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VIA IZIS

District of Columbia Zoning Commission Suite 210 441 4th Street, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20001

Re: Gallaudet University

800 Florida Avenue, NE (Square 3593 Lot 4) (the "Property") Amendment to Approved University Campus Plan (2012-2027) and

Further Processing for Merrill Learning Center

Dear Members of the Commission:

On behalf of Gallaudet University, we file herewith the following materials requesting approval of an amendment to the University's approved 2012-2027 Campus Plan and further processing related to the University's plans to partially demolish and renovate the Merrill Learning Center:

- Completed ZC Form 108 (campus plan application);
- Completed ZC Form 116 (fee calculator) and filing fee in the amount of \$9,750;
- D.C. Surveyor's plat showing the Property;
- Package of Drawings describing the proposed renovation of Merrill Learning Center;
- Preliminary statement explaining how the application meets the specific tests identified in the Zoning Regulations;
- Evaluation of Consistency with Comprehensive Plan;
- Statement of existing and intended uses of the Property;
- Copy of Notice of Intent filed with ANC 5D, ANC 6A, ANC 6C, and property owners within 200 feet of the boundary of the Property;

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- Name and mailing address of the owners of property within 200 feet in all directions from all boundaries of the Property; and
- Letter from the University authorizing Holland & Knight LLP to file the application.

We believe that the application is complete and acceptable for filing, and we request that the Commission schedule a public hearing on the application at its earliest available date. Thank you for your consideration of these materials.

Respectfully submitted,

HOLLAND & KNIGHT LLP

Dennis R. Hughes

Enclosures

cc: D.C. Office of Planning

Advisory Neighborhood Commission 5D Advisory Neighborhood Commission 6A Advisory Neighborhood Commission 6C

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that on November 7, 2024, electronic copies of Gallaudet University's application in support of an amendment to its approved University Campus Plan and further processing were served upon the following:

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