GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

Zoning Commission



June 12, 2025

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Re: Z.C. Case No. 11-03N (Wharf Phase 3 REIT Leaseholder, LLC – Modification with Hearing for Approved 2nd Stage PUD @ Square 473, Lot 1008 (635 Wharf Street, S.W.))

Dear ANC Chair & ANC/SMD Commissioners:

Pursuant to D.C. Official Code § 1-309.10(b), the Zoning Commission for the District of Columbia hereby gives you notice of the receipt of an application from the above-named Applicant for a Modification with Hearing application to the approved Second Stage Planned Unit Development originally approved in Z.C. Order No. 11-03J(1) for property located in the southwest quadrant of the District as indicated above. Please note that this case was filed electronically through the Interactive Zoning Information System ("IZIS"). You can access and file your report for this case through IZIS at https://app.dcoz.dc.gov.

Pursuant to Subtitle Z § 400.8, the ANC has the opportunity to file the attached Form 130 – ANC Setdown Report to provide feedback on whether or not the Zoning Commission should set down the case for public hearing. You have 40 days to file the ANC Setdown Form from the date the application was referred excluding days that fall within the month of August. (Subtitle Z § 400.8.)

Further, you will also receive notice of the hearing date at least 40 calendar days in advance. Pursuant to Subtitle Z § 406.3, if your ANC wishes to participate in the hearing, then its written report must be received at least seven days in advance of the public hearing. The report must contain the information required by Subtitle Z § 406.2, which is included at the bottom of this letter. That information is also included in Form 129 – Advisory Neighborhood Commission (ANC) Report, which is attached for your convenience and is the preferred mechanism to complete your report. Any written report received prior to the date of a Commission meeting to consider final action will be given "great weight."

Pursuant to D.C. Official Code § 1-309.10(d)(2), the Zoning Commission must wait 30 days, excluding Saturdays, Sundays, and holidays before it can make its decision on this application. However, as a practical matter, the Commission cannot make a decision that soon, because it must first hold a public hearing and, for those cases that require proposed action to be taken, the National Capitol Planning Commission is thereafter given thirty days to review the application.

Great weight does not mean that the Zoning Commission must defer to an ANC's view, but instead requires acknowledgement of the ANC as the source of the recommendations and explicit reference to each of the ANC's issues and concerns. It is therefore important that the written report not only indicate whether the ANC supports or opposes the application, but that it also identify each issue and concern that led to the recommendation made.

If your ANC has not received a courtesy copy of the application from the Applicant, please notify us so we can assist you in obtaining a copy. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at (202) 727-6311.

Sincerely,
Ella Ackerman for
Sharon S. Schellin
Secretary to the Zoning Commission
Attachment

Subtitle Z § 406.2

- The Commission shall give "great weight" to the written report of the ANC(s), pursuant to § 3 of the Comprehensive Advisory Neighborhood Commissions Reform Amendment Act of 2000, as amended, that is received at any time prior to the date of a Commission meeting to consider final action including any continuation thereof on the application. All written reports shall contain the following:
 - (a) The case name and number;
 - (b) The date the public meeting of the ANC to consider the application occurred;
 - (c) A statement that proper notice of that public meeting was given by the ANC;
 - (d) The number of members of the ANC that constitute a quorum and the number of members present at the public meeting;
 - (e) The issues and concerns of the ANC about the application, as related to the standards against which the application shall be judged;
 - (f) The recommendation, if any, of the ANC as to the disposition of the application;
 - (g) The outcome of the vote on the motion to adopt the report to the Commission;
 - (h) The name of the person who is authorized by the ANC to present the report; and
 - (i) The signature of the ANC Chairperson or Vice-Chairperson.



BEFORE THE ZONING COMMISSION AND BOARD OF ZONING ADJUSTMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA



FORM 130 – ADVISORY NEIGHBORHOOD COMMISSION (ANC) SETDOWN FORM

Before completing this form, please review the instructions on the reverse side.										
Pursuant to Subtitle Z §§ 400.7 and 400.8 of Title 11 DCMR Zoning Regulations, the ANC Setdown Form shall contain the following information:										
IDENTIFICATION OF PETITION OR APPLICATION:										
Case No.: Applicant Name:										
ANC (ex. 1A): Date Referred to ANC:										
Date Setdown Form Due:										
ANC MEETING INFORMATION										
Date of ANC Public Meeting: D D / M M / Y Was proper notice	e given?: Yes		No							
Description of how notice was given:										
Number of members that constitutes a quorum: Number of members pres	sent at the meeting	g:								
Does the ANC recommend the application/petition to be set down for public hearing?:	Yes		No							
Recorded vote on the motion to adopt the report (i.e. 4-1-1):										
MATERIAL SUBSTANCE										
Please provide feedback below on whether the above case should be set down for hearing or not (a separate sheet of paper may be used):										
AUTHORIZATION										
Name of the Chairperson or Vice-Chairperson authorized to sign the form:										
Signature of Chairperson/										
Vice-Chairperson:	Date:									

