



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

January 23, 2020

Mr. Soumya Dey
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RE: Traffic Safety Assessment for the Intersection of 22nd Street and O Street NW and the Intersection of 23rd Street and O Street NW

Dear Mr. Dey:

At its regular meeting on August 14, 2019, 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, the intersection of 22nd Street and O Street NW and the intersection of 23rd Street and O Street NW are vital connections from Dupont Circle to Rock Creek Park,

WHEREAS, there are concerns about the problematic vehicular sight lines and vehicular safety at the intersection of 23rd Street and O Street NW.

WHEREAS, the crosswalk at 23rd Street and O Street NW serves residents walking to the School Without Walls at Francis-Stevens, the neighborhood dog park, and P Street Beach,

WHEREAS, the east side of 23rd Street between N Street and O Street NW does not have a sidewalk, encouraging more utilization of the crosswalk at O Street NW,

WHEREAS, without a light or stop sign and a building at the northeast corner of 23rd Street and O Street NW which extends nearly to the lot line, the un-signalized crosswalk is dangerous for pedestrians, particularly when drivers speed between the signals at P Street and N Street, and

WHEREAS, there are also concerns about the problematic vehicular sight lines and vehicular safety at the intersection of 22nd Street and O Street NW.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that ANC 2B formally and urgently requests that the District Department of Transportation (DDOT) conducts a comprehensive traffic safety assessment of the intersection of 22nd Street and O Street NW and the intersection of 23rd Street and O Street NW and associated intersections as soon as can be scheduled and within the 120 day review period.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that ANC 2B requests that the Chair of the ANC's Transportation and Public Infrastructure (TPI) Committee fills out DDOT's Traffic Safety Assessment questionnaire for this request in consultation with the single member district commissioners.

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

ON BEHALF OF THE COMMISSION.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Daniel Warwick". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Daniel Warwick
Chair