COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW Washington, DC 20004

MEMORANDUM

TO:

Nyasha Smith, Secretary to the Council

FROM:

Phil Mendelson, Chairman

DATE:

September 15, 2022

RE:

Request to Place Measure on the Agenda for September 20, 2022

Legislative Meeting

Please place the following measures on the agenda for the September 20, 2022 Legislative Meeting:

• Omnibus Barry Farm Redevelopment Emergency Declaration Resolution of 2022

• Omnibus Barry Farm Redevelopment Emergency Act of 2022

The purpose of these street and alley closures is to allow for the development of Barry Farm. The development will include 380 public housing replacement units for rent, 320 housing units affordable for families making up to 80% of median family income for rent, 40 additional affordable units to purchase for families making up to 80% of median family income, and 160 market rate units for purchase. The Committee of the Whole approved the permanent version of this legislation, Bill 24-104, on July 12, 2022, at which time the bill was considered for first reading. The bill will be considered for second reading on September 20, 2022. Making the closing effective sooner than the congressional review would enable the project to proceed without risk of further delay.

Copies of the measures are attached. Please call me or Blaine Stum if you have any questions at (202) 724-8092.

cc:

All Councilmembers
Council Officers