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Councilmember Charles Allen Chairman Phil Mendelson

A PROPOSED RESOLUTION

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IN THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

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To declare the existence of an emergency with respect to officially designating the park in Lots 800 and 807 in Square 748, bounded by L Street, N.E., 2nd Street, N.E., M Street, N.E., and 3rd Street, N.E. as Swampoodle Terrace.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, That this act may be cited as the “Swampoodle Terrace Designation Emergency Declaration Resolution of 2022”.

Sec. 2. (a) There exists an immediate need to officially designate the park in Lots 800 and 807 in Square 748, bounded by L Street, N.E., 2nd Street, N.E., M Street, N.E., and 3rd Street, N.E. as Swampoodle Terrace.

 (b) Bill 22-722, the “Swampoodle Terrace Designation Act of 2022” is currently under review by the Council. The measure was marked up by the Committee of the Whole on September 20, 2022 and is scheduled for final reading on October 4, 2022.

(c) The underlying legislation provides an official name for the new Swampoodle Terrace which is scheduled to open in October 2022.

(d) To ensure that signage will be installed before the opening, it is necessary to enact the designation sooner than the permanent measure will become effective.

Sec. 3. The Council of the District of Columbia finds that the circumstances enumerated in section 2 constitute emergency circumstances making it necessary that the “Swampoodle Terrace Designation Emergency Act of 2022” be adopted after a single reading.

Sec. 4. This resolution shall take effect immediately.