Feb. 8, 02

I, Marina Wells, a resident of Kennedy St. (16th Street Heights) know the City Gate Ministries and the good work that they do.

I welcome and support their presence in our community.

The community, I believe, will profit from such a reputable, and already highly respected organization.

Working many years for the benefit of our community, I can assure you, that I would be the first one to oppose any group (and I have in the past), if I felt it would not enhance our neighborhood.

Personally, I haven't heard any opposition to the City Gate's residency.

I hope that the BZA will approve the City Gate's application for a Special Exception for church programs.

Marina Wells
(Member, 16th St. Civic Assoc.)

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METROPOLITAN POLICE DEPARTMENT
FOURTH DISTRICT

Presented to

Ms. Marina Wells

On this 7th Day of December 2001

For dedicated and outstanding service to the citizens of the District of Columbia, in particular to Patrol Service Area 403 and the Fourth District.

Alan G. Morrison, CAC Chairperson

Cathy L. Lanier, Commander

Board of Zoning Adjustment -- Application No. 16826

Application of City Gate, pursuant to 11 DCMR / 3104.1 for a special exception to permit church programs under section 216, in the SSH/R-1-B District at premises 5917 16th Street, N.W.

The undersigned support this application:

Name	Address
William C Young	5937 16th St NW
Claudia Mumcori	~~1425 Manchester Ln NW~~ 2001 NW 20011
John A. Matthews	1439 Oglethorpe ~~St~~ N.W.
Joan Ruffin	1410 Oglethorpe St NW
Lusia Matthews	1439-Oglethorpe St
~~Catherine B. Ford~~	1414 Missouri Ave. N.W.
James C. Ford	" " "
Doris Cruley	1431 Manchester Ln. NW

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Marina Evdochenko-Volk	1434 Kennedy St. NW
Bing T. Poon	1434 Kennedy St. NW
Rogelio Navarro	1355 Longfellow St NW
Patricia Gonzalez	1355 Longfellow St NW
Keith Moran	1426 Kennedy St NW
Monace Walker	1426 Kendy ST NW
Gerard Acker	1318 Longfellow St NW
Taldradge Presson	4501 Illinois Ave NW
Tatlin Clarin	5514 - 14 St NW
Cornell Scott	5613 - 14 St. NW
Ronald Lown	15 Sheridan St N.W.

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Dennis L Coker	6313 Hamilton St. N.W.
Angel [illegible]	1363 Nicholson St NW
Jerome Brown	1361 Hamilton St NW DC
Ernest Johnson	5604-14th St NW 20011
[illegible] Harris	1701 V St NW
[illegible]	1411 Madison St NW.
CARMEN BURGOS	3033 16th St. NW
Donald Johnson	622 Delafield Pl. N.W.
Carolyn HART	1339 Kennedy St. NW
Roderick Best	1339 Kennedy St. N.W.
Frank Acker	1318 Longfellow St N.W.

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Vasily Anastasov	1434 Kennedy St. NW
[illegible]	5510 Colorado Ave NW
[illegible]	5309 16th St NW.
[illegible]	1301 Longfellow St NW
[illegible]	5338 Colorado Ave, NW,
Gladys Browne	1301 Longfellow St. NW
Daniel Mancelle	1301 Longfellow St. NW
Addt D. Benton	1328 Longfellow St NW
Willie D Walters	4504 Blagden NW
Mike Johnson	5520 Colorado Ave NW
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A. Mickens	5th St. N.W Wash, D
C. Smith	5745 14th NW Wash. DC 20011
R Clemons	Colorado Ave Wash D 200 11
Cintaur H.	5706 14 ST NW. DC
David McGhee	1418 Montague St. N.W.
[illegible]	
John Newby	1431 Montague St. NW
Althea Dan	1425 Montagu ST NW
Albert T. Little	1352 Longfellow St, N.W.
John Fauntleroy	1435 Kennedy St. N.W.

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Larry Johnson	1356 Jefferson St. N.W
Ladd W. Johnson	1356 Jefferson St. NW
Clyde R. Johnson	1356 Jefferson St. NW
[illegible]	[illegible]
Miguel Fisher	N St NW 20001
Patricia L. Jones	5516 Longfellow
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Andre Ryland	1346 Longfellow
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Lawrence E. Taylor	5620 Colorado Ave NW

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