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*(Via First Class Mail)*

Ms. Michelle Pourciau, Acting Director  
District Department of Transportation  
2000 14<sup>th</sup> St. NW, 6<sup>th</sup> Floor  
Washington, DC 20009

Re: Down Construction Sign at the Corner of 11<sup>th</sup> and M. St's NW

Dear Ms. Pourciau,

I write this letter to request your assistance with the removal of a downed construction warning sign on the northwest side of the intersection of 11<sup>th</sup> and M St's, NW. This sign has been down since July 2005 and has been reported multiple times in the city services request web page, yet the reported issue has not been resolved. Please see the enclosure which shows requests for service submitted on July 10, 2005, December 28, 2005 and February 2, 2006. Despite repeated requests for resolution, this issue remains unresolved.

As the attached picture shows, this sign and its broken support structure continues to be an eyesore in the community. The sign has been on the ground for at least seven months and the area around the support structure has become a collection point for trash and wind blow debris. The sign is down along the pedestrian corridor between the Thomas Circle hotels and the Convention Center and presents an unpleasant image of the city. Furthermore, whatever purpose the sign was intended to fill, be it to serve as a warning or enhance safety around the construction that is being done, is not being fulfilled. Your attention to this issue and involvement in the correction is required.

My point of contact is Mike Sheaffer. He can be reached at 703-695-0284 or via e-mail at [mksusa@aol.com](mailto:mksusa@aol.com). I am requesting and would appreciate the courtesy of a response within 15 days of the above date.

Sincerely yours,

Sandra Biasillo  
Commissioner ANC2F05

cc *(via e-mail)*

Office of Neighborhood Services (Mr. Carlson Klapthor)  
Jennifer Trock, President, Logan Circle Community Association  
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