



DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA WATER AND SEWER AUTHORITY

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December 14, 2009

Anthony J. Hood, Chairman, Zoning Commission
Members of the Zoning Commission
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RE: Case No. 09-10: Proposed Text Amendment Regarding the Water Tower on the Saint Elizabeths East Campus

Dear Chairman Hood and Members of the Zoning Commission:

The purpose of this letter is to respectfully request the Members of the Zoning Commission to postpone action at the December 14, 2009 meeting on the proposed text amendment, Case No. 09-10, regarding the Water Tower on the Saint Elizabeths East Campus.

The District of Columbia Water and Sewer Authority (DC WASA) only became aware of the newly proposed text amendment language the middle of last week. The need for the new water tower was first identified in the 2000 Water System Facilities Plan. In the intervening years, DC WASA has devoted a great deal of effort to the project, with a highly concentrated effort over the past year. Because of the importance of the project, DC WASA requests postponement of any action by the Zoning Commission on Case No. 09-10 in order to allow adequate time for DC WASA to evaluate the proposed text amendment. DC WASA further requests the opportunity to present additional input to the Commission prior to the Commission taking action on the matter.

Sincerely,

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