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Re: Development Order Amendment

Dear Mr. Craig:

Thank you for your letter sent yesterday. My client has requested that I withdraw the application for the proposed amendment to Development Order 06-340 as it appears that the Planning Board has rejected the proposed funding for playground equipment at Nelson English Park as the condition for release of the obligation to provide a public access to Children's Park at Truman Annex. It is unfortunate that six (6) years and four (4) planning directors later, the City has switched direction on its desire to see the playground relocated to a public park where there is a demonstrated need and desire for playground equipment.

My client will immediately apply for HARC Certificate of Appropriateness and an application for building permits for the installation of playground equipment at the Whitehead Street location. The equipment has been selected and will be purchased and installed following receipt of required approvals. Hardware changes to the park gate have been installed to maintain the entrance gate in a "locked" open position for public access every day.

Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions.

Sincerely,



Adele V. Stones

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