



# Advisory Neighborhood Commission 2A

“Serving the Foggy Bottom and West End communities of Washington, D.C.”

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Councilmember Mary Cheh  
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**RE: DC Council Bill B24-0566 – the “Walk Without Worry Amendment Act of 2021”**

Dear Councilmember Cheh,

At its regular meeting on February 16, 2022, Advisory Neighborhood Commission 2A (“ANC 2A” or “Commission”) considered the above-referenced matter. With eight of eight commissioners present, a quorum at a duly-noticed public meeting, the Commission voted unanimously (8-0-0), after a motion made by Commissioner Omictin and seconded by Commissioner Causey, to adopt the following resolution:

WHEREAS, traffic-related deaths and injuries have risen sharply in the last several years, last year reaching their highest level [since 2008](#), in part due to dangerous infrastructure that prioritizes speedy automobile circulation over pedestrian safety,

WHEREAS, in response to this paradigm, Councilmember Nadeau and other Councilmembers introduced the [Walk Without Worry Amendment Act of 2021](#), which would require the District Department of Transportation (DDOT) to take measures to prevent pedestrian injury by proactively adding safe transportation infrastructure to certain critical locations, such as near schools, Metrorail stations, and mid-block crosswalks, and

WHEREAS, there are at least [50 locations](#) in ANC 2A that fit the eligibility criteria laid out in the Walk Without Worry Amendment Act of 2021 for critical safety improvements for pedestrians, such as raised crosswalks, raised intersections, or continuous sidewalks.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that ANC 2A urges the swift passage and implementation of the Walk Without Worry Amendment Act of 2021, reflecting the urgent need to build safe infrastructure within ANC 2A and across DC.

Commissioners Yannik Omictin ([2A01@anc.dc.gov](mailto:2A01@anc.dc.gov)) and Joel Causey ([2A02@anc.dc.gov](mailto:2A02@anc.dc.gov)) are the Commission’s representatives in this matter.

ON BEHALF OF THE COMMISSION.



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Sincerely,

*Joel Causey*

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Chairperson