



GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
Advisory Neighborhood Commission 2D

May 24, 2017

Mr. Keith Anderson
Director
Department of Parks and Recreation
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RE: Application for the Friends of Belmont Road Park to Become an Official Partner for DPR's Belmont Road Park

Dear Director Anderson,

At its regular meeting on May 15, 2017, Advisory Neighborhood Commission 2D ("ANC 2D" or "Commission") considered the above-referenced matter. With 2 of 2 Commissioners in attendance, a quorum at a duly-noticed public meeting, the Commission approved the following resolution by a vote of (2-0-0):

The longtime abandoned portion of Belmont Road NW between Connecticut Avenue and Kalorama Circle was transferred in 2013 from the District Department of Transportation to the Department of Parks and Recreation by legislative action passed by the DC Council and the Mayor.

Friends of Belmont Road Park, hereafter referred to as "Friends," was incorporated as a DC nonprofit and received its IRS tax exemption as a 501(c)(3) in 2015. The purpose of the organization is to support and promote, in cooperation with the Department of Parks and Recreation, an area for children, adults, and pets. The Friends encourage cultural and scenic preservation and conservation of the property.

THEREFORE, ANC 2D hereby commends the Friends of Belmont Road Park for their efforts in establishing a park and supports the mission of this partnership.

Commissioners David Bender (2D01@anc.dc.gov) and Ellen Goldstein (2D02@anc.dc.gov) are the Commission's representatives in this matter.

ON BEHALF OF THE COMMISSION.

Sincerely,

David R Bender

David Bender
Chair