BEFORE THE ZONING COMMISSION AND * * * BOARD OF ZONING ADJUSTMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
FORM 129 – ADVISORY NEIGHBORHOOD COMMISSION (ANC) REPORT
Before completing this form, please review the instructions on the reverse side.
Pursuant to Subtitle Z § 406.2 and Subtitle Y § 406.2 of Title 11 DCMR Zoning Regulations, the written report of the Advisory Neighborhood Commission (ANC) shall contain the following information:
IDENTIFICATION OF APPEAL, PETITION, OR APPLICATION:
Case No.: 19694 Case Name:
Address or Square/Lot(s) of Property: 5104 Mac Arthur Blvd NW
Relief Requested: Relief from minimum parking requirements
ANC MEETING INFORMATION
Date of ANC Public Meeting: D Z I D Z I I B Was proper notice given?: Yes D I
Description of how notice was given: (Mrrant Namypaper, ANC 3D's
Description of how notice was given: Current Newspaper, ANC 3D's Website, and neighborhood listserv
Number of members that constitutes a quorum: 5 Number of members present at the meeting: 9
MATERIAL SUBSTANCE
which the appeal, petition, or application must be judged (a separate sheet of paper may be used): See attached regolation.
The recommendation, if any, of the ANC as to the disposition of the appeal, petition, or application (a separate sheet of paper may be used): ANC3D reccommends that the relief be
granted subject to the conditions in the
attached resolution
AUTHORIZATION ANC 2 D Recorded vote on the motion to adopt the report (i.e. 4-1-1): $q = p = q$
Name of the person authorized by the ANC to present the report: Alma Gates
Name of the Chairperson or Vice-Chairperson authorized to sign the report: Stephen Gandnes
ignature of Chairperson/ e-Chairperson: Date: 2/7/3219 Peord of Zoning Adjustme
ANY APPLICATION THAT IS FOUND TO BE INCOMPLETE MAY NOT BE ACCORDED "GREAT WEIGHT" PURSUANT O GOUNDA 11 DCMR SUBTITLE Z § 406 AND SUBTITLE Y § 406. EXHIBIT NO.55



## GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA ADVISORY NEIGHBORHOOD COMMISSION 3D PO Box 40846, Palisades Station Washington, DC 20016

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February 8, 2018

Mr. Frederick L. Hill Chair DC Board of Zoning Adjustment 441 Fourth Street, NW Suite 200S Washington, DC 20001

RE: BZA Application No. 19694 Application of 5104 MacArthur LLC, pursuant to 11 DCMR Subtitle X, Chapter 9, for a special exception under Subtitle C § 703 from the minimum parking requirements of Subtitle C § 701.5, to convert the existing commercial building to a child development center in the MU-3 Zone at premises 5104 MacArthur Boulevard N.W. (Square 1418, Lot 43)

Dear Chairman Hill:

At its regularly scheduled and properly noticed meeting of February 7, 2018, and with a quorum (5) present at all times, <u>ANC 3D voted 9-0-0 to approve with</u> <u>conditions</u> the special exception application of 5104 MacArthur LLC. Commissioner Alma Gates will represent ANC 3D at the BZA hearing.

The proposed child development center will operate between the hours of 7:30 AM and 6:30 PM with a total staff of 11, including the director, and 44 children. Due to the existing conditions at the site, there is no ability to provide the required two (2) off-street parking spaces.

The one-block long MU-3 zone, where the proposed child development center will be located, is occupied by other commercial uses as well as a condominium, the Brazilian Naval Attaché, a US Post Office and a small brick apartment building. Properties on the abutting blocks to the north and south are residential as well as the backside of the immediate block which is Sherier Place, NW. The opposing side of MacArthur Boulevard is also zoned MU-3 and contains a significant mix of uses including two restaurants. Parking is at a premium within the immediate area. Residential areas have RPP restricted parking.

Given it is impossible for the owner of 5104 MacArthur LLC to provide the required two (2) off-street parking spaces, the granting of a special exception should not tend to affect adversely the use of neighboring property or otherwise result in in objectionable conditions.

ANC 3D therefore approves the granting of the special exception pursuant to Subtitle X § 901.2 and Subtitle C § 901.2 subject to the following **Conditions:** 

- 1. The Applicant will furnish a DDOT-approved TDM Plan prior to the Board granting final approval for Application No. 19694;
- 2. The Special Exception will be granted for a period of five (5) years to enable ANC 3D to determine the effectiveness of the TDM Plan. The timeframe for future special exceptions may be changed depending on the effectiveness of the TDM Plan.
- 3. On an annual basis, the Applicant will furnish both DDOT and ANC 3D with any complaints received regarding the effectiveness of the TDM Plan;
- 4. At no time will staff of the child development center park in the unsecured Palisades Recreation Center parking lot; and
- 5. The Special Exception will cease to exist with a change of use of the property as a child development center.

Sincerely,

Stephen Gardner

Stephen K. Gardner Chair