

To: Town of Vienna Staff

From: NFD Marco Polo, LLC 4315 50th Street NW Suite 212 Washington DC 20016

Re: Vienna Market Project File No. PF -21-19 BAR

Date: October 31st 2024

Dear Town Staff and Board of Architectural Review,

This letter is to serve as a narrative to the changes being proposed from the approved Landscape Plans to the as built structures at the Vienna Market Project – specifically the corner park. The reason for the requested changes is that our landscape plans had differences because of the location of the Transformer.

Sheet L6.01 Corner Park Landscape Plan

- 1. Changed location and size of transformer at the request of Dominion Power. Without the vault that had previously serviced the site, a second transformer was required as well as additional primary lines. To run adequate power to the site, and maintain a safe distance from the townhome units, this design and location was required.
- 2. Due to the change in transformer size and location, the sidewalks had to be adjusted, as well as the planting locations.
- 3. Eliminated the planter boxes at end of each sidewalk leg. When installing the landscaping, this became an issue because of underground utilities and size. It also promotes a more open look. The only planter boxes that would work in this area would be precast boxes that could be moved as necessary.