I love this idea! Please move forward!

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--Andrea L Burton 434.962.7275

From:	Sarah-Anne Diamond
То:	Dandridge, Alex - PDR
Cc:	Stokes, Kiya A City Council; Lambert, Ann-Frances - City Council
Subject:	Ms Bee"s Parklet
Date:	Friday, March 19, 2021 8:36:44 AM

Good morning,

I am writing to express my support of the proposed parklet put forward by Ms Bee's Juice Bar on Brookland Park Blvd. It is a beautiful and brilliant concept to provide an area for socially distant gathering as well as enhance the aesthetics of the street.

Thank you for your consideration and support.

Sarah-Anne Diamond North Ave resident

From:	Tara FitzPatrick
То:	Dandridge, Alex - PDR
Subject:	Ms. Bee"s Parklet
Date:	Thursday, April 1, 2021 10:02:24 PM

Hi Alex,

I live on the Northside, and am VERY excited about the prospect of having a parklet built on Brookland Parkway for Ms. Bee's Juicebar. Our family misses the walkability that we had at our old house in Jackson Ward. We've come to find our favorite place to walk and bike is Brookland Parkway. Since opening a year ago, Ms. Bee's is a favorite designation on the Boulevard! Since we're not yet comfortable dining inside, and won't be until our entire family is vaccinated, we often have to hop on the e cargo bike and enjoy our treats at home. We'd love to have a space where we could enjoy them, and a parakeet would be perfect for that space.

Best, Tara

Tara FitzPatrick (She/Her) 1500 Brookland Parkway Richmond, VA 23227 (540) 848-1119 tarajfitzpatrick@me.com

From:	Wyatt Gordon
То:	Dandridge, Alex - PDR
Subject:	Give Ms. Bee"s Juice Bar a Parklet
Date:	Thursday, April 1, 2021 6:13:56 PM

Hi Alex,

As a Barton Heights resident, I would like to express my full-throated support for the new parklet coming to Ms. Bee's Juice Bar. I love Brookland Park Boulevard and visit the businesses there almost daily, but my biggest complaint (besides folks speeding dangerously along there) is the lack of public seating. When I get a juice or an ice cream or such, there is nowhere to sit. This cute new parklet would solve that problem. Please allow this cool parklet to pass out of the UDC so that our neighborhood can have one more nice thing.

Thanks!

From:	Sarabeth Kawugule
To:	Dandridge, Alex - PDR
Cc:	Stokes, Kiya A City Council, Lambert, Ann-Frances - City Council
Subject:	Parklet on Brookland Park Blvd
Date:	Friday, March 19, 2021 12:19:57 PM

Good afternoon,

I am in support of the proposed parklet that would be in front of Ms. Bee's Juice Bar on Brookland Park Blvd.

Many thanks,

Sarabeth Kawugule

2707 Hanes Avenue

From:	Brenda Kliesen
То:	Dandridge, Alex - PDR; Stokes, Kiya A City Council; Lambert, Ann-Frances - City Council
Subject:	Ms. Bee"s Juice Bar Parklet.
Date:	Friday, March 19, 2021 12:42:33 PM

Mr. Dandridge,

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I fully support this project.?? I think it would be a great addition to the neighborhood.?? It would provide a bright spot in the neighborhood.?? I live in the area and like to walk down to BPB with my dog on the weekends when it is nice.?? It would be nice to have a place to sit outside and enjoy the sunshine and partake in Ms. Bee???s selections.?? I would like to see more outdoor dining spaces in the area.

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Thank you so much,
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From:	VIcky Lee
То:	Dandridge, Alex - PDR
Cc:	Stokes, Kiya A City Council; Lambert, Ann-Frances - City Council
Subject:	Ms. Bee"s Juice Bar proposal
Date:	Thursday, March 18, 2021 7:37:32 PM

Dear Alex and Whomever It May Concern,

As a resident of Northside I fully support the parklet proposed by Ms. Bee. They have proven themselves to be a responsible and delightful addition to Brookland Park Blvd and the parklet would make the corridor a more neighborly environment for all residents.

I remember visiting 3 years ago on a sweltering day in July and being dismayed at not finding a single place open where we could rest and refresh ourselves. We love what's starting to happen here (big thanks to Brookland Park Market, Smoky Mug, Boho Studios, and more). Let's please keep it going!

