

DC Zoning Commission  
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RE: Opposition to Georgetown University Campus Plan 2010-2020, Case No. 10-32

Dear Zoning Commissioners:

My name is Glen Harrison and my wife and I live in Burleith at 3726 T. Street NW. We have owned and have lived at this property for 4 years. I am writing to reaffirm my strong opposition to Georgetown University's Proposed Campus Plan.

I do not think that an increase in enforcement by GU is the answer. I currently serve as the Burleith Citizen's Association's safety subcommittee chairperson. I can attest that more ineffective enforcement by GU without real consequences for its students' bad behavior will not help the situation in our community. The amount of students living in our neighborhood has "tipped the scale. Students no longer diversify the neighborhood, they dominate it. As a Burleith citizen, I need the Zoning Commission to recognize that the status quo is unacceptable and corrections by GU need to be implemented immediately. Specifically, GU's current town/gown relations and impact on Burleith is too great to entertain ANY increase in ANY activity that has the potential to further its negative impact on Burleith.

The statement that graduate students somehow impact our neighborhood in a lesser way than undergraduates is completely false. On multiple occasions over the last four years I have been disturbed by loud parties hosted by graduate students to the point that I have found it necessary to confront them. In addition, I tolerate unkempt lawns, and overflowing trash from properties occupied by graduate students.

In closing, I support, in its entirety, the written testimony submitted by the Burleith Citizen's Association. I also support the Office of Planning's recommendation for GU to house a 100% of undergraduate students on campus in order to provide the mechanisms to restore balance in the Burleith. I support a reduction in graduate enrollment by 1,000 students and the non-alignment of the 38<sup>th</sup> street with GU's entrance No. 1.

Sincerely,



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