



# Advisory Neighborhood Commission 5E

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## ANC 5E RESOLUTION No. 2023-0004 IN SUPPORT OF TRAFFIC CALMING FOR THE INSTALLATION OF SPEED HUMPS ON HANOVER PLACE NW AND BATES ST NW

**WHEREAS**, the unit block of Hanover Place has over 15 children on the block; and

**WHEREAS**, the street is one way and cars are speeding both ways with 'Do not Enter' signs; and

**WHEREAS**, speed humps would deter the traffic coming off of North Capitol St NW illegally; and

**WHEREAS**, construction no longer deters speed humps from being installed; and

**WHEREAS**, on Thursday, January 26, 2023, around 8:30pm, a cyclist was struck by a driver traveling at a high rate of speed on the 200 Bates St NW; and

**WHEREAS**, the residents for years have requested speed humps on the 200 block of Bates St NW and have submitted petitions requesting the speed bumps under the old District Department of Transportation (DDOT) system, which were ignored; and

**WHEREAS**, residents were eventually told that the petitions were no longer the proper way to request speed humps; and

**WHEREAS**, in the Spring of 2022, residents have submitted 311 service request #22-00240787, which was supposed to be resolved by December 3, 2022, but it wasn't and the 311 request was closed because of DDOT's new Traffic Safety Input (TSI) system.

**WHEREAS**, the community has now made the request under 3 different DDOT procedures over the last 2 years constituents have been asking for years for traffic calming that will slow down traffic at Bates St NW; and

**WHEREAS**, the DDOT has been notified for over a year that the speed humps would slow the speeding cars;

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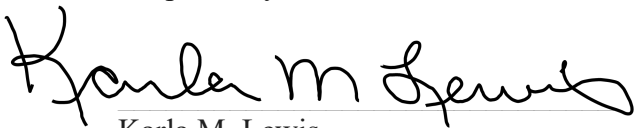
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**THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that ANC5E calls on the District Department of Transportation (DDOT) to take immediate actions to implement traffic calming measures and to stop those who speed by installing speed humps, thereby increasing the safety of pedestrians, bikers, scooter riders and law abiding motorists traversing Hanover Place NW and Bates St NW.

**This matter came before ANC5E** at a duly noticed Virtual Public Meeting on April 18, 2023. ANC5E consists of six (6) commissioners, the presence of four (4) of which constitutes a quorum. With 6 commissioners present, ANC5E voted 6 in favor, 0 opposed, and with 0 abstentions to adopt this resolution.

Respectfully,



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