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Borough Commissioner Margaret Forgione
Department of Transportation
59 Maiden Lane, 35th Floor
New York, NY 10038

Re: Parking Regulations, West 17th Street, Ninth Avenue to Tenth Avenue

Dear Commissioner Forgione:

In conjunction with the Fulton Houses Tenant Association, Manhattan Community Board No. 4 requests changes to the parking regulations and street signs on West 17th Street between Ninth and Tenth Avenues. The current regulations on the west end of the block are "No Parking, 8am to 6pm, Monday to Friday."

The Fulton Houses are currently scheduled to lose 90 to 100 parking spaces due to construction. Parking is a serious concern for many residents of this community. Therefore, the Tenant Association proposes that the Department of Transportation replace the current regulations with alternate side parking, based on the street cleaning schedule determined by the Department of Sanitation. They believe this will help to alleviate the severe strain on residential parking resources in this area and better reflect the residential character of the block. Furthermore, such a change would make the western end of the block consistent with the eastern end.

We thank the Department of Transportation for considering this proposal. We expect these changes will enhance the quality of life for those who live and work on these blocks.

Sincerely,

J. Lee Compton
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Manhattan Community Board No. 4

Jay Marcus
Chair
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cc: NYPD 10th Precinct