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Council File: 11-1705 ; support of City Planning Commission's 10/22/15 actions on the Sign Ordinance

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I support the new Sign Ordinance Version B+ as approved by the City Planning Commission on 10/22/2015 and urge the PLUM committee and City Council to adopt that version of the ordinance that:

a) Disapproves any AMNESTY for existing billboards that lack permits or have been altered in violation of their permits.

b) Disapproves the "grandfathering" of any sign districts that weren't approved or applied for in April, 2009, when the CPC approved the initial version of the new sign ordinance.

c) Restricts any new off-site signs, including digital billboards, to sign districts in 22 areas zoned for highintensity commercial use.

d) Requires existing billboards to be taken down before any new off-site signs can go up in sign districts. The takedown ratio of existing signs to new signs would be 5 to 1 for conventional and 10 to 1 for digital.

e) Sets administrative civil penalties for sign violators that will act as a real deterrent to illegal billboards and other signage.

f) Prohibits off-site signage in city parks and recreation facilities.

Sincerely,

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