



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

April 27, 2017

Mr. Sam Zimbabwe  
Chief Project Delivery Officer  
District Department of Transportation  
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Washington, DC 20003  
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RE: Proposed Study of Streetscape Improvements, Including Bike Lane Improvements,  
to 15th Street NW

Dear Mr. Zimbabwe:

At its regular meeting on April 12, 2017, the Dupont Circle Advisory Neighborhood Commission (“ANC 2B” or “Commission”) considered the above-referenced matter. With 9 of 9 Commissioners in attendance, a quorum at a duly-noticed public meeting, the Commission approved the following resolution by a vote of (9-0-0):

WHEREAS, ANC 2B represents a very diverse neighborhood of both residents and businesses which rely upon many modes of transportation including rail, bus, cars, bicycles, and walking,

WHEREAS, 15th Street NW represents a major commuting corridor for vehicles, bikes, and pedestrians, carrying traffic between the downtown business district and residential areas to the north,

WHEREAS, the population density in the Dupont Circle neighborhood has continued to increase, causing significant traffic congestion and conflicts between various modes of transport along the 15th Street NW corridor,

WHEREAS, the uncontrolled crosswalk at the intersection of 15th Street NW and N Street NW has been identified as a major safety issue for pedestrians, and

WHEREAS, the block of 15th Street NW between L Street NW and M Street NW is currently under construction and represents an opportunity to conduct major streetscape improvements.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that ANC 2B requests that the District Department of Transportation study and implement traffic management improvements at crosswalks, lane distribution, marking of bike lanes to create better visual separation for pedestrians,

bikes, and vehicles, and better landscaping of tree boxes with plantings along the section of 15th Street NW within ANC 2B.

Commissioners Randy Downs ([randy.downs@dupontcircleanc.net](mailto:randy.downs@dupontcircleanc.net)), Scott Davies ([scott.davies@dupontcircleanc.net](mailto:scott.davies@dupontcircleanc.net)), 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 Mann', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Nicole Mann  
Chair