TESTIMONEY

I Genet Mamo reside at

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I'm a licensed CNA & HHA who worked at Washington Hospital center as a medical technician until I was laid off from work. For a short duration, I could not find another job and was an unemployed DC resident. As I needed to support my family and determined to work, I joined AirBnb to set up my rental business sharing room at my residence. Currently I am a self-employed tax paying resident who is renting units at my residence. This business allows me to support myself and my family. The business motivates me to keep not only my residence, but my entire area upkeep and I do that every day. As a DC resident and small business owner AirBnb is alternative & affordable option for those visitors coming to DC comparing to overnight expensive cost to stay in hotels, I highly encourage the council support these small businesses and avoid business stifling restrictions.

Thank you

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