



ADVISORY NEIGHBORHOOD COMMISSION 3E

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Resolution requesting DDOT install bike racks within ANC 3E

Whereas, the District Department of Transportation (DDOT) recently testified that it has been allocated funds to install bike racks in the District of Columbia, and

Whereas, Mayor Gray's [Sustainable DC](#) plan which seeks to reduce reliance on automobiles seeks to expand provisions of safe, secure infrastructure for cyclists and pedestrians with the goal to increase biking and walking to 25% of all commuter trips, and

Whereas, there exists within Ward 3 significant numbers of people who live within a mile of the Wisconsin Avenue corridor and its two Metro stops but who lack good transit options to reach the corridor who might utilize bicycles to reach the corridor rather than driving and exacerbating existing parking and traffic problems but currently bicycle infrastructure in Ward 3 is lacking in most ways, and

Whereas, ANC 3E has previously supported the installation of additional Capital Bikeshare stations in Ward 3 and proposals and possibilities for additional bicycle infrastructure in and adjacent to ANC 3E and Ward 3 include but are not limited to signed bicycle boulevards on 41st and Jenifer Streets NW, a widened sidewalk to accommodate bikes on Nebraska Avenue NW between Ward Circle and Tenleytown, a bike lane as part of the proposed Broad Branch Road re-build, a sidewalk on Wisconsin Avenue connecting Friendship Heights and Bethesda. However the Wisconsin Avenue corridor within ANC 3E currently has a dearth of bike racks with a recent survey only finding one small rack in Friendship Heights and a second small rack in Tenleytown in addition to public bike racks adjacent to the Jenifer Street entrance to the Friendship Heights Metro and the Tenleytown Library but the same survey noted that these public bike racks as well as larger public bike racks in Friendship Heights, MD have high occupancy rates and bikes can also often be found locked to trees, street signs, parking meter poles and fences, and

Therefore be it resolved that ANC 3E urges DDOT to consider installing bike racks at the following locations within ANC 3E:

4200 Block of Wisconsin

4200 Wisconsin Avenue (in front of Greenberg Theater & Sullivans)

4300 Block of Wisconsin

4301 Wisconsin Avenue (Chipotle) or 4331 Wisconsin Avenue (Z Burger)

4400 Block of Wisconsin

4445 Wisconsin Avenue (Subway restaurant) & 4450 Wisconsin Avenue (Tenleytown Library)

4500 Block of Wisconsin

4500 Wisconsin Avenue (Best Buy) & 4515 Wisconsin Avenue (Guapo's) & 4529 Wisconsin Avenue (Angelico's) & 4530 Wisconsin Avenue (Tenley Point/Middle C Music) & 4555 Wisconsin Avenue (CVS)

4600 Block of Wisconsin

4624 Wisconsin Avenue (Kitty O'Shea's)

4600 Block of 41st Street NW

4319 41st Street NW (Fork & Spade)

4700 Block of Wisconsin

4725 Wisconsin Avenue (Tenley Hill)

4800 Block of Wisconsin

4801 Wisconsin Avenue (Restorative Health)

4900 Block of Wisconsin

4905 Wisconsin Avenue (Tempo Bookstore) & 4936 Wisconsin Avenue (Pete's)

5000 Block of Wisconsin

5100 Block of Wisconsin

5100 Wisconsin Avenue (Rodman's & Crunch – should be 2 racks here)

5200 Block of Wisconsin

5225 Wisconsin Avenue (Fedex Office/Rosa Mexicano) & Jenifer Street entrance to Friendship Heights Metro Station

5300 Block of Wisconsin

5300 Wisconsin Avenue (Mazza) & 5333 Wisconsin Avenue (DSW) & 5345 Wisconsin Avenue (Chevy Chase Pavilion) & southwest corner of Western and Wisconsin

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that ANC 3E encourages DDOT to monitor utilization rates at current and future bike racks to determine whether additional bike racks may be warranted.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that ANC 3E urges DDOT to propose a list of recommended locations for bike racks and submit it to ANC 3E to enable ANC 3E to solicit comments from the public.

ANC 3E approved this resolution at its meeting on May 9, 2013, which was properly noticed and at which a quorum was present. The resolution was approved by a vote of 5-0-0. Commissioners Jonathan Bender, Matthew Frumin, Elizabeth Haile, Tom Quinn and Sam Serebin were present.

ANC 3E

By Jonathan Bender, Chairperson