



GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

## Advisory Neighborhood Commission 2E

Representing the communities of Burleith, Georgetown, and Hillandale

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Thennie Freeman  
Director  
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### RE: Support for Rose Park Farmers Market

Dear Director Freeman,

On March 30, 2026 ANC 2E held its regularly scheduled public meeting, which was properly noticed and attended by seven commissioners, constituting a quorum. At this meeting the Commission adopted the following resolution by a vote of (7-0-0) with regard to the above-referenced matter:

ANC 2E supports the Friends of Rose Park's application to stage the 2026 Rose Park Farmers Market in Rose Park, located at 2609 Dumbarton Street NW, every Wednesday from May 6, 2026 to October 28, 2026 from 3pm-7pm, plus on Saturday December 12th when Santa will visit the Farmers Market. The market serves as a wonderful community-based gathering spot, while also providing residents with a place to shop for locally grown produce, buy pre-prepared food, purchase items from small local businesses, and enjoy special events like holiday celebrations and pup parades. ANC 2E fully supports this fantastic community building effort.

Commissioners Topher Mathews ([2E02@anc.dc.gov](mailto:2E02@anc.dc.gov)) and Gwendolyn Lohse ([2E06@anc.dc.gov](mailto:2E06@anc.dc.gov)) are the Commission's representatives in this matter.

Respectfully submitted,

Topher Mathews

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