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Advisory Neighborhood Commission 6A
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Director Everett Lott
District Department of Transportation
250 M St. SE
Washington, DC 20003

Re: Supplementary comment regarding bus stop consolidation under NOI 22-221-TESD

Dear Director Lott,

At a regularly scheduled and properly noticed meeting¹ on October 13, 2022, our Commission voted 7-0-0 (with 5 Commissioners required for a quorum) to send an additional comment regarding bus stop consolidation under NOI #22-221-TESD, which was initiated in response to resident requests for traffic calming from 1100 to 1500 C Street NE.

The DDOT bus team has requested ANC support for the consolidation of the B2 bus stops in the 300 and 400 blocks of 14th Street NE. Currently, there are bus stops located at the NE corner of 14th Street at C NE and another one at the NE corner of 14th Street at D NE. Elimination of the stop at 14th Street at C would improve safety for pedestrians by preventing drivers from using the bus bay to jump the light at this intersection (there is a stop sign at the D Street intersection, so queue jumping is less of an issue there). Consolidation of bus stops has been shown to improve bus transit speeds and increase ridership. Removal of this stop would also add residential parking, which we know is a concern to our community. DDOT noted there are two transfers per day from the D6 to the B2 bus at the 14th Street at C Street stop. The distance between the stops is 381 feet (a 2-minute walk) according to Google Maps. For these reasons we support the elimination of the B2 bus stop at the corner of 14th Street at C Street NE and request notification to residents of this change through WMATA and DDOT communication channels.

Thank you for giving great weight to the recommendations of this Commission. I can be contacted at 6A04@anc.dc.gov and Commissioner Gentile can be contacted at 6A05@anc.dc.gov.

On behalf of the Commission,

Amber Gove
Chair, Advisory Neighborhood Commission 6A

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