



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

June 29, 2022

Marnique Heath, Chair  
Historic Preservation Review Board  
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RE: 1812 19th Street NW (HPRB #22-06)

Dear Chair Heath,

At its regular meeting on June 8, 2022, the Dupont Circle Advisory Neighborhood Commission (“ANC 2B” or “Commission”) considered the above-referenced matter. With 6 of 8 Commissioners in attendance, a quorum at a duly-noticed public meeting, the Commission approved the following resolution by a vote of (6-0-0):

WHEREAS, Heritage Properties International, the applicant for Historic Preservation Review Board (HPRB) application #22-06, is seeking support for a historic landmark application for the Founding Church of Scientology. The property is located within ANC 2B01. The building is owned by the Church of Scientology,

WHEREAS, the applicant is seeking support for the new designation of a historic landmark,

WHEREAS, ANC 2B’s Land Use Committee (LUC) reviewed the submitted application at its duly-noticed monthly meeting held both in-person and via Zoom on June 1, 2022,

WHEREAS, the LUC supports the application for historic designation, and

WHEREAS, the LUC voted in favor of supporting the application before HPRB, and

WHEREAS, by law, the HPRB gives “great weight” to recommendations in duly adopted ANC resolutions and carefully considers the views of community organizations and citizens per DC Code 1-309-10 (d)(3)(a).

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that ANC 2B supports the proposed historic landmark designation as presented to HPRB.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that ANC 2B requests that the ANC's Chair, the Land Use Committee's Chair, and the ANC's Executive Director be sent copies of the action as finally approved by HPRB and/or HPRB staff.

Commissioners Meg Roggensack ([2B01@anc.dc.gov](mailto:2B01@anc.dc.gov)) and Matthew Holden ([2B08@anc.dc.gov](mailto:2B08@anc.dc.gov)) are the Commission's representatives in this matter.

ON BEHALF OF THE COMMISSION.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Matthew Holden". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Matthew" written in a more compact, stylized manner and the last name "Holden" written more fully.

Matthew Holden  
Chair