


Councilmember Charles Allen

A BILL

IN THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

To officially designate the 30 foot alley in Square 983 that runs east and west between the 600 blocks of 11th and 12th Streets, N.E., and the 1100 blocks of G and F Streets, N.E., in Ward 6, as Bruce Robey Way.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, That this act may be cited as the “Bruce Robey Way Designation Act of 2018”.

Sec. 2. Pursuant to the Street and Alley Closing and Acquisition Procedures Act of 1982, effective March 10, 1983 (D.C. Law 4-201; D.C. Official Code § 9-204.01 *et seq.*), the Council officially designates the alley in Square 983 that runs east and west between the 600 blocks of 11th and 12th Streets, N.E., and the 1100 blocks of G and F Streets, N.E., in Ward 6, as “Bruce Robey Way” in recognition of Bruce Robey, the founder of the District’s “Voice of the Hill” newspaper, and together with his wife, Adele, opened the H Street Playhouse, which was instrumental to the revival of the H Street NE corridor. Mr. Robey was a talented musician, who shared his love of music and the arts with everyone he met. He was generous with his time, his resources, and his friendship.

Sec. 3. Transmittal.

The Council shall transmit a copy of this act, upon its effective date, to the Mayor, the District Department of Transportation, and the Office of the Surveyor.

Sec. 4. Fiscal impact statement.

32 The Council adopts the fiscal impact statement in the committee report as the fiscal
33 impact statement required by section 4a of the General Legislative Procedures Act of 1975,
34 approved October 16, 2006 (120 Stat. 2038; D.C. Official Code § 1-301.47a).

35 Sec. 5. Effective date.

36 This act shall take effect following approval by the Mayor (or in the event of veto by the
37 Mayor, action by the Council to override the veto), a 30-day period of congressional review as
38 provided in section 602(c)(1) of the District of Columbia Home Rule Act, approved December
39 24, 1973 (87 Stat. 813; D.C. Official Code § 1-206.02(c)(1)), and publication in the District of
40 Columbia Register.