COUNTY COUNCIL OF BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND Legislative Session 2022, Legislative Day No. 2

Bill No. <u>4-22</u>

Mr. <u>Julian E. Jones, Jr.</u>, Chairman By Request of County Executive

By the County Council, <u>January 18, 2022</u>

A BILL ENTITLED

AN ACT concerning

The 2021-2022 Current Expense Budget Gifts and Grants Special Revenue Fund Emergency Rental Assistance Program 2

FOR the purpose of amending the 2021-2022 Current Expense Budget, by appropriating to the Gifts and Grants Special Revenue Fund monies derived from federal funds and made available to the County through the U.S. Department of the Treasury (Treasury Department), and providing for the effective date of this Act.

WHEREAS, the Treasury Department has made a supplemental high-need emergency award of federal funds available to the Baltimore County Department of Housing and Community Development in response to the COVID-19 health crisis, to provide eligible households impacted by the COVID-19 pandemic with housing-related financial assistance and housing stability services in accordance with the guidelines and procedures established by the

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter stricken from existing law.

Strike out indicates matter stricken from bill. Underlining indicates amendments to bill.

Treasury Department governing its second round Emergency Rental Assistance Program funding, as authorized in the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with Sections 306 and 712(a) of the Baltimore County
Charter and Section 10-6-102 of the Baltimore County Code, 2015, as amended, the County
Council may accept gifts and grants, appropriate same to the Gifts and Grants Special Revenue
Fund and expend the same, said fund having been established solely for the purpose of
accounting for certain monetary gifts and grants made available to the County for restricted
purposes; and

WHEREAS, such fund remains open perpetually as a mechanism to account for the respective gift and grant appropriations and expenditures throughout the entire term of the grant period, including beyond the current expense budget fiscal year; now therefore

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE COUNTY COUNCIL OF BALTIMORE

COUNTY, MARYLAND, pursuant to the power and authority conferred upon it by Sections 306

and 712(a) of the Baltimore County Charter and Section 10-6-102 of the Baltimore County

Code, 2015, as amended, that the Current Expense Budget for the fiscal year ending June 30,

2022, be and is hereby amended by appropriating federal funds made available to the Baltimore

County Department of Housing and Community Development, in the amount herein specified, to
the following programs:

005-067-20A5 Emergency Rental Assistance Program 2 \$6,659,983

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, that this Act, having been passed by the affirmative vote of five members of the County Council, shall take effect February 22, 2022.

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