

TO: Board of Estimates, Office of Comptroller

FROM: AGC2300 - Finance

DATE: 06/28/2024

Submission #: SB-24-12137

SUBJECT: Port Covington Community Benefits District Management

Authority Fiscal 2025 Budget and Property / Tax Public Utilities

Surcharge Rates

ACTION REQUESTED OF BOARD OF ESTIMATES:

The Board is requested to approve Port Covington Community Benefits District Management Authority Fiscal 2025 Budget and Property/Tax Public Utilities Surcharge Rates.

PERIOD OF 07/01/2024 to 06/30/2025

CONTRACT/AGREEMENT:

AMOUNT AND SOURCE OF FUNDS:

Transaction Amount: \$0.00

Project Fund Amount

BACKGROUND/EXPLANATION:

The Board of Estimates has the authority to approve the annual financial plans and surcharge tax rates for the Port Covington Community Benefits District Management Authority (PCMA). The PCMA's proposed 12-month budget through Fiscal 2025 establishes a surcharge rate for taxable commercial properties located within PCMA's boundaries at \$.19 per \$100 of assessed value.

In addition to the property surcharge tax, PCMA is also authorized to impose a surcharge on public utilities. The proposed budget will maintain the rate at \$.19 per \$100 of assessed value.

A review of PCMA's Fiscal 2025 Financial Plan for the Port Covington Community Benefits district with reassessed values indicates overall revenues of \$706,967 over the 12-month period. The proposed budget through Fiscal 2025 includes \$706,967 in surcharge tax revenue. The operating Pro Forma for this period estimates \$706,688 in total expenses, which results in a surplus of \$279.

The Department of Finance recommends that the Board approve the PCMA's proposed budget plan and surcharge tax rate.

BID Sources and Uses Budget Fiscal Yr. 2025

Sources

BID Tax Surcharge \$706,967.00 **Total Sources** \$**706,967.00**

Uses

Clean and Green \$140,000.00 Landscape \$145,000.00 General and Admin \$209,653.00 Finance \$53,450.00 Marketing \$32,000.00 Insurance \$36,810.00 Equipment \$5,775.00 Placemaking/Events \$84,000.00 **Total Expenses** \$706,688.00 Surplus \$279.00

COUNCIL DISTRICT: 11th District

EMPLOY LIVING WAGE: LOCAL HIRING: PREVAILING

BALTIMORE: WAGE:

N/A N/A N/A

1% FOR PUBLIC ART: N/A.

ENDORSEMENTS:

Clerk, Board of Estimates 6/26/2024

Port Covington Community Benefits District Management Authority (PC BID) for Baltimore City Fiscal Year 2025

Proposed Budget for Baltimore City DOF & BOE

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Sources	
BID Tax Surcharge	\$706,967
Sponsorships (Third Parties)	-

Grants	-
	\$706,967



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FROM: Laura Larsen, Budget Director SUBMITTING AGENCY: Finance

DATE: 06/26/2024

SUBJECT: Port Covington Community Benefits District Management Authority Fiscal

2025 Budget and Property / Tax Public Utilities Surcharge Rates

CONTRACT/GRANT NUMBER: N/A

ACTION REQUESTED OF B/E: The Board is requested to approve Port Covington Community Benefits District Management Authority Fiscal 2025 Budget and Property / Tax Public Utilities Surcharge Rates.

PERIOD OF CONTRACT/AGREEMENT: July 1, 2024 to June 30, 2025

AMOUNT OF MONEY AND SOURCE: N/A

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MBE/WBE PARTICIPATION: N/A

EMPLOY BALTIMORE: N/A
LIVING WAGE: N/A
LOCAL HIRING: N/A
1% FOR PUBLIC ART: N/A
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FINANCE HAS REVIEWED:
LAW DEPARTMENT HAS REVIEWED:
MWBOO HAS REVIEWED:
AUDITS HAS REVIEWED:
APPROVED BY THE BOARD OF ESTIMATES:

AFFECTED COUNCIL DISTRICT: 11

Attachments from the district:



To: Baltimore City Department of Finance, Kathleen Staggers

CC: Pedro Aponte

From: Claudia Jolin, Executive Director

Date: May 31, 2024

RE: Port Covington Community Benefits District Management Authority FY25 Budget

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Thank you for your time and consideration.

Sincerely,

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