

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



February 23, 2007

Councilmember Tommy Wells John A. Wilson Building 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW Washington, DC 20004

Re: Initiatives for Councilmember Tommy Wells

Councilmember Wells,

At our regularly scheduled, public meeting on February 8, 2007 our Commission unanimously approved three initiatives for your office to focus on as you requested at our January 11, 2007 meeting. The initiatives are as follows:

- 1. Improve recreation center management and facilities: building grounds, programs, identification checks, partnerships and volunteer groups.
- 2. Approve funding for the light rail cars for H Street NE in the Fiscal Year 2008 budget.
- 3. Implement a Ward 6 singles moratorium.

The other initiatives that were discussed at our meeting:

- 4. Improve nuisance property policies.
- 5. Eliminate publicly owned, abandoned housing.
- 6. Facilitate traffic calming requests and guide systematic implementation.
- 7. Implement public space improvements locate and provide for: dog parks, recreation areas, play equipment and passive pedestrian green space.
- 8. Improve enforcement of illegal construction.
- 9. Improve transparency of Department of Consumer and Regulatory Affairs and District Columbia Department of Transportation public records and decision making process.
- 10. Consider expanding Capitol Hill Historic District.
- 11. Improve transportation demand management strategies for new development.
- 12. Ensure even distribution of social services across the city.

In close, we appreciate the opportunity to work with your office on these issues.

On behalf of the Commission,

Joseph Fengler

Chair, Advisory Neighborhood Commission 6A