

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



February 15, 2005

Doug Noble Associate Director Traffic Services Administration 2000 14th Street, NW, 7th Floor Washington, DC 20009

Re: Removal of Rush Hour Parking Restrictions on H Street, NE

Dear Mr. Noble,

On February 10, 2005, at a regularly scheduled and properly noticed meeting, ANC 6A voted unanimously to send this letter supporting the removal of the morning and evening rush hour parking restrictions on H Street, NE.

Our Commission previously supported this action in a letter to Mr. Dan Tangherlini on August 16, 2004, endorsing the findings of the H Street NE Corridor Transportation Streetscape Study. We have not received a response to that letter or a timeline for District Depart of Transportation's implementation of the study recommendations.

New businesses are opening every month on H Street. Removing the rush hour parking restrictions would increase the amount of dedicated parking for H Street businesses and would allow the construction of bulb-outs/streetcar stops as described in the Streetscape study.

We understand that this action would require changing both lane markings and street signs, and we urge you to begin these activities as soon as possible. Please let us know by our March 10, 2005, Commission meeting when we can expect this recommendation to be implemented.

On behalf of the Commission,

Joseph Fengler

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Chair, Advisory Neighborhood Commission 6A