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Via email to: <u>Tiara.McCray@montgomerycountymd.gov</u> Michael L. Paylor, Chief Division of Traffic Engineering & Operations Montgomery County Department of Transportation 101 Monroe Street, 10th Floor Rockville, Maryland 20850

Re: Abandonment Petition AB-784

Dear Mr. Paylor:

Petitioners Emory Grove United Methodist Church and the Housing Opportunity Commission request that you extend the close of the record in case AB-784 for three weeks, from February 9, 2024 to March 1, 2024. We are engaged in detailed research, going back to deeds from as early as 1879, to clarify the questions raised during the January 25 hearing regarding the status of Abandonment Area 2 as public right-of-way and/or county property. Some of the research requires a little more time. We are confident that the results of our research will be helpful to you and to the record.

We would appreciate a prompt ruling on this request, given that the record is scheduled to close in two days.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely yours,

BREGMAN, BERBERT, SCHWARTZ & GILDAY, LLC

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cc: Gordon Woodward, HOC Counsel