

April 13, 2019

D.C. Zoning Commission
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Re: Z.C. Case No. 17-21 – PUD and Map Amendment for 501 I Street SW

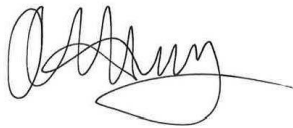
Dear Members of the Commission:

On behalf of the Amidon-Bowen PTA, we write in support of the above-referenced application for The Bard development as proposed by Erkiletian Development Company and Shakespeare Theatre Company.

The Applicant has addressed the PTA's issues and concerns regarding the project, including through measures outlined in the MOU between the Applicant and the PTA. In particular, the Amidon-Bowen PTA appreciates the Applicant's commitment to fund after-school programs and related facility improvements for the Amidon-Bowen Elementary School. Further, we look forward to a collaborative partnership with our new neighbors. The PTA requests that the Commission adopt this commitment as a condition of approval of the application.

The PTA also wishes to thank the Commission for its continued attention and consideration of the issues and concerns of the Amidon-Bowen Elementary School community.

With best wishes,



Allison Harvey
Co-PTA President



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