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Attn: Frances McMillen
DC Office of Planning
Historic Preservation Office
1100 4th Street SW, Ste. E650
Washington, DC 20024

Re: 508 4th St. SE

Dear Ms. McMillen:

Our neighbors, Will and Cat Durbin, recently shared with us plans for the proposed renovation of their home at 508 4th St. SE, including partial demolition and construction of a two-story rear addition. We support the project.

As another young couple who loves Capitol Hill and hopes to remain here as long as possible as we raise a family, we recognize the need to update our historic homes to accommodate modern living. We think the Durbins' proposed addition thoughtfully accomplishes that goal, remaining modest in size and sensitive to the character of the neighborhood and the neighboring homes. We believe the proposed addition will be an improvement over the existing addition, and it will enhance the life of our block and our neighborhood.

Best regards,



Ian & Sarah Born
504 4th St. SE
Washington, DC 20003

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