

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

October 19, 2018

Mr. Arian Gibson
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RE: Herbal Alternatives II, LLC Dispensary's Medical Marijuana Facility Renewal Application for 1710 Rhode Island Avenue NW

Dear Mr. Gibson,

At its regular meeting on October 10, 2018, the Dupont Circle Advisory Neighborhood Commission ("ANC 2B" or "Commission") considered the above-referenced matter. With 7 of 8 Commissioners in attendance, a quorum at a duly-noticed public meeting, the Commission approved the following resolution by a vote of (7-0-0):

WHEREAS, Herbal Alternatives II, LLC Dispensary is requesting a renewal of their medical marijuana facility registration,

WHEREAS, the facility has operated for just over three years at 1710 Rhode Island Avenue NW, 3rd floor in ANC 2B, assisting several thousand patients without cause for concern.

WHEREAS, this location is situated in an office building and on a block with other commercial properties,

WHEREAS, ANC 2B has no concerns regarding the potential adverse impact of the location to the neighborhood; the over-concentration or lack of dispensaries in the area; or the location's proximity to substance abuse treatment centers, daycare centers, or halfway houses, and

WHEREAS, in the summer of 2014 ANC 2B supported the facility's original registration.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that ANC 2B supports the renewal of Herbal Alternatives II, LLC Dispensary's medical marijuana facility registration.

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