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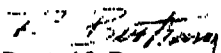
10. February, 2009

Re. ZC Case Nr. 08-15
Giant Food Stores (S&S)
On Route 355 at Wisconsin & Newark

The undersigned residence is located within 250 feet of the planned development. I oppose the project for the following reasons:

1. Traffic congestions (last known count 58000 vehicles on an average day.
2. Lack of parking for people who will work there, shop there, live at or visit the development, as well as repair, maintenance, delivery and pick-up crews. There are five apartment buildings between Newark and McComb street, three of which have no parking whatsoever, and two who have only a few spaces
3. The height of the proposed building on the north section which would obstruct what little aircirculation we get, if any, in the summer time that might clear out the dense, stagnant air pollution. - Affordable housing has always been, among others, at the Abby apartment building across the street. They have 200 units.

Sincerely,


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Please furnish a copy to each Zoning Commissioner.

ZONING COMMISSION
District of Columbia
CASE NO. 08-15
EXHIBIT NO. 129