

## GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

## **Dupont Circle Advisory Neighborhood Commission 2B**

July 22, 2013

Matthew Marcou, Chair
Public Space Committee
District Department of Transportation
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RE: Application by Third Church of Christ, Scientist, 900 16th Street NW, for a DDOT Public Space Permit (2B05)

Dear Chairman Marcou,

At its regular meeting on July 10, 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 motion by a vote of (9-0):

Whereas, Advisory Neighborhood Commission 2B has consistently shown its support for the development of 900 16th Street NW for the good of the owner, Third Church Christ, Scientist, and for the good of the community as a whole through several votes in support during several stages of the development of this project;

Whereas, the request for a public space permit made for the 900 16th Street project was already approved on the consent agenda of the Department of Transportation's Public Space Committee at its public hearing on June 27, 2013 and reflect only small changes to the details already approved by the ANC in its previous reviews of the project;

Whereas, Third Church has described and we have reviewed the changes (E.G., an expanded curb line; changes in the sidewalk and landscaped area in the street lane that had been a left turn lane when I Street was one-way eastbound; the shortening of the length of seat walls except in front of the church; the recessing of the church sign to be four feet from the sidewalk edge; the deletion of a permanent display case; and changes to use the standard DDOT paving materials and/or provide more green area).

Therefore, be it resolved that ANC 2B supports this public space permit application and informs the DDOT Public Space Committee of its approval by submitting this resolution for the record.

Commissioners Abigail Nichols (abigail.nichols@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,

Will Stephens Chairman

Cc: Catrina Harrison
Juan Amaya
Catrina Felder
Bernadette Edwards
Courtney Williams