

Save the Barn/Build the Home

Whereas the mission statement of the Pimmit Hill Citizens Association (PHCA) declares:

The Association's activities are non-partisan, non-sectarian and non-political. Its purpose is to promote, develop, and improve the general welfare of the Pimmit Hills community. Since its formation, the Association has provided a forum for discussing community needs and problems and a framework for organizing efforts to satisfy or solve them."

Whereas the PHCA has determined through community discussion at its March of 2012 that a home for severely disabled senior adults would be a welcome addition to the social and community fabric of the Pimmit Hills Neighborhood,

Whereas the discussion of the placement of the home was suggested by the county supervisor based on one piece of available land rather than a survey of all possibilities within the confines of Pimmit Hills,

Whereas the suggested placement site is currently the home of a historic dairy barn, the last of its kind inside the beltway,

Whereas a group has been formed by PHCA members committed to exploring possible ways to save the historic structure, renovate it and improve it for the use of PHCA members and the Pimmit Hills Community as well as neighboring groups,

Therefore be it resolved, that the group dedicated to saving the Historic Pimmit Barn become a PHCA Committee to develop and evaluate proposals for use and sources of funding for renovation and future maintenance and,

Be it further resolved, that the placement of the group home be explored by a PHCA Committee formed to that mission so that the appropriateness of alternative sites in Pimmit Hills can be evaluated, and,

Be it finally resolved, that these two committees cooperate with information and support to achieve both goals, which benefit the members of PHCA and the surrounding communities.