



Government of the District of Columbia Advisory Neighborhood Commission 4B

DRAFT RESOLUTION #4B-20-1005

**Requesting Installation of Speed Humps on Dahlia Street NW between
Georgia Avenue NW and Piney Branch Road NW**

Adopted October 26, 2020

Advisory Neighborhood Commission 4B takes note of the following:

- Commissioner Evan Yeats, ANC 4B01, has received numerous requests for traffic calming and the installation of speed humps along Dahlia Street NW between Georgia Avenue NW and Piney Branch Road NW.
- Dahlia Street NW is a heavily trafficked East-West pedestrian route and is adjacent to Takoma Education Campus and a designated school zone for a portion of this stretch. There are no businesses or business traffic along this stretch of road.
- The primary pickup and dropoff zone for Takoma Education Campus is on Dahlia Street NW and many children cross Dahlia Street on bicycle or on foot to access the school and adjacent playground and recreation facilities.
- Speed hump installation is supported by neighbors who were contacted through canvassing and the Parent-Teacher Organization of Takoma Education Campus.
- Current traffic control measures, including posted school zone and stop signs, have been insufficient to control speed through this corridor.
- A representative from the District Department of Transportation informed Advisory Neighborhood Commission 4B at a meeting on July 21, 2020, that requests for speed bumps must be submitted via a Commission Resolution, and not the Department's Traffic Safety Assessment process.

RESOLVED:

- That Advisory Neighborhood Commission 4B requests that the District Department of Transportation install speed humps along Dahlia Street NW, between Georgia Avenue NW and Piney Branch Road NW.

- That Advisory Neighborhood Commission 4B encourages the District Department of Transportation to consider additional mechanisms to control speed including raised crosswalks and automated enforcement.

FURTHER RESOLVED:

That the Commission designates Commissioner Evan Yeats, ANC 4B01, to represent the Commission in all matters relating to this Resolution.

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That, in the event the designated representative Commissioner cannot carry out their representative duties for any reason, the Commission authorizes the Chair to designate another Commissioner to represent the Commission in all matter relating to this Resolution.

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That, consistent with DC Code § 1-309, only actions of the full Commission voting in a properly noticed public meeting have standing and carry great weight. The actions, positions, and opinions of individual commissioners, insofar as they may be contradictory to or otherwise inconsistent with the expressed position of the full Commission in a properly adopted resolution or letter, have no standing and cannot be considered as in any way associated with the Commission.

ADOPTED by voice vote at a regular public meeting (notice of which was properly given, and at which a quorum of __ of nine members was present) on October 26, 2020, by a vote of __ yes, __ no, __ abstentions.