



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

March 10, 2020

Ms. Tanya Mitchell
Mayor's Special Event Task Group
Homeland Security and Emergency Management Agency
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RE: Special Event Application for the 2020 17th Street Festival on Saturday, August 29th

Dear Ms. Mitchell:

At its regular meeting on February 12, 2020, 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, the 17th Street Festival is an annual gathering and celebration of the diversity of culture, restaurants, retailers, nonprofit organizations, community leaders, entrepreneurs, and local businesses of 17th Street NW, the Dupont Circle neighborhood, and the District,

WHEREAS, there are over 100 vendors, with more than 60 artists and makers displaying everything from fine art to jewelry, ceramics to crafts, and every creative item in between,

WHEREAS, the kids zone has activities for children, including a large slide, soccer, snow cones, face painting, and games throughout the day, and

WHEREAS, the 17th Street Festival takes place within the borders of ANC 2B.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that ANC 2B supports Historic Dupont Circle Main Streets’ special event application to occupy 17th Street between P Street and R Street NW in order to stage the annual 17th Street Festival on Saturday, August 29th, 2020.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that ANC 2B supports Historic Dupont Circle Main Streets’ request for complete 100% waiver of any applicable police or public space permit fees that would be charged for the event.

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 style with a large initial "D".

Daniel Warwick
Chair