



## Mount Pleasant Business Association

April 11, 2011

TO: ANC 1D

The ANC has recently been considering and seeking input on whether the Southbound bus stop at the corner of Mt. Pleasant Street and Irving Street be moved from its current location on the North side of the corner to the South side. Also, you have been considering a request to move a loading zone from Eastbound Irving Street to Southbound Mt. Pleasant Street at that corner. Prior to your most recent informal meeting, the Mount Pleasant Business Association indicated that our membership was concerned that this could have a negative impact on parking and businesses in the surrounding area.

We note that at the March 15, 2011 meeting the ANC passed two resolutions that advise the DC Department of Transportation and the Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Agency to study the feasibility of these changes to the bus stop and the loading zone.

These resolutions were circulated at the Mount Pleasant Business Association meeting OF April 6, 2011 and our membership discussed these issues again. We believe that further study of these ideas is a reasonable and important next step in this process. At this time, we believe the best next step is to wait for the conclusion of these studies before any more action is taken on these issues. As small business owners who are most impacted by these ideas, we feel that the organization of the street and its traffic zones requires careful study and direct input from all stakeholders beyond what has already been done by the ANC on its own.

Sincerely,

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