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NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL ELECTION CHALLENGE RESOLUTION

May 16, 2014

Dear Ms. Wallace:

On May 13, 2014 you submitted a challenge for the West Adams Neighborhood Council election, addressing concerns regarding Electioneering by Candidates, Eligibility of Voter, and Observer/Media Issues.

After thorough review, it has been determined that your challenge does not qualify as a valid challenge.

Voters in the West Adams Neighborhood Council were required to document their identity, their age, and their qualification to vote.

The circumstances you describe do not qualify as a valid challenge to the election process, voters who did not have their identification or a document to affirm their participation in a community organization were given provisional ballots. Those that left and returned with identification and documentation of their qualification to vote did not need provisional ballots.

Any concerns of electioneering were addressed at the polls by the Poll Manager and do not rise to the level of a valid challenge.

Thank you for your commitment to the integrity of the Neighborhood Council electoral process.

Sincerely,

Neighborhood Council Elections Administration  
Department of Neighborhood Empowerment

Cc: Hector Huerdo, Independent Election Administrator  
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