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ATTN: Geoffrey Griffis, Chairman

RE: Support for the Lab School of Washington
BZA Application NO. 17383

Dear Members of the Board:

I am a neighbor to The Lab School in the Palisades. I want to express my strong support for The Lab School's application for a student and faculty/staff increase and to locate additional parking in the public space along Whitehaven Parkway.

The Lab School is a significant resource for learning disabled students all over the Washington Metropolitan area; we all look to the work they do with great pride. This honorable Board should do whatever it can to encourage The Lab School to further its unique and socially-conscious mission.

The angled parking spaces and sidewalk that The Lab School proposes to construct in public space along Whitehaven Parkway will be a benefit to the neighborhood. They will make the roadway more attractive, and will clearly improve safety for pedestrians.

I understand that the Lab School has spent well over a year developing its plan, working with the community, and thus has demonstrated its responsiveness to ANC issues. The proposed spaces and sidewalk will contribute significantly toward parking capacity and safety in the neighborhood.

I respectfully request that my unqualified support for this application be made of record of this case.

Thank you very much.

Very sincerely yours,



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