

City of Baltimore

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Legislation Details

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Recommendations for Board of Estimates Article

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For the purpose of modernizing various public notice provisions, including removing mandatory requirements for notice to be published in a newspaper of general circulation in Baltimore City; creating a process for the Board of Estimates to set the thresholds for contracts required to be formally advertised or be approved by the Board of Estimates; equalizing the requirements for both bids and proposals sought by the City; allow for earlier notice of City contracts; increasing the Board of Estimates flexibility in opening and awarding contracts; establishing a process to allow for more varied forms of bid security rather than just bid bonds; removing certain provisions from the Charter relating to bonding for City employees and the submission of plans to the Board of Estimates that are more appropriately handled by regulation; allowing for the State's Attorney of Baltimore City to be

covered by the Compensation Commission for Elected Officials; setting a special effective date; and submitting this amendment to the qualified voters of the City for adoption or rejection.

Sponsors: City Council President (Administration)

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6/14/2018	0	The City Council	Refer to City Solicitor	
6/14/2018	0	The City Council	Refer to Dept. of Finance	
6/11/2018	0	City Council	Assigned	
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