

Sat. Sept. 12, 1987
3220 Conn Ave NW
WDC 20008

Lindsley Williams, Chmn.
Zoning Commission
District Building, Room 11
Washington DC 20004

ZONING COMMISSION
CASE No. 86-26
EXHIBIT No. 50

Dear Chairman Williams:

I have just returned from the Ward 3 Community Meeting which discussed the impending closure of our Safeway.

It is crucial that our area be zoned to protect the residents and local merchants from the schemes of those who do not care about the spirit and character of Cleveland Park.

I do not oppose development, but sincerely believe that other areas of our city are in more need of the benefits multi-story office parks have to offer.

Please do everything you can to ensure that our area is rezoned for the benefit of those who offer such vital services as grocery markets. Our historic Park and Shores is also in need of protection. If

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High rise development takes place in Cleveland Park, or if we are without a supermarket, we become no different than those who live in the suburbs. Such actions then negate the reasons for city living.

I have lived in this neighborhood for ten years, and have seen changes, both good and bad. Please help us preserve the good things about Cleveland Park by authorizing the necessary rezoning.

Sincerely,

Deborah E. Bodlander