

June 7<sup>th</sup>, 2017

Alcoholic Beverage Regulation Administration (ABRA) 2000 14th Street, N.W.  
Suite South 400  
Washington, D.C. 20009

**Re: Protest against issuance of a class B liquor license at 1701 Corcoran Street NW, D.C.**

To Whom It May Concern:

We, the undersigned parents, guardians, and teachers, of children at Ross Elementary School wish to file a protest against the issuance of a liquor license to Safeway at 1701 Corcoran St. NW, D.C. As a group of 5 or more residents of the area we file this protest under Title 23 section 1602.2 of the Municipal Regulations.

We believe that the issuance of a class B liquor license to Safeway at this address is inappropriate and should be denied because it would be inconsistent with the appropriateness standards of sections 25-313 and 25-314 of subtitle 25 of the D.C Official Code.

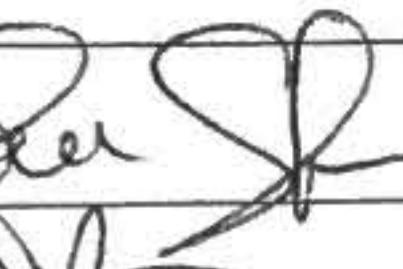
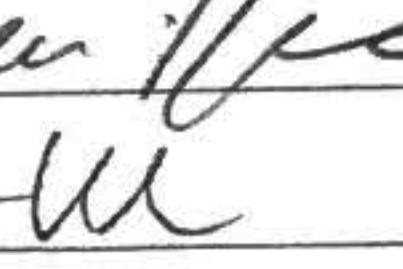
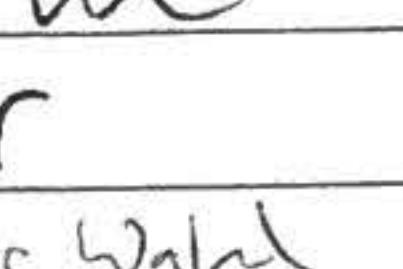
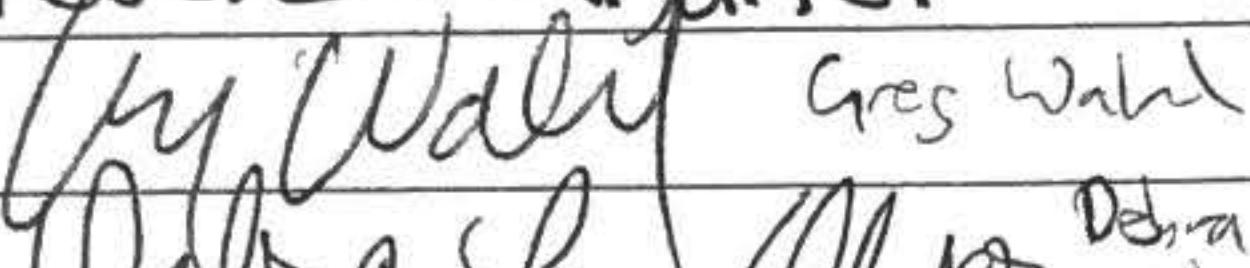
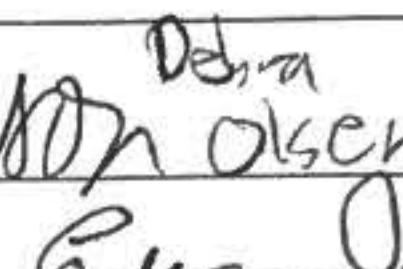
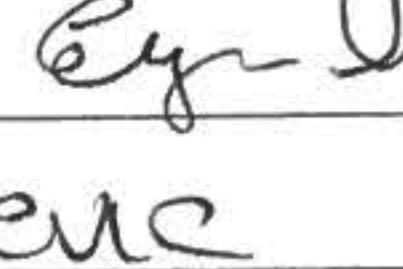
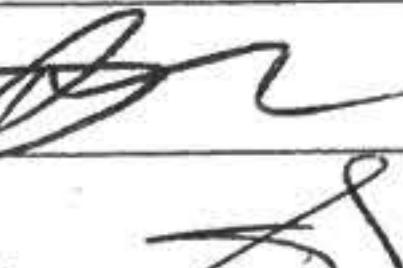
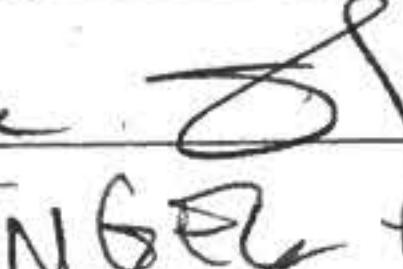
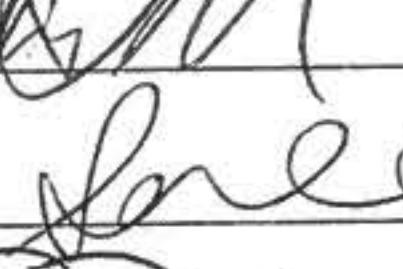
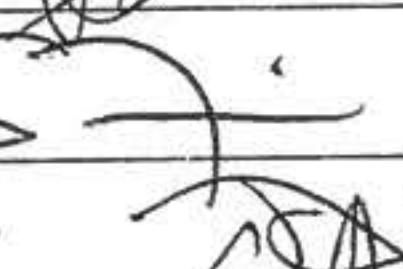
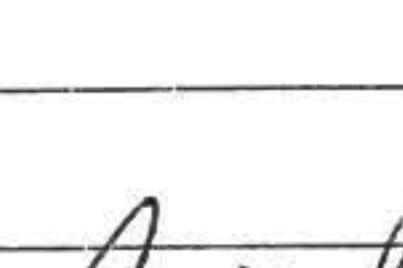
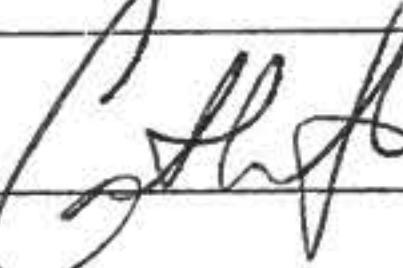
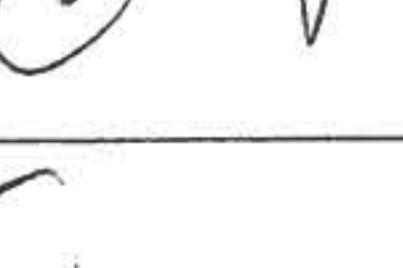
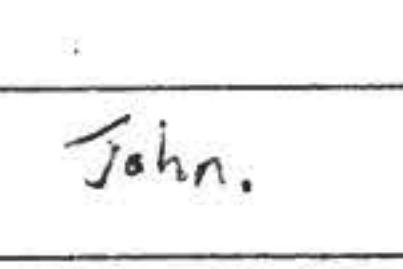
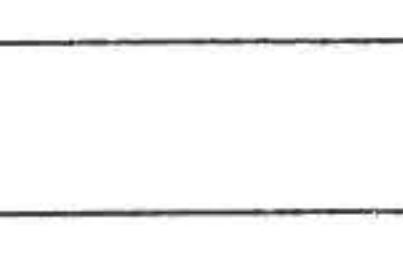
1. Proximity to an elementary school: Ross Elementary School is located very close to the Safeway. The school playground is just 15 feet away from the Safeway across an alley. This alley serves as one of the main entries to the school which children and parents use each day.
2. Effect of the issuance of a license on the school clientele: By changing the nature of the only supermarket in easy walking distance from people's homes to one that sells alcohol, there is a decrease in the proportion of retail space committed to food and fresh goods which serves the needs of a school and a neighborhood with a growing number of children.
3. Overconcentration of licensed establishments in the area: There are three licensed off premises retailers within 400 feet of the Safeway. The 17<sup>th</sup> Street mixed use zone also has dozens of licensed establishments (restaurants, taverns, and clubs), a fact which contributed to the establishment of the Dupont East moratorium. Safeway is the only grocery store in the moratorium area. The planned introduction of beer and wine sales to Safeway reduces the amount of space available for fresh products, groceries, and other basic consumables on the street and, that are available within walking distance of the school in order to offer more of that of which there is already an excess (beer and wine).
4. The applicant should not be granted a license as it does not meet the requirements of 25-314 for an establishment that is within 400 feet of a school,

As such we the undersigned request that the liquor license be denied.

We designate Barbara Donaldson, of [REDACTED] NW, to be our representative on this matter.

