



GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

Advisory Neighborhood Commission 2E

Representing the communities of Burleith, Georgetown, and Hillandale

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Ms. Tanya Mitchell
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Homeland Security and Emergency Management Agency
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**RE: Special Event Application for the Lawyers Have Heart 10K & 5K on Saturday,
June 11th, 2022**

Dear Ms. Mitchell,

On January 31, 2022 ANC 2E held its regularly scheduled public meeting, which was properly noticed and attended by six commissioners, constituting a quorum. At this meeting the Commission adopted the following resolution by a vote of (6-0-0) with regard to the above-referenced matter:

Lawyers Have Heart have agreed to implement the following practices for the 2022 race:

1. Move pre-race check-in off of Water Street NW and onto Washington Harbour property. The ANC expects that this change will not lead to any discernible increase in noise for residents living in or around this property.
2. Increase the number and adjust the height of the speakers in order to lower the sound from each individual speaker and decrease audio vibrations off of the Whitehurst Freeway.
3. All audio speakers will face south towards the Potomac River.
4. Music on race morning will be turned off should complaints be called in to the onsite Metropolitan Police Department (MPD) officer.
5. No audio of any kind will take place before 7:00 am, including sound checks.
6. Offer free registrations to the first 100 Georgetown residents who would like to participate.
7. Provide written details of road closures and access points to ANC 2E to disseminate to local residents in advance of the race.
8. Install seven blocks of water barricade lanes to provide access to and from parking garages and residences on the north curb lane of K Street and Water Street from 29th Street to Potomac Street NW.

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Elizabeth Miller, District 7

9. MPD will manage the intersections going south from M Street to K Street and Water Street NW in order to ensure that residents and businesses have access to their locations via the north curb lane.
10. Traffic control officers will be located at five intersections on M Street NW to include:
 - 29th Street and M Street NW
 - 33rd Street and M Street NW
 - 34th Street and M Street NW
 - Wisconsin Avenue and M Street NW
 - Key Bridge and M Street NW
11. The American Heart Association (AHA) is following the guidance of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) and appropriate state and local health departments regarding closures and procedures for large gatherings related to the coronavirus. Communications will be sent regularly updating participants and ANC 2E with updated and precautionary measures with regards to COVID-19.

With these alterations to the race in mind and agreed to, ANC 2E agrees to support the granting of permits for 2022. However, should these modifications either not be implemented or should the race continue to be disruptive to ANC 2E05, the ANC will not support the race in 2023.

Commissioners Lisa Palmer (2E05@anc.dc.gov) and Rick Murphy (2E03@anc.dc.gov) are the Commission's representatives in this matter.

Respectfully submitted,



Rick Murphy
Chair, ANC 2E