

## Appendix I-2: Van Hollen Letter to NNMC 6/11/10

On June 11, 2010, Congressman Van Hollen sent a letter to Rear Admiral Matthew Nathan at the National Naval Medical Center (NNMC) requesting that NNMC “fully participate in the efforts of SHA and MCDOT as they work to reduce traffic congestion and improve connectivity for residents, employees, and visitors” by dedicating land to implement BRAC projects. The letter expresses dismay at NNMC’s reluctance to support alternatives that use their land, even though the Navy’s Final Environmental Impact Statement and Record of Decision for the relocation indicates that they will provide land for transportation facilities. The letter also urges NNMC to make greater use of gates on Jones Bridge Road to disperse traffic and reduce delays, and expresses concern that the Navy’s plans for security check points will cause entering traffic to backup onto Rockville Pike.

This letter is located at:

<http://www.montgomeryplanning.org/transportation/brac/documents/van-hollen-letter-nnmc-06112010.pdf>