



North College Park Citizens Association

c/o Youth and Family Services

4912 Nantucket Road College Park, MD 20740

January 4, 2011

Brian Young
District Engineer
State Highway Administration
District 3
9300 Kenilworth Avenue
Greenbelt MD 20770

Dear Mr. Young:

I am writing to transmit to you two motions of the North College Park Citizens Association at our meeting of December 10th, requesting that the State Highway Administration:

- 1) More strictly control contractor traffic related to building projects on Route 1; and
- 2) Ensure an unobstructed sidewalk on the north side of Route 193 between Rhode Island and Branchville Road.

With respect to item 1: Our members believe that the heavy congestion experienced on Route 1 last month was caused in part by lane closings related to new construction. They ask that SHA not allow lane closings during rush hour.

With respect to item 2: Some residents depend on pedestrian access from North College Park to the shopping in the vicinity of Beltway Plaza. The Jersey barriers installed for the failed southern Metroland development at one time physically eliminated pedestrian access, and they continue to appear to obstruct such access.

Sincerely,

Mark Shroder
President

cc: Mayor and Council of College Park