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ANC3C Resolution 2021-007 Regarding Historic Preservation Review Board Application for 3056 Porter Street (HPA 21-267)

Whereas, the owner of a home at 3056 Porter St. NW, a contributing property to the Cleveland Park Historic District (HPRB), has filed application HPA 21-267 to add a two story addition to the rear, a new rear dormer, and replace garage doors with windows in the front;

Whereas, the original structure is a 2 story + basement detached house located on Porter St NW, between Connecticut Ave NW and 34th St NW;

Whereas, the proposed work includes a partial interior renovation, new front steps with entry canopy, and new addition on the rear including a new read dormer;

Whereas, the required side yard setback for Residential Zone R-2 is 8 feet and the existing structure is non-conforming;

Whereas, per Section 206.7 - In the case of a building with a non-conforming side yard, an extension or addition may be made to the building; provided, that the width of the existing side yard shall not be reduced or eliminated; and provided further, that the width of the side yard adjacent to the extension or addition shall be a minimum of five feet:

Whereas, the house, including the proposed addition, meets the required minimum GFA for Accessory Dwelling Units in Residential Zone R-2 (1,200 sq. ft.);

Whereas, the rear addition structure is a modest 12 feet extension for the basement, first floor, and second floor;

Whereas, there is an additional 12 feet extension for a porch that is not a structure;

Whereas, the rear addition cannot be seen when the home is viewed from the front on Porter St. NW;

Whereas, the other changes are aligned with historic preservation guidelines and architectural character of the neighborhood; and

Whereas, no immediate neighbors have submitted any comments to ANC-3C related to the addition.

Be It Resolved that ANC 3C supports the additions and changes outlined in the application; and

Be It Resolved that the ANC authorizes the Chair and the Commissioner for 3C05 to represent the Commission on this matter.

Attested by

Beau Finley

Chair, on April 19, 2021

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This resolution was approved by a voice vote on April 19, 2021 at a scheduled and noticed public meeting of ANC 3C at which a quorum (a minimum of 5 of 9 commissioners) was present.