



## Legislation Details

**File #:** 23-0445      **Version:** 0      **Name:** Charter Amendment - Baltimore City Police Department  
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**Title:** Charter Amendment - Baltimore City Police Department  
 For the purpose of establishing the objectives, powers, and duties of the Baltimore City Police Department; defining certain terms; creating the role of the Police Commissioner and establishing the Commissioner as the head of the Department; providing for the appointment and confirmation of the Commissioner; establishing the powers and duties of the Commissioner; establishing the powers and duties of police officers; providing for police officers' enjoyment of certain immunities and defenses; and submitting this amendment to the qualified voters of the City for adoption or rejection.

**Sponsors:** Mark Conway, Administration City Council, President Nicholas J. Mosby

**Indexes:** Charter Amendment, Police

**Code sections:**

**Attachments:** 1. 23-0445~1st Reader, 2. 23-0445- Law, 3. BC - TESTIMONY ON #23-0445 (Briana N Ciccarino), 4. CC #23-0445 Charter LC JUFJ DITZ Nov 29 2023 (Toby Ditz), 5. Jo-Ann Orlinsky\_Testimonyon#23-0445 (Jo-Ann Orlinsky), 6. SLEWITUS\_Testimony2023\_23-0445 (Sarah Lewitus), 7. ELEWITUS\_Testimony2023\_23-0445 (Eric Lewitus), 8. Local Control Testimony - 23-0445 - TSH (Taylor Smith-Hams), 9. BPD 23-0445, 10. Finance 23-0445, 11. 23-0445 OECR Bill Report, 12. Local Control Charter Amendment Testimony (Samantha Master), 13. 11 FINAL BILL SYNOPSIS - CC23-0445 (UPDATED 11.29.23), 14. COW ATTENDANCE SHEETS 11.29.23, 15. 10 COW - Hearing Notes CC23-0445 & CC23-0449 (11.29.23), 16. cc23-0445(1)~1st (Administration) Amendments, 17. cc23-0445(2)~1st (Conway) Amendments, 18. cc23-0445(2)~1st (Administration) Amendments, 19. 2nd Reader Amendments 23-0445(1)~1st (COW).pdf, 20. cc23-0445(1)~1st (Dorsey - Floor).pdf, 21. 23-0445~3rd Reader v2.pdf, 22. Voting Form CC23-0445, 23. COW - ATTENDANCE SHEET - Townhall Meeting #2 - 12-7-23, 24. 23-0445 Signed, 25. 23-0445 Completed Ordinance 24-310

Date	Ver.	Action By	Action	Result
1/29/2024	0	Mayor	Signed by Mayor	
12/18/2023	0	Baltimore City Council	Advanced to 3rd Reader on same day	
12/18/2023	0	Baltimore City Council	Approved and Sent to the Mayor	
12/18/2023	0	Committee of the Whole	Recommended Favorably with Amendment	
12/12/2023	0	Committee of the Whole	Recommended Favorably with Amendment	Pass
11/27/2023	0	Committee of the Whole	Scheduled for a Public Hearing	
11/2/2023	0	Baltimore City Council	Refer to City Solicitor	
11/2/2023	0	Baltimore City Council	Refer to Police Department	
11/2/2023	0	Baltimore City Council	Refer to Office of Civil Rights and Wage Enforcement	
11/2/2023	0	Baltimore City Council	Refer to Dept. of Finance	

10/30/2023	0	Baltimore City Council	Assigned
10/30/2023	0	Baltimore City Council	Introduced
10/30/2023	0	Committee of the Whole	Scheduled for a Public Hearing
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