



Office of the Comptroller

To: Celeste Amato, Clerk to the Board of Estimates
From: Bill Henry, Comptroller
Date: June 20, 2023
Re: BOE 6/21/2023 Abstention Memo

Based on the final agenda for the Board of Estimates' June 21, 2023 meeting, I have the following abstentions to report:

- SB-23-12046 - Employees' Retirement Systems - Personnel - Employee Travel Request
- SB-23-12184 - Fire - Personnel - Employee Travel Request
- SB-23-11923 - Human Resources - Personnel - Employee Travel Request
- SB-23-12111 - Law - Personnel - Employee Travel Request
- SB-23-12124 - Law - Personnel - Employee Travel Request
- SB-23-12216 - Mayoralty - Personnel - Employee Travel Request
- SB-23-12185 - Mayoralty - Personnel - Employee Travel Request
- SB-23-12215 - Mayoralty - Personnel - Employee Travel Request
- SB-23-12088 - Office of Equity and Civil Rights - Personnel - Employee Travel Request
- SB-23-12086 - Office of Equity and Civil Rights - Personnel - Employee Travel Request
- SB-23-12087 - Office of Equity and Civil Rights - Personnel - Employee Travel Request
- SB-23-11730 - Office of Equity and Civil Rights - Personnel - Employee Travel Request
- SB-23-12183 - Police - Personnel - Employee Travel Request
- SB-23-12181 - Police - Personnel - Employee Travel Request
- SB-23-12179 - Police - Personnel - Employee Travel Request
- SB-23-12180 - Police - Personnel - Employee Travel Request
- SB-23-12182 - Police - Personnel - Employee Travel Request
- SB-23-12178 - Sheriff - Personnel - Employee Travel Request

I am abstaining from all travel requests while my office engages with the Administration in collaborative discussions to rationalize the process for approval and oversight of travel requests in the context of implementation of the Workday financial management system.

Secondly, I am abstaining on the following item:

1. SB-23-12051 Transfer of Funds to Baltimore Civic Fund (BCF)

I am abstaining on this item while I discuss standards for transfers of funds to the Baltimore Civic Fund.

I would appreciate your making this Memorandum part of the Board's record for its June 21, 2023 meeting. Should you have any questions or need any additional information, please feel free to contact me at 410-396-4755.

Cc: Honorable President Nick J. Mosby

Members of the Board of Estimates