COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W. Washington D.C. 20004

Memorandum

To: Members of the Council

From: Nyasha Smith, Secretary to the Council

Date: March 19, 2018

Subject: Referral of Proposed Legislation

Notice is given that the attached proposed legislation was introduced in the Office of the Secretary on Thursday, March 15, 2018. Copies are available in Room 10, the Legislative Services Division.

TITLE: "Bruce Robey Way Designation Act of 2018", B22-0747

INTRODUCED BY: Chairman Mendelson at the request of the Mayor

The Chairman is referring this legislation to the Committee of the Whole.

Attachment

cc: General Counsel Budget Director Legislative Services

Councilmember Charles Allen

A BILL

IN THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

To officially designate the 30 foot alley in Square 983 that runs east and west between the 600

blocks of 11th and 12th Streets, N.E., and the 1100 blocks of G and F Streets, N.E., in

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Sec. 4. Fiscal impact statement.

Ward 6, as Bruce Robey Way. BE IT ENACTED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, That this act may be cited as the "Bruce Robey Way Designation Act of 2018". Sec. 2. Pursuant to the Street and Alley Closing and Acquisition Procedures Act of 1982, effective March 10, 1983 (D.C. Law 4-201; D.C. Official Code § 9-204.01 et seq.), the Council officially designates the alley in Square 983 that runs east and west between the 600 blocks of 11th and 12th Streets, N.E., and the 1100 blocks of G and F Streets, N.E., in Ward 6, as "Bruce Robey Way" in recognition of Bruce Robey, the founder of the District's "Voice of the Hill" newspaper, and together with his wife, Adele, opened the H Street Playhouse, which was instrumental to the revival of the H Street NE corridor. Mr. Robey was a talented musician, who shared his love of music and the arts with everyone he met. He was generous with his time, his resources, and his friendship. Sec. 3. Transmittal. The Council shall transmit a copy of this act, upon its effective date, to the Mayor, the District Department of Transportation, and the Office of the Surveyor.

32	The Council adopts the fiscal impact statement in the committee report as the fiscal
33	impact statement required by section 4a of the General Legislative Procedures Act of 1975,
34	approved October 16, 2006 (120 Stat. 2038; D.C. Official Code § 1-301.47a).
35	Sec. 5. Effective date.
36	This act shall take effect following approval by the Mayor (or in the event of veto by the
37	Mayor, action by the Council to override the veto), a 30-day period of congressional review as
38,	provided in section 602(c)(1) of the District of Columbia Home Rule Act, approved December
39	24, 1973 (87 Stat. 813; D.C. Official Code § 1-206.02(c)(1)), and publication in the District of
40	Columbia Register.