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May 15, 2007

Mr. Connie Brown
Baltimore City Department of Recreation and Parks
3001 East Drive
Baltimore, MD 21217

Re: Pocket Park at 7 South Durham Street

Dear Mr. Brown:

Enclosed herewith please find a copy of a letter from Mr. Ken Piaskowski, a representative from Homestead Houses. My office has been working with Mr. Piaskowski to form a 501 C3 organization in order for the group take ownership of the pocket park. The park has several years of deferred maintenance, as it has fallen between the jurisdictions of a few city agencies.

Mr. Piaskowski's letter self-explanatory. I would appreciate if you could take the necessary action to resolve any or all of the items on the group's list. Please keep me advised on what action you do take.

If you have any questions with regard hereto, then please contact me. Otherwise, I thank you for your anticipated cooperation and assistance.

Very truly yours,

James B. Kraft

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Cc. Mr. Ken Piaskowski