The Charter of Baltimore City

Article II - General Powers

Section (63)(a)(1) and (h)

(1996 Edition, as amended)

(As enacted by Chapter 732 of the Acts of the General Assembly of 1994, as amended by Chapter 655 of the Acts of the General Assembly of 1997)

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

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Section 3

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

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The Mayor and City Council of Baltimore shall have full power and authority to exercise all of the powers heretofore or hereafter granted to it by the Constitution of Maryland or by any Public General or Public Local Laws of the State of Maryland; and in particular, without limitation upon the foregoing, shall have power by ordinance, or such other method as may be provided for in its Charter, subject to the provisions of said Constitution and Public General Laws:

- (63) (a) (1) To establish, by ordinance, not more than six community benefits district management authorities, including the Charles Village Community Benefits District AND THE MIDTOWN COMMUNITY BENEFITS DISTRICT, within the City to provide services consistent with paragraph (2) of this subsection to the business interests and residents of the proposed district.
- (h) (1) The [General Assembly] MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF BALTIMORE CITY shall review and determine the desirability of continuing the existence of each community benefits district established under this section every 4 years beginning with the [regular legislative session] FIRST MEETING OF THE CITY COUNCIL IN DECEMBER of 2000:
- (I) BEGINNING WITH THE FIRST MEETING OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL IN DECEMBER, 2002 FOR THE CHARLES VILLAGE COMMUNITY BENEFITS DISTRICT;
- AND CITY COUNCIL IN DECEMBER, 2003 FOR THE MIDTOWN COMMUNITY BENEFITS DISTRICT; AND
- (III) BEGINNING 4 YEARS AFTER THE DATE OF THE ESTABLISHMENT OF ANY OTHER COMMUNITY BENEFITS DISTRICT CREATED UNDER THIS SECTION.