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INSTRUCTIONS

- 1. The ANC Setdown Form shall be made pursuant to this form. If additional space is necessary, use separate sheets of 8½" x 11" paper to complete the form.
- 2. ANC reports and any accompanying documents must be submitted to the record by using:
 - a. The Interactive Zoning Information System (IZIS) at www.dcoz.dc.gov;
 - b. By email to zcsubmissions@dc.gov for the ZC; or
 - c. In person or by U.S. mail addressed to 441 4th Street, NW, Suite 200-S, Washington, DC 20001.
- 3. Submission deadline is as follows; the ANC must file the ANC Setdown form no later than forty (40 days) after the date the application is referred. No late filings or waivers requesting acceptance of late filings of this form will be accepted.

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FORM 129 – ADVISORY NEIGHBORHOOD COMMISSION (ANC) REPORT

Before completing this form, please review the instructions on the reverse side.												
Pursuant to Subtitle Z § 406.2 and Subtitle Y § 406.2 of Title 11 DCMR Zoning Regulations, the written report of the Advisory Neighborhood Commission (ANC) shall contain the following information:												
IDENTIFICATION OF APPEAL, PETITION, OR APPLICATION:												
Case No.:				Case Nam	e:							
Address or Square/Lot(s) of Property:												
Relief Requested:												
ANC MEETING INFORMATION												
Date of ANC Public	Meeting:	D	D /	M M	/	Υ	Υ	Was proper notice giv	ren?: Y	es 🔲	No	
Description of how	notice was give	n:										
Number of member	rs that constitut	es a q	quorum:			N	umbe	er of members present	at the mee	eting:		
				N	IATE	RIAL SU	IBST.	ANCE				
The issues and concerns of the ANC about the appeal, petition, or application as related to the standards of the Zoning Regulations against which the appeal, petition, or application must be judged (a separate sheet of paper may be used):												
The recommendation	on, if any, of the	ANC	as to the	disposition	of tl	he appea	al, pe	tition, or application (a separate :	sheet of pap	er may be	used):
AUTHORIZATION												
ANC	Recorded vote o	on the	motion	to adopt the	e rep	ort (i.e.	1-1-1):				
Name of the persor	n authorized by	the A	NC to pro	esent the re	port:	:						
Name of the Chairp	erson or Vice-Cl	hairpe	erson au	thorized to	ign t	the repo	t:					
Signature of Chairperson/ Vice-Chairperson:								Date:				

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INSTRUCTIONS

Pursuant to 11 DCMR Subtitle Z § 406.2 and Subtitle Y § 406.2, the Zoning Commission (ZC) and Board of Zoning Adjustment (BZA) shall give "great weight" to the written report of the affected Advisory Neighborhood Commission (ANC), as required by the Comprehensive Advisory Neighborhood Commissions Reform Amendment Act of 2000.

- 1. All ANC reports shall be made pursuant to this form. If additional space is necessary, use separate sheets of 8½" x 11" paper to complete the form.
- 2. ANC reports and any accompanying documents must be submitted to the record by using:
 - a. The Interactive Zoning Information System (IZIS) at www.dcoz.dc.gov;
 - b. By email to zcsubmissions@dc.gov for the ZC or bzasubmissions@dc.gov for the BZA; or
 - c. In person or by U.S. mail addressed to 441 4th Street, NW, Suite 200-S, Washington, DC 20001.
- 3. Submission deadlines are as follows:
 - a. ANCs must file this form at least seven (7) calendar days in advance of the hearing, if they wish to participate in a public hearing under Subtitle Z § 406.3 and Subtitle Y § 406.3.
 - b. In all cases before the ZC or BZA, ANCs must file this form before the ZC or BZA makes a decision in order to receive great weight.

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