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**From:** Yasmina Mrabet <ymrabet@onedconline.org>  
**Sent:** Thursday, February 23, 2017 12:45 PM  
**To:** DCOZ - ZC Submissions (DCOZ)  
**Subject:** Opposition Letter - Case No. 14-18A

Hello,

Please add the email below from Lisa Haythe to be filed as a part of the opposition record for case no. 14-18A. Lisa Haythe is a tenant at Brookland Manor.

Thank you,

Yasmina

Yasmina Mrabet  
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**From:** lisa haythe <[lisahaythe@gmail.com](mailto:lisahaythe@gmail.com)>  
**Date:** Thu, Feb 23, 2017 at 10:03 AM  
**Subject:** Brookland Manor  
**To:** [ymrabet@onedconline.org](mailto:ymrabet@onedconline.org)

To Whom It May Concern:

I have been a resident at Brookland Manor Apartments a.k.a Brentwood Village for forty one year's in total. Eighteen years ago, I moved out of my parents home into my own three bedroom apartments where I have raised four children. I have been on this property all of my life. I was excited when they stated that Brookland Manor will be a new development in years to come. When I saw the pictures of what it would look like I was even more excited. But when I heard that the developers were going to eliminate the larger units. I have been worrying and stressed out about my family being displaced or possibly homeless. I want to preserve my home which are among the only affordable apartment with three - five bedrooms in the District.

The developers plan is to eliminate family sized units ( three - five bedroom ), where will that leave my children and I ? In Southeast or PG County that's racially segregated and have a greater concentrations on poverty. Discrimination against families in housing in wrong and illegal. Us as a whole has built a community and have invested our lives in the neighborhood. As long time residents, we should not be forced out of our homes.

The proposed development will not benefit the families who currently reside at Brookland Manor. It appears to be for those who are new to DC and the Brentwood neighborhood. The residents at Brookland Manor a.k.a Brentwood Village deserve to continue living in a community that we have nurtured and supported for many years and for some generations. I'm asking the developers to revise there plans for the development to create the same number and same bedroom sizes of the redeveloped units.

ZONING COMMISSION  
District of Columbia  
CASE NO.14-18A  
EXHIBIT NO.112

In closing, I pray that Mid-City Financial consider what I have mentioned in my statement.

Sincerely,

Lisa Haythe