BOSTON CIVIC DESIGN COMMISSION

Date: MAY 3, 2016

Commission Recommendation

Project: NORTHEASTERN UNIVERSITY IMP CHANGE AND

COLUMBUS AVENUE STUDENT HOUSING PROJECT

Description: STUDENT RESIDENTIAL (~800 BEDS) ~310,000 SF

RETAIL ~ 3,000 SF

ELIMINATES ~58 SURFACE PARKING SPACES (PARKING IN

NEARBY GARAGE FACILITIES)

Address: 10 BURKE STREET AT THE CORNER OF COLUMBUS AVENUE (SITE

ALSO BOUNDED BY COVENTRY STREET, AND ADJACENT BUILDINGS FRONTING ON TREMONT), WITHIN THE NORTHEASTERN IMP AREA IN THE LOWER ROXBURY

NEIGHBORHOOD

Proponent: NORTHEASTERN UNIVERSITY

AMERICAN CAMPUS COMMUNITIES, INC.

Commission Public Hearing Dates: MARCH 1 AND MAY 3, 2016

Notice of Public Meeting: APRIL 17, 2016

Subcommittee Meetings: MARCH 15 AND APRIL 12, 2016

After hearing all the facts and evidence presented at the public meeting at which time all parties wishing to state their opinions did speak, the Commission finds the following:

Commission Decision X Recommend Approval (as noted)

Recommend Disapproval (Requires 2/3 vote of

Commission)

____ Recommends Need for Modification

____ Recommends to Table for Further Review by

Subcommittee

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Commission Motion:

VOTED:

That the Commission recommends approval of the schematic design for the proposed Columbus Avenue Student Housing Project (and associated changes to the IMP) on the Northeastern campus at 10 Burke Street (corner of Columbus and Burke) in the Lower Roxbury neighborhood.

Commission Members Present and Voting: # 6 (quorum 5)

Vote Taken: For 6 AGAINST 0

Co-Vice-Chair

Paul McDohough

Deneen Crosby

Linda Eastley

David Magin

Andrea Leers

Kirk Sykes

BCDC Director

David A. Carlson

The foregoing Recommendation was signed by the BCDC on <u>June 7, 2016</u> in accordance with Article 28 of the Boston Zoning Code.