



GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

Advisory Neighborhood Commission 2D

Special Meeting Minutes

October 4, 2018, 5:00 pm

John A. Wilson Building – First Floor Lobby
1350 Pennsylvania Avenue NW

Call to Order

Chair David Bender called the meeting to order at 5:03 pm.

Establishment of Quorum

Commissioners David Bender (2D01) and Ellen Goldstein (2D02) were present, establishing a quorum. There were 3 residents and visitors in attendance.

Foreign Government Owned Vacant and Blighted Building Amendment Act of 2017; ANC 2D Statement in Support

Commissioner Goldstein moved to adopt a proposed resolution regarding the matter. Chair Bender seconded the motion, which was voted on and passed (VOTES: 2-0-0). The resolution reads as follows:

WHEREAS, Chairman Phil Mendelson introduced DC Council Bill B22-0465 – the “Foreign Government Owned Vacant and Blighted Building Amendment Act of 2017” and held a hearing regarding the bill on September 26th, 2018 at the John A. Wilson Building,

WHEREAS, ANC 2D, which has a significant presence of foreign government-owned properties, many of which are vacant and blighted and threaten the residential quality of Sheridan-Kalorama, was asked to testify at the hearing, and

WHEREAS, ANC 2D02 Commissioner Ellen Goldstein delivered testimony to the DC Council on September 26th, 2018 and was asked specifically by Chairman Mendelson to have her testimony officially approved by ANC 2D commissioners prior to the close of business on October 10th, 2018.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that ANC 2D fully supports and endorses the testimony delivered by Commissioner Ellen Goldstein on September 26th, 2018 regarding DC Council Bill B22-0465.

Motion to Adjourn

Chair Bender adjourned the meeting at 5:06 pm.