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Mr. Jeffrey Griffis
Chair, D.C. Board of Zoning Adjustment
Suite 225 South
441 Fourth Street, NW
Washington, DC 20001

Re: Board of Zoning adjustment Appeal No. 17249

Dear Mr. Griffis:

Many Foggy Bottom/West End residents, as well as visitors to Washington, DC, from throughout our nation and many foreign countries, welcome the opportunity to visit the GWU campus and partake of societal activities. This includes buying from retail venues offering typical food and beverages enjoyed by GWU students.

Some of those residents and visitors are parents or relatives of current students or may be scouting the campus for an appropriate and friendly place for their younger children to matriculate after graduating from high school. A friendly welcome from GWU students at retail venues would produce a positive image whereas signs prohibiting all others from buying at retail venues would reflect negatively not only on GWU but also neighboring Foggy Bottom/West End and the whole city of Washington, DC.

Sincerely,

Doris Edlund

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