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A resolution expressing support for petitions regarding traffic calming issues on the 100 and 200 blocks of Varnum St. NW.

Whereas, in April of 2012, following an extensive community driven process, the residents of 100 and 200 blocks of Webster St. NW submitted petitions to the DC Department of Transportation supporting changes to the Webster St. NW traffic patterns that were executed on November 6, 2012.

Whereas, in June of 2013, residents of the 100 and 200 blocks of Varnum St. NW submitted a petition to the District of Columbia Department of Transportation expressing concerns about the volume of traffic on Varnum St. NW.

Whereas, the aforementioned petition requests a study of the current traffic pattern to mitigate traffic volume on these blocks of Varnum St. NW.

Whereas, on July 13, 2013, Commissioner Zachary Hartman (ANC 4C-09) and Commissioner Janell Rawlings (ANC 4C-10) met with concerned residents to discuss shared concerns and potential solutions to ongoing Varnum St. Traffic volume issues.

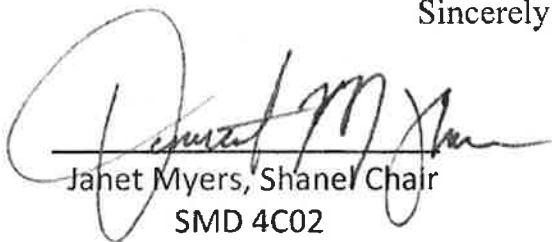
Whereas, acceptable solutions that were discussed are, but are not limited to:

- Changing the 100 Block of Varnum St. NW to one-way eastbound
- Installing speed humps on the 100 and/or 200 blocks of Varnum St. NW
- Installing a 3 way stop, and/or illuminated cross walk at the intersection of Varnum St. and Rock Creek Church Rd. NW

- Limiting the 100 and 200 blocks of Varnum St. NW to local traffic only during morning and evening commuting hours and erecting appropriate signage
- Increased police patrols to mitigate; speeding on the 100 and 200 blocks of Webster and Varnum St.'s NW, rolling stops through the stop sign at Varnum and 2nd St.'s NW, and the violation of one-way traffic designations

Thereby, be it resolved that ANC 4C supports the DC Department of Transportation taking appropriate action to evaluate and address ongoing concerns regarding traffic volume on the 100 and 200 Blocks of Webster and Varnum St.'s NW, while lending great weight to the concerns, recommendations, and opinions expressed by the residents of these blocks.

Sincerely,



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