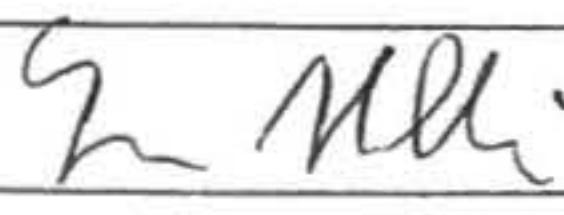
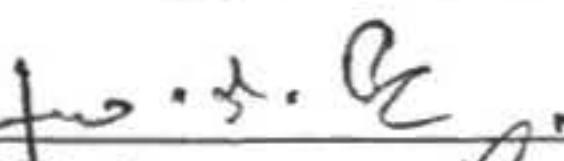
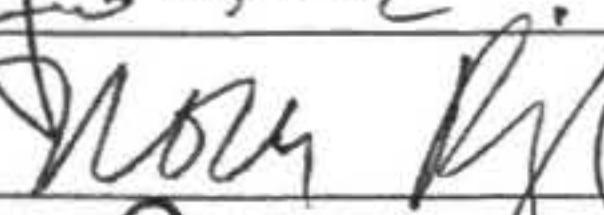
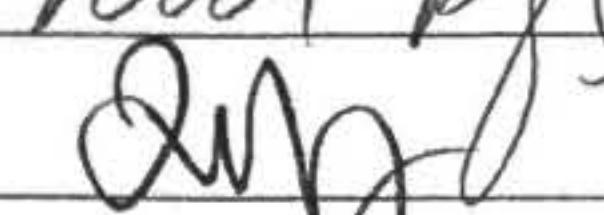
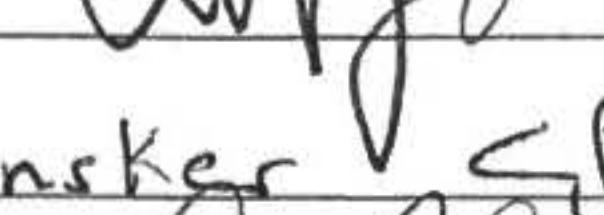
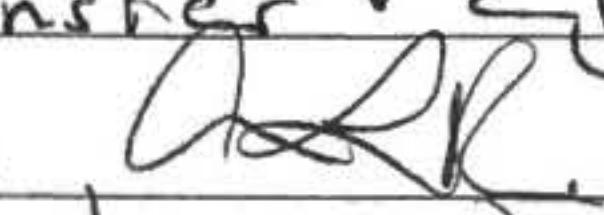
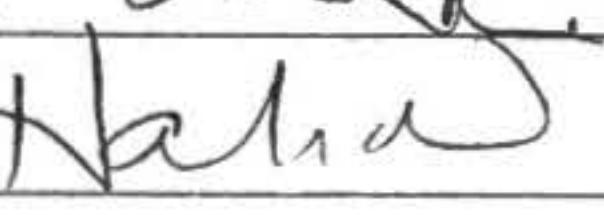
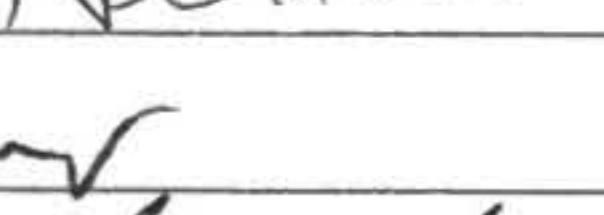
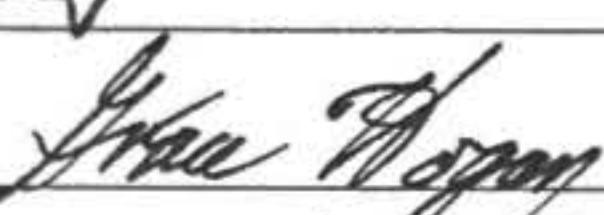
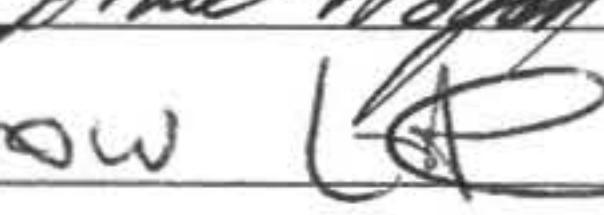
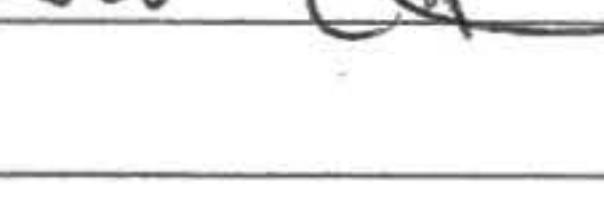
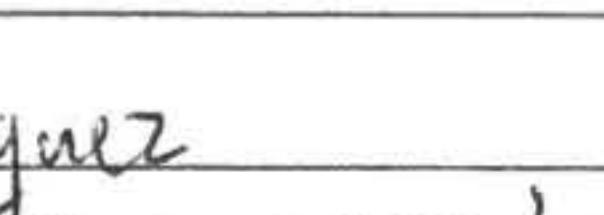
