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Advisory Neighborhood Commission 6A
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Terry Bellamy
Interim Director, District Department of Transportation
55 M Street SE, Suite 400
Washington, DC 20003

Re: Support for a Capitol Bikeshare Station at 10th and H or 11th and H Street NE

Dear Director Bellamy,

At a regularly scheduled and properly noticed meeting on May 12, 2011, our Commission voted 8-0-0 (with five required for a quorum) to request DDoT installs a CaBi station at 10th and H or at 11th and H Street, NE. The requested station is on the DDoT's list of potential bike stations found at http://ddotfiles.com/CaBi_Expansion/.

Currently, the demand for the CaBi station at 13th and H exceeds the supply and, as a result, there is difficulty keeping the station balanced with bicycles and empty docks. The Commission believes that a CaBi station at 10th/11th and H likewise will be heavily used and will help fill the station gap that currently exists between 3rd and 13th St on H Street. In addition, in conversations with Mr. Chris Holben, the CaBi Project Manager, the community was assured that the 10th/11th and H Street station would be installed by spring 2011. As a result, a significant number of residents became CaBi members based on this commitment.

Our ANC is pleased with the CaBi program's overwhelming success and believe that the installation of a new station at 10th/11th and H Street NE will help relieve the pressure on the 13th and H station and help further integrate H Street into DC's multi-modal transportation network.

On behalf of the Commission,

David Holmes
Chair

cc: Tommy Wells, Ward 6 Councilmember
Scott Kubly, Director, PTSA
Ralph Burns, Deputy Associate Director, PTSA