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Thomas Calls for Comments on Proposed Design of New York Avenue Walmart Project

Washington, DC—Ward 5 Councilmember Harry “Tommy” Thomas, Jr. today requested comments from Ward 5 residents and other interested parties on the proposed design for the Walmart project planned for New York Avenue and Bladensburg Road, NE. The developer of the site, WV NW LLC, a subsidiary of Walker Developments, Inc., submitted its large tract review application to the Office of Planning on February 18, 2011. Large tract reviews are required for commercial or mixed-use development projects of 50,000 square feet or more.

“We must make certain that the design of the Ward 5 Walmart project is world class,” said Thomas. The current site plan is available at

<http://www.harrythomas5.org/sitebuildercontent/sitebuilderfiles/nyavewalmartprojectsiteplan.pdf>.

Design comments can be submitted to Councilmember Thomas by emailing ward5walmartdesign@dccouncil.us.

“The intersection at New York Avenue and Bladensburg Road is a gateway location that deserves a visionary project that will set architectural standards for generations to come,” stated Thomas.

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