



Legislation Text

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Introductory*

**City of Baltimore
Council Bill**

Introduced by: The Council President
At the request of: The Administration (Department of Finance)

A Bill Entitled

An Ordinance concerning
Supplementary State Fund Operating Appropriation - Department of Public Works - \$3,000,000
For the purpose of providing a Supplementary State Fund Operating Appropriation in the amount of \$3,000,000 to the Department of Public Works - Service 730 (Public and Private Energy Performance), to provide funding for the installation of Combined Heat and Power (CHP) at the Back River Waste Water Treatment Plant; and providing for a special effective date.

By authority of
Article VI - Board of Estimates
Section 8(b)(2) and (c)
Baltimore City Charter
(1996 Edition)

Recitals

The revenue appropriated by this Ordinance represents a grant from the Maryland Department of the Environment, developed and administered by the Maryland Water Quality Financing Administration, in excess of the revenue relied on by the Board of Estimates in determining the tax levy required to balance the budget for Fiscal Year 2017.

That grant could not have been expected with reasonable certainty when the Ordinance of Estimates for Fiscal Year 2017 was formulated.

On October 26, 2016, the Board of Estimates recommended this appropriation to the City Council.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, That \$3,000,000 shall be made available to the Department of Public Works - Service 730 (Public and Private Energy Performance) as a Supplementary State Fund Operating Appropriation for Fiscal Year 2017, to provide funding for the installation of Combined Heat and Power (CHP) at the Back River Waste Water Treatment Plant. The source of revenue for this appropriation is the grant from the Maryland Department of the Environment, developed and administered by the Maryland Water Quality Financing Administration, in excess of the amount from this source that was relied on by the Board of Estimates in determining the tax levy required to balance the budget for Fiscal Year 2017.

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