

Bluemont Civic Association

Representing Neighborhoods in and around Arlington Traditional School, Lacey Woods Park, Bon Air, Fields Park, Balls Crossing, West Ballston, and all along the former Bluemont Division of the Washington and Old Dominion Railroad

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June 27, 2013

Ms. Avis Black Area Real Estate Manager Eastern Division Safeway Inc. 4551 Forbes Blvd. Lanham, MD 20706 avis.black@safeway.com

Dear Ms. Black:

In a June 6th conversation with BCA Vice President Mark Haynes, Craig Muckle confirmed that Mark Silverwood had decided not to further pursue his bid to redevelop the Safeway site at 5101 Wilson Blvd. in Arlington. During that conversation, Mr. Haynes reconfirmed the BCA's support for Safeway, our support for the redevelopment of the Safeway store at that site and our desire to work closely with Safeway to arrive at a redevelopment plan that works best for all parties.

To that end, we request that you and/or other representatives of Safeway meet with representatives of the BCA to discuss redevelopment plans going forward. We can be very flexible with regard to time and venue. Please feel free to contact me directly or otherwise let me know how you wish to proceed in terms of scheduling a meeting.

Thank you in advance for your consideration of this request and I look forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely,

/s/

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cc: Craig M. Muckle Michelle L. Shelton