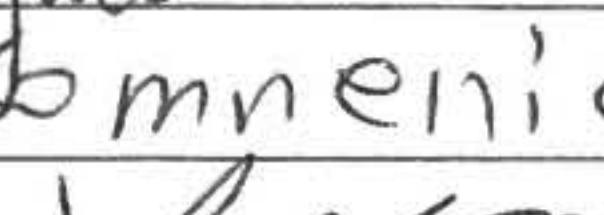
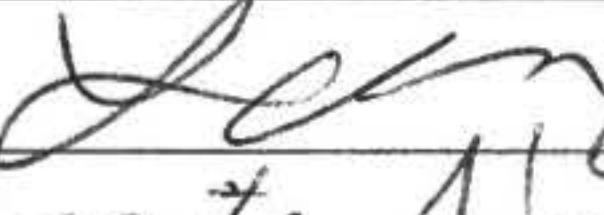
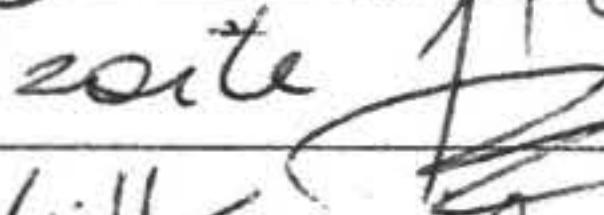
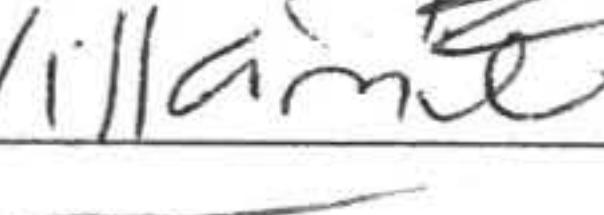
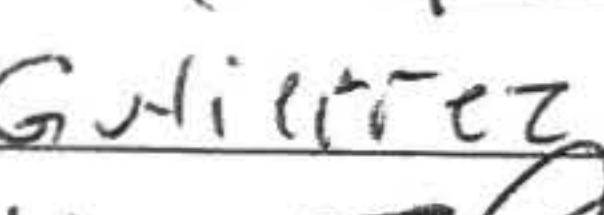
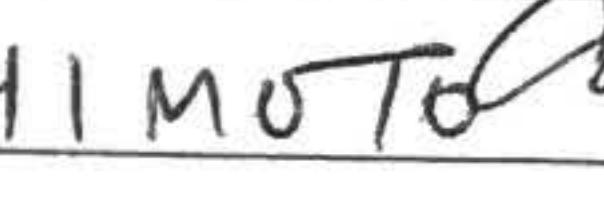
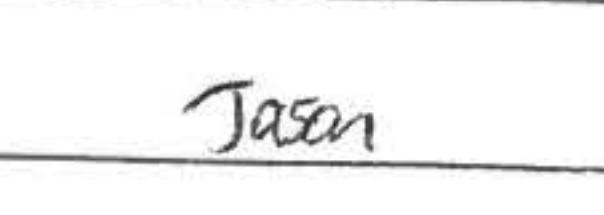
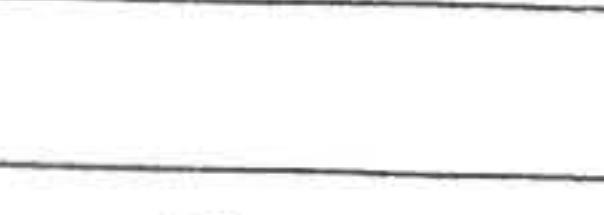
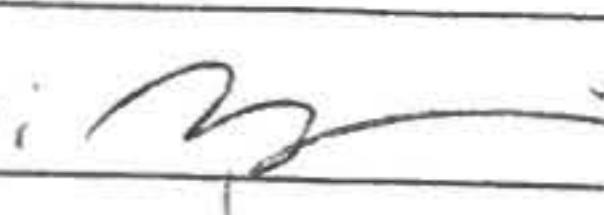
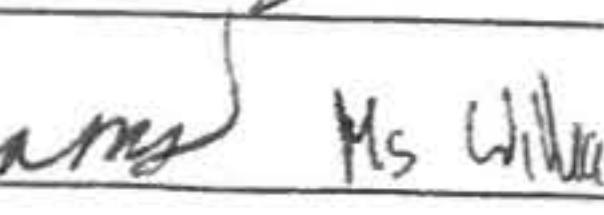
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