

GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

Dupont Circle Advisory Neighborhood Commission 2B

July 15, 2010

Mr. Gabe Klein, Director District of Columbia Department of Transportation 2000 14th St. N.W. 6th Floor Washington, D.C. 20009 gabe.klein@dc.gov

Re: Consideration of resolution in support of Golden Triangle BID's proposals to DDOT to upgrade the landscaping on the 1300 block of Connecticut Ave. NW and install landscaped medians on Connecticut Ave. NW between K and M Streets NW

Director Klein:

At its regular meeting on July 14, 2010, the Dupont Circle Advisory Neighborhood Commission ("ANC 2B" or "Commission") considered the above-referenced matter. With nine of nine Commissioners present, a quorum at a duly-noticed public meeting, the Commission approved the following motion by a vote of (9-0):

Whereas Golden Triangle BID has developed, along with other stakeholders including ANC 2B, a plan to revitalize Connecticut Avenue NW from K Street north to Dupont Circle;

Whereas the plan includes upgrading the landscaping and irrigation system in the median of the 1300 block of Conn. Ave. NW;

Whereas the plan includes converting the asphalt, street-level median into a green, planted, raised median that is safer for pedestrians and more attractive; and

Whereas Golden Triangle BID needs to collaborate with the District Department of Transportation (DDOT) in order to implement these projects;

Therefore be it resolved that ANC 2B strongly supports these upgrades to Conn. Ave. NW and urges DDOT to designate a DDOT representative to work with Golden Triangle BID and implement these upgrades as soon as feasible.

Be it further resolved that this issue is delegated to ANC 2B's Zoning, Preservation, and Development Committee for any follow-up work.

I am the Commission's representative in this matter. You can reach me at will.stephens@dupontcircleanc.net or by telephone at 202-527-9522 for further information.

Sincerely,

Will Stephens, Chair

William J. Highens