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Advisory Neighborhood Commission 6D

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RE: Group Hospitalization and Medical Services Inc. (GHMSI) Surplus

At a regularly scheduled and properly noticed public meeting on May 9, 2016, with a quorum present, a quorum being four Commissioners, Advisory Neighborhood Commission (ANC) 6D voted 4-0-0 to submit the following resolution:

COMMISSIONERS

SMD 1 *Marjorie Lightman*
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SMD 4 *Andy Litsky*
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Whereas, GHMSI is a subsidiary of CareFirst located in DC, and

Whereas, DISB is responsible for determining the amount of any excessive surplus held by GHMSI and overseeing its distribution plan, and

Whereas, the DC Council passed a unanimous sense of the council resolution on April 5, 2016 requesting that DISB “develop a community reinvestment plan for \$56 million in excess GHMSI 2011 surplus” then allow public comment on it, approve it, and order GHMSI to implement the plan within 30 days, and

Whereas, GHMSI’s surplus from years after 2011 also appears to be excessive by tens of millions of dollars,

Be it resolved that ANC 6D supports the “Sense of the Council Regarding the 2011 Surplus Review of 31 Groups Hospitalization and Medical Services, Inc. Emergency Resolution of 2016” and

ANC 6D requests that the community reinvestment plan for the GHMSI excessive surplus include improvements to the Unity Southwest clinic (in coordination with the DC Housing Authority should the District include the site in DCHA’s redevelopment plans for the Greenleaf complex) and



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The community reinvestment plan should also include funds for a community health assessment in the Buzzard Point area of the District of Columbia and

Waterfront Village, an effort currently in the planning stages to bring the “village” model of aging support to Southwest, would also be a worthy recipient of community reinvestment funds.

Sincerely,

Andy Litsky
Chairperson, ANC 6D
Southwest, Navy Yard, and Buzzard Point