

A BILL

IN THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

To officially designate, on an emergency basis, due to congressional review, the new middle school in Square 3269 as Wells Middle School, to disapprove the Master Facilities Plan submitted by the Mayor to the Council, and to amend the School Based Budgeting and Accountability Act of 1998 to no longer require that the Council vote on the 10-year Master Facilities Plan concurrently with its vote on the Mayor's capital budget proposal.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, That this act may be cited as the “Wells School Designation and Master Facilities Plan Disapproval Congressional Review Emergency Amendment Act of 2019”.

Sec. 2. Pursuant to sections 401 and 422 of the Street and Alley Closing and Acquisition Procedures Act of 1982, effective March 10, 1983 (D.C. Law 4-201; D.C. Official Code §§ 9-204.01 and 9-204.22) (“Act”), and notwithstanding section 422(a) of the Act (D.C. Official Code § 9-204.22(a)), the Council officially designates the new middle school in Square 3269 as “Ida B. Wells Middle School”.

Sec. 3. Notwithstanding Section 1104(a)(1) of the School Based Budgeting and Accountability Act of 1998, effective March 26, 1999 (D.C. Law 12-175; D.C. Official Code § 38-2803(a)), the DC Public Education Master Facilities Plan 2018, submitted by the Mayor to the Council of the District of Columbia on March 15, 2019, is disapproved.

35 Sec. 4. Section 1104(a) of the School Based Budgeting and Accountability Act of 1998,
36 effective March 26, 1999 (D.C. Law 12-175; D.C. Official Code § 38-2803(a)), is amended by
37 striking the phrase “in accordance with this section. The Council shall vote on the 10-year
38 Master Facilities Plan concurrently with its vote on the Mayor's capital budget proposal.” and
39 inserting the phrase “in accordance with this section.” in its place.

40 Sec. 5. Fiscal impact statement.

41 The Council adopts the fiscal impact statement of the Budget Director as the fiscal impact
42 statement required by section 4a of the General Legislative Procedures Act of 1975, approved
43 October 16, 2006 (120 Stat. 2038; D.C. Official Code § 1-301.47a).

44 Sec. 6. Effective date.

45 This act shall take effect following approval by the Mayor (or in the event of veto by the
46 Mayor, action by the Council to override the veto), and shall remain in effect for no longer than
47 90 days, as provided for emergency acts of the Council of the District of Columbia in section
48 412(a) of the District of Columbia Home Rule Act, approved December 24, 1973 (87 Stat. 788;
49 D.C. Official Code § 1-204.12(a)).