

MURIEL BOWSER MAYOR

July 24, 2020

The Honorable Phil Mendelson Chairman Council of the District of Columbia John A. Wilson Building 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Suite 504 Washington, DC 20004-3001

SUBJECT: FY 2020 Reprogramming Request: \$ 11,384,722.00 within the Department of Parks and Recreation

Dear Chairman Mendelson:

Pursuant to D.C. Official Code § 47-363(a), I am transmitting the enclosed request to reprogram \$ 11,384,722.00 of Fiscal Year 2020 Local Funds budget within the Department of Parks and Recreation (DPR).

This emergency, the "Department of Parks and Recreation Reprogramming Emergency Approval Act of 2020" and accompanying emergency declaration resolution are necessary to support the reclassification of Local funds expenses within various personal and nonpersonal services budget categories, which is required because of a projected revenue shortfall in one of DPR's Special Purpose Revenue funds. Budget is available in Local funds because of the agency's projected curtailment of expenditures in the specified categories.

I urge the Council to take prompt and favorable action on this measure.

Sincerely,

Murie Bowser

Mayor of the District of Columbia

Enclosure

cc: Rashad M. Young, City Administrator

Jeffrey S. DeWitt, Chief Financial Officer

Jennifer Budoff, Budget Director, Council of the District of Columbia

Jennifer Reed, Director, Office of Budget and Performance Management, Office of the City Administrator

Angell Jacobs, Deputy Chief Financial Officer and Chief of Staff, Office of the Chief Financial Officer

Gordon McDonald, Deputy Chief Financial Officer, Office of Budget and Planning Eric M. Cannady, Director, Operating Budget, Office of Budget and Planning Angelique Hayes Rice, Associate Chief Financial Officer, Government Operations

Michael Bolden, Financial Operations Director, Government Operations Cluster

Chairman Phil Mendelson at the request of the Mayor A BILL IN THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA To approve, on an emergency basis, the reprogramming request of Fiscal Year 2020 local funds in the amount of \$11,384,722 within the Department of Parks and Recreation. BE IT ENACTED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, That this act may be cited as the "Department of Parks and Recreation Reprogramming Emergency Approval Act of 2020". Sec. 2. (a) Pursuant to section 47-363 of the District of Columbia Official Code, the Mayor transmitted to the Council a reprogramming request in the amount of \$11,384,722 within the Department of Parks and Recreation. (b) The Council approves the \$11,384,722 reprogramming request. Sec. 3. Effective date. This act shall take effect following approval by the Mayor (or in the event of veto by the Mayor, action by the Council to override that veto), and shall remain in effect for no longer than 90 days, as provided for emergency acts of the Council of the District of Columbia in section 412(a) of the District of Columbia Home Rule Act, approved December 24, 1973 (87 Stat. 788;

D.C. Official Code § 1-204.12(a)).

GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA Office of the Attorney General



Legal Counsel Division

MEMORANDUM

TO:

Ronan Gulstone

Director

Office of Policy and Legislative Affairs

FROM:

Brian K. Flowers

Deputy Attorney General Legal Counsel Division

DATE:

July 23, 2020

SUBJECT:

Legal Sufficiency Review of Draft Legislation, the "Department of Parks and

Recreation Reprogramming Emergency Approval Act of 2020" and

Accompanying Emergency Declaration

(AE-20-254)

This is to Certify that this Office has reviewed the above-referenced draft legislation and found it to be legally sufficient. If you have any questions in this regard, please do not hesitate to call me at 724-5524.

BKF/A.Parker Brian K. Flowers