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ADVISORY NEIGHBORHOOD COMMISSION 3-D
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July 5, 2009

Anthony Hood
Chair, Zoning Commission
441 4th Street NW
Washington DC 20004

Re: American University's application for an extension of renovation of McKinley Building

Dear Mr. Hood:

Advisory Neighborhood Commission 3D held its regularly scheduled monthly meeting on Wednesday, July 1, 2009 at Sibley Hospital's Ernst Auditorium. Proper notice of this meeting was given in the Northwest Current, on the Palisades Listserve and through the ANC website. A quorum (5) was present at all times.

One of the items on our agenda was a discussion concerning American University's application for an extension for renovation of McKinley Building. After hearing from Paul Tummonds, attorney for AU, and two representatives from the University, the Commissioners voted 6-2-0 to approve the AU application with the caveat that the contribution of the McKinley Building expansion to increased traffic will be included in the American University 2011 Campus Plan treatment of the cumulative campus traffic increase with appropriate traffic mitigation measures.

We ask that you give our recommendation the "great weight" to which we are entitled under DC law.

Thank you.

Very truly yours,


Elizabeth B. Sandza
Chair, ANC3D

Cc: George Abud, American University
Penny Pagano, Community Outreach, AU
Paul Tummonds, Pillsbury Winthrop Law ✓

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