

GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

Dupont Circle Advisory Neighborhood Commission 2B

September 14, 2021

Mr. Matthew Marcou Chair, Public Space Committee District Department of Transportation 1100 4th Street SW, Third Floor Washington, DC 20004 PublicSpace.Committee@dc.gov

RE: Public Space Application by the DowntownDC BID for the Installation of Planters at 725 16th Street NW and 815 16th Street NW (DDOT #377635)

Dear Chair Marcou:

At its regular meeting on September 9, 2021, 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, the DowntownDC Business Improvement District (BID) seeks to install planters at 725 16th Street NW and 815 16th Street NW to enliven Black Lives Matter Plaza,

WHEREAS, the location of the planters will be located within ANC 2B and the DowntownDC BID,

WHEREAS, over the past twenty four years the DowntownDC BID has worked to enliven and beautify the sidewalks, parks, medians, and Metrorail stations throughout their service area, and

WHEREAS, this project will continue the DowntownDC BID's legacy of public space improvements and public space activations that make the community cleaner, safer, and more vibrant.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that ANC 2B supports the DowntownDC BID's application for the installation of planters at 725 16th Street NW and 815 16th Street NW, adjacent to Black Lives Matter Plaza.

Commissioners William Herbig (<u>2B05@anc.dc.gov</u>) and Matthew Holden (<u>2B08@anc.dc.gov</u>) are the Commission's representatives in this matter.

ON BEHALF OF THE COMMISSION.

Sincerely,

Matthew Holden

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