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Advisory Neighborhood Commission 6A
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July 15, 2025

Aaron Myers
Executive Director
Commission on Arts and Humanities
200 I Street, SE, Suite 1400
Washington, DC 20003

Re: H Street Main Street DCAH Grant Application

Dear Mr. Myers:

At a regularly scheduled and properly noticed meeting¹ on July 10, 2025, ANC 6A voted 5-2-0 (with 4 Commissioners required for a quorum) to send a conditional letter of support for H Street Main Street's application for the Commission on Arts and Humanities Beautification Grant.

H Street Main Street's grant application to beautify the H Street Corridor deserves strong support, as it promises to enhance the vibrancy and appeal of this historic Washington, D.C., neighborhood. By funding initiatives like public art installations, improved landscaping, and upgraded streetscapes, the project will seek to foster community pride, attract local business investment, and create a more welcoming environment for residents and visitors, alike. These improvements align with the organization's intent to revitalize the corridor through community-driven efforts, ensuring a lasting positive impact on the area's economic and cultural vitality. Receipt of this grant will empower H Street Main Street to continue its mission of creating a thriving, inclusive and visually appealing urban hub.

ANC 6A's support for this grant application is contingent on H Street Main Street's commitment to the development of a robust community engagement plan during the inception/planning phase of this project. This Commission encourages dedicated outreach enabled through the ANC 6A Community Outreach Committee (COC), along with neighboring ANC 6C, as well as through other local forums.

Thank you for giving great weight to the recommendations of this Commission. I can be contacted at 6A05@anc.dc.gov, and COC Chair Paul Spires can be contacted at spires4dc@gmail.com.

On behalf of the Commission,

Dave Wethington
Chair, Advisory Neighborhood Commission 6A

CC: Anwar Saleem, H Street Main Street

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