October 14, 2020

Mr. Will Handsfield, Transportation Planner
District Department of Transportation
55 M St SE, Suite 400
Washington, DC 20003

Re: ANC6A Support for NOI #20-79-PSD

Dear Mr. Handsfield:

At a regularly scheduled and properly noticed meeting on October 8, 2020, our Commission voted 5-0-1 (with 5 Commissioners required for a quorum) to send a letter to DDOT in support of NOI #20-79-PSD, the proposed Advisory Bike Lane Project on Tennessee Avenue NE, with the following comments and recommendations:

1. Requesting raised crosswalks at the intersections of Tennessee Avenue NE with special attention to those at C Street, E Street and 14th Street NE, if determined to be feasible;
2. Additional traffic calming measures on the 200 block of 13th Street NE, potentially including raised crosswalks and/or speed humps and a clear connection for the southbound bike route from the 200 block of Tennessee Ave NE;
3. Additional traffic calming measures in the 200-500 blocks of Tennessee Ave NE, including speed humps if feasible;
4. Installation of appropriate roadway signage (e.g. yield control and one way and/or do not enter signs) at the south end of triangle park in the 100 block of Tennessee Ave NE;
5. Installation of appropriate roadway signage (e.g. no right turn, one way and/or do not enter signs) at the intersection of East Capitol and Tennessee Ave NE;
6. Installation of traffic calming measures, including speed humps, in the 100 block of 13th St NE to prevent conflicts with the bike lane path;
7. Minimize, to the extent possible, any loss in linear feet of parking other than sightline setbacks required to protect vulnerable users;
8. Removal of proposed diagonal painted parking lines on 100 block of Tennessee Ave NE; and
9. Additional opportunity to review and comment (a second NOI) for the intersection at 13th Street and Constitution Avenue NE.

Should you wish to discuss this letter with the Commission, please feel free to reach out to me at AmberANC6A@gmail.com.

On behalf of the Commission,

Amber Gove
Chair, Advisory Neighborhood Commission 6A

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