



**District of Columbia Government**  
**Advisory Neighborhood Commissioner 6A**  
**Box 75115**  
**Washington, DC 20013**



April 28, 2009

Mr. Gabe Klein  
District Department of Transportation  
2000 14<sup>th</sup> Street, NW  
Washington, DC 20009

Re: 14 Outstanding DDOT requests for ANC6A

Mr. Klein:

We write to ask for updates on a number of outstanding requests made by our ANC for transportation audits and improvements to your agency. We have requests that extend over one year. We understand that your agency has many requests and demands, but we find it troubling that such a large number of requests have been sent into DDOT with either no feedback or promises of action that have not materialized. We are losing credibility with our constituents as we relay to them information of improvements that we are told are imminent only to have no action taken. Accordingly, we formally request that you look into the following open items:

1. Request for improvements to traffic signal at 9<sup>th</sup>, E Street, and Maryland Avenue, NE submitted March 2008; DDOT advised ANC improvements would be imminent in letter dated April 22, 2008 – improvements have not occurred.
2. Transportation audit to implement traffic calming measures for 1300 block of G Street, NE submitted November 2008.
3. Transportation audit to implement traffic calming measures between the 800 and 1000 blocks of G Street, NE submitted November 2008.
4. Transportation audit to implement traffic calming measures between the 600 block of 9th Street, NE submitted November 2008.
5. Transportation audit for 500, 600, 700, 800, and 900 blocks of 13<sup>th</sup> Street, NE submitted March 2008.
6. Transportation audit for 800 and 900 blocks of 12<sup>th</sup> Street, NE submitted March 2008.
7. Speed hump request for the 1300 block of Emerald Street, NE submitted June 2008.
8. Speed hump request for the 1200, 1300, and 1400 blocks of E Street, NE submitted August 2008.
9. Request for analysis of angle parking on the 500 block of Tennessee Avenue, NE submitted August 2008.
10. Request for transportation audit of 1600 Rosedale Street, NE submitted October 2007 and resubmitted May 2008.
11. Request for review of paving in public space at 901-903 D Street, NE submitted January 2009.
12. ANC request for pedestrian safety improvements at uncontrolled pedestrian crosswalks across Maryland Avenue at 10<sup>th</sup> Street, NE submitted March 2008.
13. Request to expand the residential parking pilot program to include the Arts and Entertainment section of H Street, NE (generally 12th to 15th and H to F streets, NE) to just RPP residents from 7:00am to 8:30pm -- with no two hour exception submitted November 2008.



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Copies of each petition were given to Mr. Damon Harvey at our January 8, 2009 ANC meeting. Moreover, after that meeting, several e-mail requests were sent to follow-up on these issues to your department.

In addition, the following request to have a stop sign study performed at for 13<sup>th</sup> Street, NE at F Street, NE has dragged on for almost four years with promises of action but no follow up. The residents within this area have grown extremely frustrated by the lack of action on this issue.

1. Resident Mr. Michael Moncibaiz discussed issue with Mr. Derrick Hardy in person in October 2005.
2. Discussed via email by Commissioner Schultheiss via email correspondence with Mr. Derrick Hardy on August 31, 2006.
3. Follow up email and DC.Gov service request submitted March 2008.
4. Informed in August 2008 the sign was warranted and would be installed.
5. Service request shows the issue as resolved as of January 2009 (?!).

In general, the Commission is disappointed with the lack of communication on these requests. We are anxiously awaiting your response and we are looking forward to working with you to improve our neighborhood.

In close, our Commission requests that action plans be developed for each of the 14 items listed above that includes a DDOT point of contact and an estimated time of completion. We further request that your department e-mail Mr Omar Mahmud, ANC 6A Transportation and Public Space Committee Chair ([familymahmud@yahoo.com](mailto:familymahmud@yahoo.com)), a monthly update by the fifth working day of each month, starting June 8, 2009, on the status of these open items until they are completed. Please contact me or Commissioner Schultheiss (202-543-5003 or [schlthss@yahoo.com](mailto:schlthss@yahoo.com)) with any questions.

On behalf of the Commission,

Joe Fengler  
Chair Advisory Neighborhood Commission 6A

Cc: Omar Mahmud, Chair ANC 6A Transportation Committee  
Commissioner Bill Schultheiss, ANC6A06  
Council Member Wells, Ward 6