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

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RE: Case No. 07-27 - EYA and the Missionary Society of Saint Paul the Apostle

Dear Members of the Commission:

I am pleased to support St. Paul's College and EYA, LLC in their plan to develop a residential project on the grounds of St. Paul's College in the Brookland neighborhood of Ward 5. After reviewing the project plans, I can see that the project will provide an ample supply of much needed housing in the District and in the neighborhood. With its plan to offer for-sale townhouses, the project will provide many District residents the opportunity to purchase homes in a desirable community with close proximity to the Brookland – CUA Metro station. I am particularly pleased that the project will offer a substantial number of for-sale affordably priced homes.

The project stands to improve the neighborhood through its tasteful design, ample open space, improved streetscapes, and park rehabilitation. I am pleased with the manner in which all of these aspects of the project will contribute to an attractive and distinct residential community.

Sincerely,

Harry "Tommy" Thomas, Jr.

Ward 5 Councilmember

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