



Advisory Neighborhood Commission 2A

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

March 4, 2017

Mr. Steven Knapp
President
The George Washington University
2121 Eye Street N.W.
Washington, DC 20052

RE: Resolution of Recognition and Appreciation

Dear Mr. Knapp,

At its regular meeting on February 15, 2017, Advisory Neighborhood Commission 2A (“ANC 2A” or “**Commission**”) considered the above-referenced matter. With seven of eight commissioners present, a quorum at a duly-noticed public meeting, the Commission voted unanimously (**7-0-0**) to adopt the following resolution of recognition:

WHEREAS, Dr. Steven Knapp became the 16th president of The George Washington University (“**GWU**” or “**University**”) on August 1, 2007; and

WHEREAS, President Knapp will step down on July 31, 2017 – having completed exactly ten years of service to the GWU community; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Knapp has been uniquely invested in the Foggy Bottom community, becoming the first University president to live on-campus through his residency at the historic and recently-renovated former F Street Club at 1925 F Street, N.W.; and

WHEREAS, his presence in Foggy Bottom has given him a special perspective on University-community relations and enabled him to relate to both permanent residents and students with a large degree of empathy and professionalism; and

WHEREAS, President Knapp has led GWU with distinction and spearheaded initiatives to advance its academic profile, among other successful aspects of his tenure.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that ANC 2A recognizes Dr. Steven Knapp on the occasion of his departure as president of The George Washington University and notes its appreciation for his contributions to Foggy Bottom over the course of his tenure.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Commission extends its best wishes to Steven and Diane Knapp for all of their endeavors in the years to come.

ON BEHALF OF THE COMMISSION.

Sincerely,

Patrick Kennedy
Chairperson