

**BZA CASE NO 19452: 1700 RHODE ISLAND AVENUE NE- EMERGENCY SHELTER**

**PETITION IN SUPPORT**

I live near 1700 Rhode Island Avenue N.E., where the DC Council-selected site for short-term/ emergency family housing will be located. I have spoken with representatives of the District, and I understand that the District seeks to construct a six-story shelter as an addition to the existing building that was previously a police substation, and that as a result the District will have to obtain relief from the BZA for building height, FAR, lot occupancy, rear yard, court width, loading, and parking.

As such, I am adding my signature to this petition to show my full support for the proposed family shelter project. Homelessness is a serious problem in the District, and I applaud our local government's effort to construct emergency housing for homeless families. The Ward 5 shelter must be able to accommodate 46 units for homeless families, which I understand drives much of the relief requested. Also, I believe the project is in harmony with its surroundings, and I do not believe this project will tend to adversely affect the neighboring properties.

By signing this petition, I strongly recommend the Board of Zoning Adjustment approve this application and allow this project to move forward. Thank you very much for your time and consideration.

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