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Ms. Linda Argo
Director
Department of Consumer and Regulatory Affairs
941 North Capitol St. NE, Room 9500
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RE: Request for Response to ANC 6A Letter Regarding Public Space Training for Permitting and Inspection Staff

Dear Ms. Argo,

Our ANC hasn't received a response to the attached letter from your office and respectfully request such a response within 60 days in accordance with D.C. Code § 1-309.10(h)(1).

We believe that DCRA should train its permitting and inspection staff so that they 1) recognize when electrical equipment is located on public space and 2) do not issue electrical permits and approvals unless the owner demonstrates that the equipment has received a public space permit. This initiative will greatly reduce the number of unsightly electrical boxes and air conditioners that are currently being installed on public space.

Please have your staff follow up with Commissioner Drew Ronneberg, who chairs our Economic Development and Zoning Committee. Dr. Ronneberg can be reached at ronneberg6a02@gmail.com or (202) 431-4305.

On behalf of the Commission,

Kelvin J. Robinson
Chair, Advisory Neighborhood Commission 6A

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