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Sent: Tuesday, June 12, 2018 7:41 PM **To:** DCOZ - BZA Submissions (DCOZ)

Subject: Case No. 19689, the Meridian development proposal - NO!

Dear Commissioners,

We have lived on the same block for 20+ years and have supported many--possibly most--development proposals where local opinions were canvassed. That said, we are writing to express opposition to Application #19689. The developers are obligated to show that the special exceptions they seek will not have an adverse impact on the neighboring properties. They have not, and cannot, satisfy that obligation under the current proposal. Far too large for the surrounding streets, and by virtue of sheer scale, destructive to one of the most iconic views in the city.

This project will have a detrimental and irreversible impact on the community if it is allowed to proceed in its current form, and we therefore ask you to deny the application.

Thank you,

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