



GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

Advisory Neighborhood Commission 2E

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RE: Hyde-Addison Elementary School's Maintenance Needs

Dear Director Anderson and Chancellor Ferebee,

On August 29, 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:

On August 17, 2022, Commissioners Kishan Putta and Rick Murphy participated in a visit to Hyde-Addison Elementary School organized by Ward 2 Councilmember Brooke Pinto and members of her staff in anticipation of the beginning of the new school year. Councilmember Robert White, Chair of the DC Council's Committee on Government Operations and Facilities, also attended, along with members of his staff. Attendees met with Dr. Calvin Hooks, the school's Principal; Katie Mustian, the school's Assistant Principal; and Tysean Curington, the school's Director of Operations, and toured the facility.

During the course of the tour, Mr. Curington identified a long list of maintenance requests that had been directed to the Department of General Services (DGS), a number of which have been outstanding for an extended period of time.

ANC 2E applauds Dr. Hooks and the other members of the school staff for their dedication to the goal of maintaining Hyde-Addison Elementary School as an outstanding educational facility. The ANC also thanks Councilmembers Pinto and White for the careful attention they are paying to the quality of our public schools, the foundation of our neighborhood and other neighborhoods throughout our city.

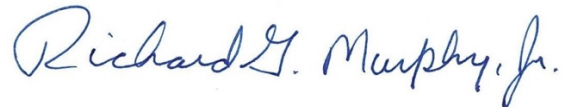
COMMISSIONERS:

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ANC 2E respectfully requests that the Department of General Services and DC Public Schools (DCPS) immediately address all of the outstanding maintenance issues at Hyde-Addison Elementary School. The condition of a school's physical facility is a critically important element in the creation of a successful learning environment.

Commissioners Kishan Putta (2E01@anc.dc.gov) and Rick Murphy (2E03@anc.dc.gov) are the Commission's representatives in this matter.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Richard G. Murphy, Jr." in a cursive script.

Rick Murphy
Chair, ANC 2E