

Government of the District of Columbia Advisory Neighborhood Commission 4B

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By Electronic Mail

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Ernest Chrappah Department of Consumer and Regulatory Affairs 1100 4th St SW, Washington, DC 20024

RE: Letter of Support - Board of Zoning Adjustment Application for Special Exception for an Expanded Child Development Home with 20 Children and 5 Staff at 240 Quackenbos Street, NE.

Dear Sir:

Advisory Neighborhood Commission 4B, at a duly noticed public meeting, with a quorum being the "majority of the total number of commissioner positions currently filled in Commission 4B," at its January 28, 2019, meeting on a consent calendar to send this letter of inquiry supporting a Board of Zoning Adjustment Application for Special Exception for an Expanded Child Development Home with 20 Children and 5 Staff at 240 Quackenbos Street, NE.

Advisory Neighborhood Commissions serve an essential function in our local democracy, providing the most direct line of access to and assistance for residents from an elected representative. Based on many conversations with the neighbors, we believe that an increase to 20 children and 5 staff members will not negatively impact the quality of life for surrounding neighbors.

Because this is an issue of great concern to the constituency, if you have any questions, please feel to contact me.

Sincerely, Alison Mars W

Alison Brooks Vice Chair

Cc: Brandon Todd, Councilmember

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