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Commissioners,

I am a solar energy advocate, and have solar panels on my roof. In fact, I received a grant of nearly \$9,000 in 2009 from DC for installation of solar panels. DC has spend a lot of time and money to increase the solar installations in the city and zoning has been key in promoting further installation and protecting the current installations. Therefore,

I support extending the protection of solar energy systems to R neighborhoods so that homeowners can elect to participate in Sustainable DC efforts, and

I oppose rules that would put RF zone rowhouse solar energy systems at risk under special exception language that is vague and imprecise. Any proposed regulatory language that allows construction to interfere with adjacent production should include a defined limit or else Sustainable DC Goals and public and private investment will be put at risk.

Sincerely,
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