

GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

Dupont Circle Advisory Neighborhood Commission 2B

April 14, 2014

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: Application by Kabin Group, 1337 Conn Ave NW, for valet parking (2B07)

Dear Chairperson Marcou,

At its regular meeting on April 9, 2014, the Dupont Circle Advisory Neighborhood Commission ("ANC 2B" or "Commission") considered the above-referenced matter. As you may recall, the ANC had serious concerns about valet parking operations on this particular block of Connecticut Avenue NW, because of the bottleneck that occurs in the small service lane leading from Connecticut into the Dupont Circle traffic circle. Therefore, we objected several times to applications for valet parking on this block until the staging was moved to the southernmost end of the block. We understand that the Kabin Group application is a separate application for an additional valet staging area on this same block.

With 8 of 9 Commissioners in attendance, a quorum at a duly-noticed public meeting, the Commission approved the following resolution by a vote of (8-0):

Whereas, ANC 2B has heard no problems or complaints with the existing valet parking operation at the southern end of this block, which is operated by another group of establishment working together;

Therefore be it resolved that ANC 2B objects to the Kabin Group application, because the ANC does not support another, duplicate valet staging location on this block, and because the Kabin Group applicants failed to appear to ANC meetings twice regarding this application.

Be it further resolved that ANC 2B asks DDOT to facilitate collaboration between the Kabin applicant and the existing valet permit holder, if possible.

Commissioners Will Stephens (will.stephens@dupontcircleanc.net) and Noah Smith (noah.smith@dupontcircleanc.net) are the Commission's representatives in this matter.

ON BEHALF OF THE COMMISSION.

Sincerely,

Will Stephens Chairman

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