



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

December 19, 2011

Acting Chairman Nick Alberti
Alcoholic Beverage Control Board
Reeves Center
2000 14th Street NW
Washington, DC 20009

Re: Request for 2 items for One West Dupont Circle, 2012 P St NW: (1) Proposal to amend VA hours to reflect new legislation allowing liquor stores to stay open until 12am, and (2) Application for exception to single-sales restrictions. (2B02)

Dear Mr. Alberti:

At its regular meeting on December 14, 2011, the Dupont Circle Advisory Neighborhood Commission ("ANC 2B" or "Commission") considered requests by One West Dupont Circle. The applicant asked for support for their request for an exception to the singles sales restriction and also additional hours of operation up to the new statutory limit of 12:00 a.m. With nine of the nine Commissioners present, a quorum at a duly-noticed public meeting, the Commission approved the following motion by a vote of 8-0.

ANC 2B supports One West Dupont Circle's request to stay open until 12:00 a.m. ANC 2B also supports the application for exception to single-sales restrictions.

Commissioner Mike Silverstein did not participate due to his position on the ABC Board. Kevin O'Connor (kevin.oconnor@dupontcircleanc.net), Mike Feldstein (mike.feldstein@dupontcircleanc.net), and I (will.stephens@dupontcircleanc.net) are the Commission's representatives in this matter.

We have already signed an amended Voluntary Agreement (VA) with One West Dupont, incorporating the singles sales exception and the additional hours, which was submitted to ABRA for Board approval last week. We hope the Board will approve the VA as submitted.

ON BEHALF OF THE COMMISSION.

Sincerely,

Will Stephens, Chair

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