

District of Columbia Office of Planning



Office of the Director

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Dear Mr. Reed:

Thank you for your letter of May 28, 2009. We are delighted that ANC 2F is interested in these issues and are happy to ensure that your comments are included in the public process. We will ensure that the Zoning Commission public hearing is not scheduled until at least October 2009 and that the Office of Planning public hearing report is not issued until after we have had a chance to include your September 7, 2009 comments.

For the Commercial Corridors (as well as other new zoning provisions), we ideally want a 2-3 month public review of zoning issues and proposals. OP is still in the process of identifying and researching zoning issues that impact commercial corridors. The public working group will be finishing its review this month and we expect to have comments and general recommendations from that process soon. Michael Giulioni of my staff has been leading that group and I understand will also be working with your ANC to share information and gather input. I expect other ANCs will also be reviewing the working group recommendations during this same time period and look forward to receiving a variety of public comments. Once we have all comments, including yours, we will issue a report to the Zoning Commission no earlier than mid-September.

Thank you again for your participation in this important process. I hope that your ANC will continue to be involved and comment on those issues that may affect your neighborhood.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Harriet Tregoning', written over a light blue horizontal line.

Harriet Tregoning
Director, DC Office of Planning

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