



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



January 12, 2017

Mr. Leif A. Dormsjo  
Director, District Department of Transportation  
55 M Street SE  
Washington, DC 20003

RE: FRESHFARM Market at H and 13th Streets NE

Dear Director Dormsjo:

At a regularly scheduled and properly noticed meeting<sup>1</sup> on January 12, 2017, our Commission voted 8-0 (with 5 Commissioners required for a quorum) to provide our full and unqualified support to the continuation of the FRESHFARM H Street NE farmers market in 2017.

The H Street Market well serves our community by providing wonderful and healthy local products to a wide range of residents. ANC 6A strongly supports the continuation of the market at the same site as last year – on Thirteenth (13<sup>th</sup>) Street NE, north of H Street NE and south of Wylie Street NE. The permit should be granted for every Saturday from April through December 2017 from 8:00 am until 1:00 pm as agreed to by the District Department of Transportation (DDOT) and FRESHFARM Markets.

Please also ensure that the very popular H Street Festival does not prevent the market from opening on the date that it is scheduled this year. Last year, the market continued until its normal closing time on the day of the festival and the market vendor vehicles exited north on Thirteenth (13<sup>th</sup>) Street without disrupting the festival activities. This arrangement appeared to work well for both the market and the festival.

Thank you for giving great weight to the recommendation of ANC 6A.

On behalf of the Commission,

Phil Toomajian,  
Chair, Advisory Neighborhood Commission 6A

cc: Councilmember Charles Allen  
Amber Breitenberg, FRESHFARM Markets

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