

Ms. Patty Nicoson  
Chair, Reston Master Plan Special Study Task Force  
Department of Planning & Zoning  
Planning Division, Suite 730  
10255 Government Center Parkway  
Fairfax, VA 22035-5505

March 11, 2011

Dear Ms. Nicoson:

During its meeting of March 10, 2011, the Reston Association Board of Directors voted unanimously in support of the position of the Association's Environmental Advisory Committee that the Reston Master Plan Special Study Task Force Vision Subcommittee's Planning Principal number 2 does not provide sufficient protection for Reston's environmental and natural resources; whereby the discussion of the adverse impacts being minimized should include a statement that any adverse impact shall be remedied; and, that the statement on the tree canopy should include recognition of the key environmental benefits of the tree canopy.

Freya DeCola, Chair of Reston Association's Environmental Advisory Committee will be attending the March 15, 2011 Reston Master Plan Special Study Task Force Meeting to provide testimony consistent with the above stated position of the Reston Association.

Thank you for your time and consideration of this recommendation. Please contact me at 703-476-9181 or via email at [kathleendriscollmckee@gmail.com](mailto:kathleendriscollmckee@gmail.com), if you have questions, comments or would like to further discuss this request.

On Behalf of the Reston Association Board of Directors,



Kathleen Driscoll McKee  
President

cc: Hon. Catherine M. Hudgins, Hunter Mill District Representative, Fairfax Co. Board of Supervisors  
Reston Master Plan Special Study Task Force  
Reston Association Board of Directors  
Reston Association Environmental Advisory Committee