

# State of Maryland

## 2016 Prior Authorization Fact Sheet

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| <b>(1) Senate Sponsor</b>   | <b>(2) House Sponsor</b> | <b>(3) Project Name</b>   |
| Sen. Mcfadden   | Del. Branch              | East Baltimore Biotechnology Park   |
| <b>(4) Jurisdiction</b>   |                          | <b>(5) Contact Information</b>  |
| Baltimore City  |                          | Name: Raymond Skinner<br>Email: raymond.skinner@ebdi.org<br>Phone: 3014669298 |
| <b>(6) Legislator Request</b>   |                          |   |
| Add language allowing the grant funds to be used for the construction of retail space.  |                          |   |
| <b>(7a) Original Senate Bond Bill</b>   |                          | <b>(8a) Original House Bond Bill</b>  |
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| <b>(7b) Senate Chapter</b>  |                          | <b>(8b) House Chapter</b>   |
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| <b>(7c) Senate Prior Authorization</b>  |                          | <b>(8c) House Prior Authorization</b>   |
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| <b>(9) In your own words, please describe in detail the project's background and your need for a prior authorization.</b>   |                          |   |
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| <b>(10) If you are requesting an extension of the date upon which evidence of a matching fund must be presented to the Board of Public Works, please explain the need for the extension. When do you expect to raise the requisite amount of matching funds, if at all?</b>   |                          |   |
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| <b>(11) If you are requesting a modification of the type of matching funds (e.g., real property, in-kind contributions, or prior funds expended) that can be used to meet your match, or are requesting the matching fund requirement be changed from an equal match to unequal match or removed altogether, please explain why the change is necessary.</b>                |                          |   |
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| <b>(12) If you are requesting an extension of the date upon which the bond funds must be expended or encumbered by the Board of Public Works, please explain the need for an extension. When do you expect to expend or encumber the funds?</b>   |                          |   |
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| <b>(13) If you are requesting to use the funds for another purpose or to expand the scope of the project, please explain the reason and need for the change.</b>  |                          |   |
| EBDI is requesting an expansion of the scope of the project in order to respond to community and elected official concerns about the lack of retail and food service options in the East Baltimore area. The change will allow space to be built out for much needed retail uses including an additional sit down restaurant, again a much requested use by area residents. |                          |   |

**(14) If you are requesting to modify the name of the grantee organization, add another grantee organization, or remove a grantee organization, please explain the reason and need for the change. If applicable, do those organizations being added or removed as grantee consent to the change?**

**(15) If this is an emergency bill, please explain the need for such action.**