



Legislation Details

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Title: Office to End Homelessness - Establishment, Administration, and Permanent Housing Voucher Program
For the purpose of establishing the Baltimore City Office to End Homelessness; declaring that the policy of the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore to make homelessness rare, brief, and non-recurring; providing that the Office will be led by an Executive Director appointed by the Mayor and confirmed by the City Council; establishing the duties of the Office; requiring certain reports; establishing the Permanent Housing Voucher Program; providing for certain funding for the Permanent Housing Voucher Program; setting forth the eligibility requirements for the Permanent Housing Voucher Program; requiring that the Office adopt rules and regulations to administer the Permanent Housing Voucher Program; establishing procedures on a family’s admission into the Permanent Housing Voucher Program; setting forth certain programmatic functions for the Permanent Housing Voucher Program through tenant-based vouchers and project-based vouchers; providing for the termination of assistance under the Permanent Housing Voucher Program for certain enumerated reasons; providing for hearings for certain terminations and denials of assistance; establishing certain hearing procedures and the conduct of the hearings; repealing City Code Article 1, Subtitle 24 {“Overnight Shelters”} as duplicative; defining certain terms; generally relating to ending homelessness in Baltimore; and providing for a special effective date.

Sponsors: Ryan Dorsey, Bill Henry, Sharon Green Middleton, John T. Bullock, Mary Pat Clarke, Edward Reisinger, Zeke Cohen, Robert Stokes, Sr., Kristerfer Burnett, Danielle McCray, Mayor Brandon M. Scott

Indexes: Administration, Establishment, Homelessness, Housing, Program, Voucher

Code sections:

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| Date | Ver. | Action By | Action | Result |
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| 12/7/2020 | 0 | City Council | Failed | |
| 11/16/2020 | 0 | City Council | Advanced to 3rd Reader on same day | |
| 11/16/2020 | 0 | City Council | Approved and Sent to the Mayor | |
| 11/16/2020 | 0 | Housing and Urban Affairs Committee | Recommended Favorably with Amendment | |
| 11/10/2020 | 0 | Housing and Urban Affairs Committee | Recommended Favorably with Amendment | Pass |
| 10/19/2020 | 0 | Housing and Urban Affairs Committee | Scheduled for Voting Session | |
| 10/19/2020 | 0 | Housing and Urban Affairs Committee | Worksession | |
| 9/21/2020 | 0 | Housing and Urban Affairs Committee | Scheduled for a Public Hearing | |

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| 8/20/2020 | 0 | The City Council | Refer to Dept. of Finance |
| 8/20/2020 | 0 | The City Council | Refer to Housing Authority of Baltimore City |
| 8/20/2020 | 0 | The City Council | Refer to Mayor's Office of Human Services |
| 8/20/2020 | 0 | The City Council | Refer to Office of the Mayor |
| 8/20/2020 | 0 | The City Council | Refer to City Solicitor |
| 8/20/2020 | 0 | The City Council | Refer to Dept. of Housing and Community Development |
| 8/17/2020 | 0 | City Council | Introduced |
| 8/17/2020 | 0 | City Council | Assigned |