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BZA Case 21510 - Rock Creek Club - Letter of Support

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To the Board of Zoning Adjustment and ANC 3C,

I'm writing in strong support of Rock Creek Club's application for a Special Exception in BZA Case 21510.

My husband and I live in Mount Pleasant with our two young children, a three year old daughter and a newborn son. We're proud DC residents, and one of the things we love most about our neighborhood is how close we are to Rock Creek Park.

As a working parent raising little ones in the city, I've found that spaces built around community and the outdoors are hard to come by. Too often, families like ours have to leave DC to find a place where kids can run around, parents can connect with neighbors, and everyone can spend real time outside. Rock Creek Club would bring that kind of space right into our backyard, open to anyone who wants to join, and turn Greystone into a community asset that neighbors can enjoy for generations.

I'm excited for my children to grow up with this kind of gathering place close to home. I respectfully urge you to approve the Special Exception.

Thank you for your time and consideration.

Sincerely,
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Board of Zoning Adjustment
District of Columbia
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