

Advisory Neighborhood Commission 2E



Representing the communities of Burleith, Georgetown and Hillandale

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November 17, 2011

Mr. Anthony Hood
Chairman, D.C. Zoning Commission
441 4th Street, N.W., Suite 210
Washington, DC 20001

Re: Z.C. Case No. 10-32 – Georgetown University Campus Plan
Motion for leave to file two letters in this case – one from D.C. Council
Chairman Brown and one from Councilmember At Large Mendelson

Dear Chairman Hood and Members of the Commission:

We have been requested by the authors to bring the attached letters to your attention. The letters, from Chairman Brown and At Large Councilmember Mendelson of the D.C. Council, are in support of the position taken by the community, the Office of Planning, and ANC 2E. We have been asked by the authors to state that the letters were sent to the Commission with the intent and hope that they be accepted into the record of this case. We respectfully request that they be accepted into the record.

Sincerely,

Ron Lewis
Chair ANC 2E
202-253-5969

ZONING COMMISSION
District of Columbia
CASE NO. 10-32
EXHIBIT NO. 350

Certificate of Service

On November 17, 2011, I caused a copy of the foregoing letter and attached material to be delivered electronically or by hand to the following:

Jennifer Steingasser/Stephen Mordfin
D.C. Department of Planning

Colleen Hawkinson/Jeffrey Jennings
D.C. Department of Transportation

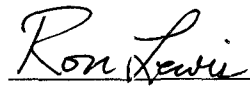
Ann Haas
Commissioner, ANC 3D

Maureen Dwyer/David Avitabile
Goulston & Storrs, P.C.

Jennifer Altemus
President, Citizens Association of Georgetown

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President, Burleith Citizens Association

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November 9, 2011

Mr. Anthony J. Hood, Chairman
Zoning Commission, District of Columbia
One Judiciary Square
441 4th Street NW
Suite 210S
Washington, DC 20001

Re: Zoning Commission Case No. 10-32, Georgetown University 2010-2020 Campus Plan

Dear Chairman Hood and Members of the Commission:

I write in support of the Georgetown, Burleith, and nearby communities and to urge the Zoning Commission not to approve the 2010-2020 Campus Plan as currently drafted by Georgetown University.

Over the past 10 years, Georgetown University's off-campus impacts have imposed severe burdens on the adjacent communities. The proposed campus plan, according to the community, would make these impacts even greater.

The proposed campus plan before the Zoning Commission, by imposing objectionable burdens on the adjacent communities, would be contrary to applicable zoning rules. Therefore, I urge the Zoning Commission to ensure that the Georgetown University Campus Plan 2010-2020 fully protects the nearby communities.

The concerns of the Georgetown, Burleith, and nearby communities are my concerns. I support the position taken by ANC 2E, and the District of Columbia's Office of Planning in this case, including the request that all of the University's undergraduates be housed on campus or in a viable satellite location.

Mr. Hood, I strongly urge you and your fellow Zoning Commission members not to approve Georgetown University's Campus Plan as currently drafted until measures are in place to fully protect the nearby communities.

Sincerely,



Kwame R. Brown
Chairman

Cc: Konrad W. Schlater, Vice-Chairman
Marcie Cohen, District Resident
Michael G. Turnbull, Architect of the Capitol Designee
Peter G. May, National Park Service Designee



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September 16, 2011

Mr. Anthony Hood
Chairman, D.C. Zoning Commission
441 4th, NW, Suite 210
Washington, DC 20001

Re: Case No. 10-32 (Georgetown University)

Dear Chairman Hood and Members of the Commission:

I am writing in support of the communities that border Georgetown University to urge the Zoning Commission not to approve the 2010-2020 Campus Plan as filed by the University.

Georgetown University's enrollment has grown by 40% in the last 10 years, and this and other University impacts have created severe adverse conditions in the adjacent communities. I join the adjacent communities in expressing serious concern that the university's proposed plan does not adequately address and mitigate those impacts.

I urge the Zoning Commission to assure that the quality of life in the neighboring communities is protected fully. I support the position taken by the Office of Planning and by ANC 2E in this case, including the request that all of the University's traditional undergraduates be housed on campus.

Zoning rules are intended to protect residential communities from objectionable impacts imposed by universities, including noise, traffic and number of students. I urge the Zoning Commission to reject the plan as filed and protect the quality of life in our communities.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Phil Mendelson", written over a horizontal line.

Phil Mendelson
Councilmember At-Large