

301 King Street
Alexandria, VA 22314

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RE: Development Special Use Permit #2014-0035
Transportation Management Plan SUP #2015-0081
699 North Patrick Street - Ramsey Homes

Honorable Mayor Silberberg and Members of the City Council,

We are writing to you in respect to the request for approval of the Development Special Use Permit (DSUP) #2014-0035 and Transportation Management Plan SUP #2015-0081 for Ramsey Homes, a matter to be heard at the upcoming November 12th City Council Public Hearing. We wish to express our wholehearted support for the redevelopment proposal.

We have a profound love for our community, and social and family bonds, some going back several generations. We desire to remain and thrive in, as well contribute to, the City of Alexandria. We are workers, tax-payers, friends, voters and neighbors. We want what every parent and citizen of Alexandria wants: self-sufficiency, respect and opportunities for our children.

The redevelopment of Ramsey Homes will enable us to make important strides towards our objectives and allow us to continue being productive members of the Alexandria community. The current state of Ramsey Homes is an impediment to our advancement and productivity. This is not due to the inability of ARHA to manage and maintain the property but because of a lack of adequate federal, state and local funding for capital improvements as well as operations.

Despite the City's declared goals of preserving and developing affordable housing, in recent years the Braddock East community in which we live has become unaffordable to low- and moderate-income families. Redevelopment of Ramsey Homes will allow us to remain in the community and sustain essential social and family bonds. Furthermore, the creation of a new, healthy, mixed-income community will improve our quality of life, as well as benefit our neighbors and the larger Alexandria community.

For nearly two years, we have met with ARHA on a regular basis regarding this matter and are excited about finally seeing this project come to fruition. It is up to you as City leadership to take this last step and support the redevelopment of the Ramsey Homes on November 12th, 2016.

Thank you for your time and we look forward to hearing your decision.

Sincerely,

Residents of the Ramsey Homes Community

Marion L. Mealing

Alfred Harris

C. Walker

Elise Pullis

Donna Smith

Mary Lewis

Bente Valentin

Gloria Sitton

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- Email: aault@arha.us
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- Request Description: Honorable Mayor Silberberg and Member of City Council,

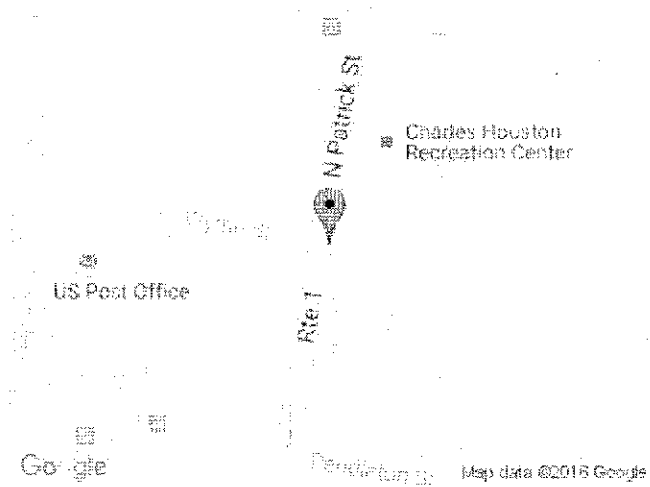
Please find attached a letter signed by current residents of Ramsey Homes in support of DSUP #2014-0035 and Transportation Management Plan SUP #2015-0081 for Ramsey Homes, listed as item 6 on the November 12 City Council Public Hearing Docket.

Thank you for your time and consideration.

Best regards,

Alisha Ault
Communications and Civic Engagement Coordinator
Virginia Housing Development LLC
Alexandria Redevelopment and Housing Authority

- Attachment: [16.11.3 Residents Letter to CC Signed.pdf](#)
- Expected Response Date: Wednesday, November 16



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- Name: Deborah Patterson
- Approximate Address: No Address Specified
- Phone Number: 7036835292
- Email: lafflife101@yahoo.com
- Service Type: Mayor, Vice Mayor, City Council
- Request Description: I want to thank the Mayor and City Council for moving forward in the redevelopment of the Ramsey Homes. The City needs the additional units that are planned. I do hope that the current tenants will be offered the first units in the redeveloped property. They have suffered through so much and deserve to have safe, affordable housing for their families.
- Expected Response Date: Wednesday, November 16

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