portion of Swann Park, 300 West McComas Street, the Al Kaline Field

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By authority of

Article 5 - Finance, Property, and Procurement

Section 20-2

Baltimore City Code

(Edition 2000)

Recitals

Al Kaline, nicknamed “Mr. Tiger”, is a former Major League Baseball right fielder, who played his entire 22-year baseball career with the Detroit Tigers. For most of his career, he played the outfield, where he won 10 Gold Gloves, was selected to play in 18 All-Star games, and reached the 3,000 hits milestone.

Baltimore can claim Al Kaline as one of its own. He was born and raised in Baltimore and was an outstanding pitcher in youth baseball. He graduated from Southern High School, where he earned all-state honors in baseball all four years. He joined the Detroit Tigers directly from high school, where he went on to have an outstanding career.

It would be fitting to honor this native son of Baltimore, by naming the baseball diamond in Swann Park, the Al Kaline Field.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, That the baseball diamond, located in the southeast portion of Swann Park, 300 West McComas Street, is named the Al Kaline Field.

Section 2. And be it further ordained, That this Ordinance takes effect on the 30th day after the date it is enacted.