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Hello - I am a Ward 2 resident writing in support of the full operation of the Aston Shelter.

The homelessness problem is only exacerbated when local communities refuse to build shelters. Giving people the stability of shelter enables them to get back on their feet faster than what is possible while living on the streets, in a car, or couch surfing.

Our city must build. Digging our heels in the ground, decrying change, and allowing the vocal minority to dictate growth is how we find ourselves in a housing and homelessness crisis.

Be bold. Do the right thing. Make DC better.

Please make reference to this message in the January 29 BZA hearing on the topic.

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