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**Glen Lee** Chief Financial Officer

## **MEMORANDUM**

ТО:	The Honorable Phil Mendelson
	Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia
FROM:	Glen Lee Chief Financial Officer
DATE:	September 18, 2023
SUBJECT:	Fiscal Impact Statement – Sterling A. Brown Way Designation Act of 2023
<b>REFERENCE:</b>	Bill 25-173, Draft Bill as provided to the Office of Revenue Analysis on September 8, 2023

### Conclusion

Funds are sufficient in the fiscal year 2024 through fiscal year 2027 budget and financial plan to implement the bill.

### Background

Sterling A. Brown was born in the District of Columbia, attended Dunbar High School. Brown was a professor at Howard University and was named the first Poet Laureate of the District of Columbia in 1984. Brown lived in the District's Brookland neighborhood from 1935 to 1989. Brown passed away on January 13, 1989.

The bill symbolically designates the 1200 block of Kearny Street, N.E. as Sterling A. Brown Way. Brown lived on this block of Kearny Street, N.E.

### **Financial Plan Impact**

Funds are sufficient in the fiscal year 2024 through fiscal year 2027 budget and financial plan to implement the bill. The District Department of Transportation (DDOT) will fabricate and install two signs to symbolically designate the roadway as Sterling A. Brown Way. The signs will cost \$380 and DDOT can absorb the cost within its existing budgeted resources.