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Ms. Carol Mitten, Chair
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Dear Ms. Mitten,

I wish to speak against the petition by Georgetown University to zone parkland property adjacent to 3700 Water (K) St NW to accomodate a boathouse, for the following reasons:

The rezoning will jeopardize the safety and convenience of the Capital Crescent Trail users;

The rezoning will disturb the wildlife, particularly the deer I've seen grazing in the immediate area;

The proposed boathouse will destroy the historic quality of the WCC and Potomac Rowing Club aesthetic;

The rezoning will set a precedent for other river users to appropriate park land for private purposes.

Thank you for your attention.

Charles Barry

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