

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



December 11, 2015

Mr. Clifford Moy Secretary of the Board of Zoning Adjustment Board of Zoning Adjustment 441 4<sup>th</sup> St. NW, Suite 210 Washington, DC 20001

Re: BZA Case No. 19145 (1313-1323 Linden Court, NE)

Dear Mr. Moy,

At a regularly scheduled and properly noticed meeting on December 10, 2015, 1 our Commission voted 7-0 (with 5 Commissioners required for a quorum) to support the Applicant's request for variances from the FAR requirements under § 771, the lot occupancy requirements under § 772, the rear yard requirements under § 774, the nonconforming structure requirements under § 2003, and the height requirements under § 2507.4, to allow the construction of five one-family dwellings and a neighborhood-servicing retail establishment in the C-2-A District.

The Commission supports granting the requested variances because strict application of the above-referenced zoning requirements would result in peculiar and exceptional practical difficulties and hardship to the applicant and because granting the requested relief will not result in substantial detriment to the public good or substantially impair the intent, purpose, and integrity of the zoning plan, provided that certain conditions are met. Specifically, the Commission supports granting the requested relief only on the condition that a covenant be recorded in the land records for each of the properties prohibiting the owner or resident of the property from obtaining a residential parking permit.

Please be advised that Brad Greenfield and I are authorized to act on behalf of ANC 6A for the purposes of this case. I can be contacted at philanc6a@gmail.com and Mr. Greenfield can be contacted at brad.greenfield@gmail.com.

On Behalf of the Commission,

Phil Toomajian

Chair, Advisory Neighborhood Commission 6A

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