

## GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

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

May 15, 2018

Chairman Donovan Anderson Alcoholic Beverage Control Board Reeves Center 2000 14th Street NW Washington, DC 20009 abra.legal@dc.gov

RE: 1521 17th Street NW – "AstoriaDC, LLC" – ABRA-109333 – Application for a New Retailer's Class "C" Restaurant License

Dear Chairman Anderson,

At its regular meeting on May 9, 2018, the Dupont Circle Advisory Neighborhood Commission ("ANC 2B" or "Commission") considered the above-referenced matter. 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 (8-0-0):

WHEREAS, Astoria has applied for a new Retailer's Class "C" Restaurant license at 1521 17th Street NW,

WHEREAS, the proposed location is within single-member district 2B05,

WHEREAS, Astoria is proposing a new restaurant serving Asian dumplings and a specialty cocktail menu with a total occupancy load of 99 and a sidewalk cafe with 25 seats,

WHEREAS, the proposed hours of operation; alcoholic beverage sales, service, and consumption; and live entertainment inside the premises are Sunday through Thursday, 11:00 am to 2:00 am, and Friday through Saturday, 11:00 am to 3:00 am, and

WHEREAS, the proposed hours of operation and alcoholic beverage sales, service, and consumption for the sidewalk cafe are Sunday through Thursday, 11:00 am to 12:00 am, and Friday through Saturday, 11:00 am to 1:00 am.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that ANC 2B protests Astoria's application for a new Class "C" Restaurant license based on the adverse impact on the peace, order, and quiet of the neighborhood, pending the successful negotiation of a settlement agreement between the ANC and the applicant.

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

Commissioners Randy Downs (<u>2B05@anc.dc.gov</u>) and Daniel Warwick (<u>2B02@anc.dc.gov</u>) are the Commission's representatives in this matter.

ON BEHALF OF THE COMMISSION.

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Sincerely,

Daniel Warwick

Chair