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Mr. Ken Piaskowski  
Unit South Durham Homestead Homes  
12 South Durham Street  
Baltimore, Maryland 21231

Dear Mr. Piaskowski:

Thank you and your neighbors for your gracious invitation to dedicate your pocket park to me.

I appreciate the honor that you wish to give me, but I must regrettfully decline. The pocket park that you and your fellow neighbors have built together should be a monument to your dedication to the Washington Hill community. Your hard work has brought a remarkable transformation to this formerly vacant lot.

I am so pleased that Mr. Calvin Brooks and Ms. Glendora Finch have remained a part of the community since the first block of South Durham Street was homesteaded.

Thank you for offering me this honor. If I can ever be helpful to you in the future, please feel free to let me know.

Sincerely,



Barbara A. Mikulski  
United States Senator

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