Mr. Lindsley Williams Chairman/DC Zoning Commission 350 Penn. Aven NW, Rm 11 Washington DC 20004

RE: Case #86-26 (Cleveland Park Historical Society Petition for Downzoning)

Dear Mr. Williams,

As a resident of Cleveland Park for the last two years, I am very concerned with the recent developments concerning the Shop and Park area located on the corner of Connecticut and Ordway Streets NW. Specifically, the Cleveland Park Historical Societies' request for downzoning of this area; and, the movements by the Urban Group for development of this area with a possible request to increase the zoning limits which are now in effect.

In consideration of the hearing scheduled for January 14, 1988, I would like to go on record in support of the Cleveland Park Historical Societies' request for downzoning.

I moved into the Cleveland Park area two years ago because I was much attracted to its "neighborhood atmosphere" -- unlike the sterile neighborhoods located around so many of the metro area such as Van Ness and Friendship Heights. I would like to be a long-term resident of the District of Columbia, and specifically of Cleveland Park. I only plan to do this if the area retains the special atmosphere we all now enjoy.

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Sincerely,

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