Vicky Lee 3127 Griffin Ave Richmond, VA 23222



March 23, 2021

North Barton Heights Civic Association 3120 North Ave Richmond, VA 23222 contact@northbartonheights.org

City of Richmond Urban Design Committee ATTN: Alex Dandridge 900 E. Broad St. Room 510 Richmond, VA 23219 alex.dandridge@richmondgov.com

SUBJ: Letter of Support for Parklet Request at 114 W. Brookland Park Blvd (Ms. Bee's Juice Bar)

Dear Alex and the City of Richmond Urban Design Committee,

The North Barton Heights Civic Association, which begins approximately 1 ½ blocks from the proposed Parklet at 114 W. Brookland Park Blvd, write to offer our full support for the project. We believe the parklet will be a valuable addition to the neighborhood, will assist small businesses on the Brookland Park Blvd, and will attract visitors to Brookland Park Blvd.

As we may not be able to attend the April 8th public session, please allow this letter to serve as a statement of support for the project from our association.

Sincerely,

Len Mel

Lewis Nelson, President North Barton Heights Civic Association

cc: Hon. Ann-Frances Lambert, Kiya Stokes, Karen Link (secretary, NBHCA)

My name is Rebecca Ann Parks And I was made aware there is a petition to create outdoor seating on BPB near or in front of

Ms Bees Juice Bar.

I am a resident of 20 years now and want to say I LOVE this idea!!!! I am all for this. I can be reached at 804-922-7703 if my voice can be heard on this matter in any other way.

We need this and I am so grateful for the new businesses like this one with their commitment and vision to better our neighborhood!!!

Rebecca Parks

From:	ashley seay
То:	<u>Dandridge, Alex - PDR</u>
Cc:	Lambert, Ann-Frances - City Council; Stokes, Kiya A City Council
Subject:	Brookland Park BLVD Parklet - Support
Date:	Thursday, March 18, 2021 6:18:41 PM

Hello!

I saw a post on Nextdoor about the plans for the Parklet on Brookland Park BLVD. I live right behind Ms. Bee's on Hanes Ave and whole heartedly support these plans. It's a low impact, beautiful structure that I believe will really help her as a small business owner. Please vote yes!

Thanks, Ashley Seay

Greetings,

I am writing in support for the proposed parklet by Ms. Bee's Juice Bar. I moved to Brookland Park in 2010 and I have been excited to see local businesses opening on Brookland Park Blvd. in the past several years. The loss of 2 parking spaces will not be detrimental to the neighborhood and instead offers immense gains for thriving local businesses and our neighborhood Thank you for allowing me the opportunity to share my support for this proposal/request.

Jennifer Surratt 3rd district resident

From:	Stephanie Taylor
То:	Dandridge, Alex - PDR
Cc:	Stokes, Kiya A City Council; Lambert, Ann-Frances - City Council
Subject:	Ms. Bees Parklet
Date:	Thursday, March 18, 2021 1:34:18 PM

Dear Alex Dandridge,

My name is Stephanie Taylor and my husband and I live in the North Highland Park neighborhood. I am writing to you to express my support of the continued development on Brookland Park Boulevard, in particular the proposal for a parklet located at 114 West Brookland Park Boulevard.

I do not have any affiliation with the project. I simply am a resident and former small business owner, in full support of helping our local businesses as well as creating more community through beautiful architecture and moments in design.

If there are more ways to show my support, particularly before the April 8th committee meeting, please let me know. I appreciate all that you do!

Sincerely,

Stephanie Taylor (804) 914-1651 hello@stephaniectaylor.com www.stephaniectaylor.com

From:	Bob Ulrich
То:	Dandridge, Alex - PDR; Stokes, Kiya A City Council; Lambert, Ann-Frances - City Council
Subject:	Parklet on BPB (Ms. Bees Parklet)
Date:	Friday, March 19, 2021 12:20:25 PM

Good afternoon.

I am a resident of Ginter Park and look forward to patronizing (again) all of the businesses on BPB when the pandemic subsides.

I fully support the plan for the parklet. I believe it would be a great addition to the corridor.

The loss of two parking spaces is a minor impact compared to the benefits this parklet will bring.

Bob Ulrich 3604 Chamberlayne Ave

From:	jokawood@gmail.com
То:	Dandridge, Alex - PDR; Stokes, Kiya A City Council; Lambert, Ann-Frances - City Council
Subject:	Parklet on BPB, Mrs. Bee"s
Date:	Thursday, March 18, 2021 6:43:11 PM

Thank you all for including the community on this asthetic upgrade. First, I think it is a great idea to add something like this. It will be an eye catcher for sure. Questions I have are; will there be impact protection from vehicles on the road side of the parklet? Will there be any other parklets planned on BPB? Are there any thoughts of having a general parking lot to replace the parking spaces that may be lost in the future?

Thanks again.

McKinley Wood, 4th AVE

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