



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

May 18, 2013

Matthew Marcou, Chair  
Public Space Committee  
District Department of Transportation  
Public Space Permit Branch Third Floor  
1100 4th Street, SW Washington, D.C. 20004

Re: Consideration of resolution regarding use of public space by Hotel Palomar for valet parking (2B02)

Dear Chairman Marcou,

At its regular meeting on May 8, 2013 the Dupont Circle Advisory Neighborhood Commission (“ANC 2B” or “Commission”) considered the above-referenced matter. With all of the Commissioners present, a quorum at a duly-noticed public meeting, the Commission approved the following resolution by a vote of (9-0).

Whereas the Hotel Palomar (2121 P Street NW) operates with a valet permit granted by the District Department of Transportation (DDOT); and

Whereas Advisory Neighborhood Commission 2B (ANC2B) takes seriously pedestrian safety, believes in the proper use of public space and, where appropriate, the enforcement of infractions; and

Whereas the Hotel Palomar has repeatedly been found to valet cars for hotel customers on the sidewalk of the 2100 block of P Street NW; and

Whereas both ANC2B and neighborhood residents have reached out to the Hotel Palomar in the past to ask them to stop illegal use of public space;

Be it resolved that ANC2B asks the DDOT and the Department of Public Works (DPW) to contact the Hotel Palomar and ask them to cease and desist all illegal valet parking activity in public space;

Be it further resolved that ANC2B commits to work with DDOT and DPW to pursue additional enforcement actions if the illegal behavior does not stop.

Commissioners Kevin O’Connor(kevin.oconnor@dupontcircleanc.net), Will Stephens (will.stephens@dupontcircleanc.net), and Mike Feldstein

(mike.feldstein@dupontcircleanc.net) are the Commission's representatives in this matter.

ON BEHALF OF THE COMMISSION.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "William F. Stephens". The signature is written in a cursive style with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Will Stephens, Chair

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