



**GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA**  
**Dupont Circle Advisory Neighborhood Commission 2B**

June 30, 2017

Chairman Donovan Anderson  
Alcoholic Beverage Control Board  
Reeves Center  
2000 14th Street NW  
Washington, DC 20009  
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RE: 1740 14th Street NW – “DBG2, LLC” – ABRA-105719 – Application for a New Retailer’s Class “C” Tavern License

Dear Chairman Anderson,

At its regular meeting on June 14, 2017, the Dupont Circle Advisory Neighborhood Commission (“ANC 2B” or “Commission”) considered the above-referenced matter. With 7 of 9 Commissioners in attendance, a quorum at a duly-noticed public meeting, the Commission approved the following resolution by a vote of (7-0-0):

WHEREAS, Dacha Beer Garden is proposing a location on the southwest corner of the intersection of 14th Street and S Street NW,

WHEREAS, the proposed location is within 600 feet of ANC 2B (Single Member District 2B09),

WHEREAS, Dacha Beer Garden is proposing an outdoor establishment that has the potential to serve up to 600 patrons at one time,

WHEREAS, the proposed location is directly adjacent to single family homes and apartment buildings,

WHEREAS, there is already a smaller beer garden located on the northeast corner of 14th Street and S Street NW,

WHEREAS, the owners/operators of Dacha Beer Garden at 1600 7th Street NW (ABRA-092773) have been found to have violated the terms of their liquor license in the past, including occupancy requirements, and

WHEREAS, the establishment of a beer garden of the size and capacity proposed by Dacha Beer Garden would adversely affect the residents of ANC 2B due to the resulting noise, congestion, parking, and trash.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that ANC 2B supports neighboring ANC 2F's protest of Dacha Beer Garden's application for a new Retailer's Class "C" Tavern license.

Due to his position on the ABC Board, Commissioner Silverstein did not participate in this discussion.

Commissioners Scott Davies ([2B09@anc.dc.gov](mailto:2B09@anc.dc.gov)) and Nicole Mann ([nicole.mann@dupontcircleanc.net](mailto:nicole.mann@dupontcircleanc.net)) are the Commission's representatives in this matter.

ON BEHALF OF THE COMMISSION.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Nicole", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Nicole Mann  
Chair