

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

January 13, 2011

Attn: Gilberto Solano DDOT Public Space Management Branch 941 North Capitol St NE 2nd Floor Washington DC 20002

E-mail: PublicSpace.Committee@dc.gov

Re: Refiled application to Public Space Committee by Kabab-Ji Restaurant, 1351 Connecticut Avenue NW, for valet parking. Hearing January 27, 2011

Dear Public Space Committee:

At its regular meeting on January 12, 2011, the Dupont Circle Advisory Neighborhood Commission ("ANC 2B" or "Commission") considered the above-referenced matter. With eight of nine Commissioners present, a quorum at a duly-noticed public meeting, the Commission voted 8-0 to support the following motion:

ANC 2B protests the application.

We note that there was a recent pedestrian fatality in this area. In addition, the proposed valet parking permit area is inappropriate for any valet parking. We would also like to note that the applicant has failed to appear before the Commission on at least three separate occasions.

Commissioner Phil Carney (phil.carney@dupontcircleanc.net) and I (will.stephens@dupontcircleanc.net) are the Commission's representatives in this matter.

ON BEHALF OF THE COMMISSION.

William J. Highens

Sincerely,

Will Stephens, Chair