# Government of the District of Columbia Office of the Chief Financial Officer



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Chief Financial Officer

### **MEMORANDUM**

TO: The Honorable Phil Mendelson

Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia

FROM: Glen Lee

Chief Financial Officer

DATE: May 13, 2025

SUBJECT: Fiscal Impact Statement - Rev. A. Knighton Stanley Way Designation

Act of 2025

REFERENCE: Bill 26-180, Draft Committee Print as provided to the Office of Revenue

Analysis on April 28, 2025

#### Conclusion

Funds are sufficient in the fiscal year 2025 through fiscal year 2028 budget and financial plan to implement the bill.

#### **Background**

Rev. A. Knighton Stanley was a civil rights leader<sup>1</sup> who served as the senior minister at Peoples Congregational United Church of Christ for nearly forty years, beginning in 1968. Stanley served as a special assistant to Mayor Walter E. Washington, was a trustee of the University of the District of Columbia, served on the nominating committee for District judges, and led the District's 1975 bicentennial efforts. Stanley died on September 21, 2013.

The bill symbolically designates Iowa Avenue, N.W. between 13th Street, N.W. and Arkansas Avenue, N.W. as Rev. A. Knighton Stanley Way. The Peoples Congregational United Church of Christ is located along this block.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Stanley played a significant role in bringing to prominence the future civil rights activist, Reverend Jesse Jackson.

The Honorable Phil Mendelson FIS: Bill 26-180, "Rev. A. Knighton Stanley Way Designation Act of 2025," Draft Committee Print as provided to the Office of Revenue Analysis on April 28, 2025

## **Financial Plan Impact**

Funds are sufficient in the fiscal year 2025 through fiscal year 2028 budget and financial plan to implement the bill. The District Department of Transportation (DDOT) will fabricate and install two signs to symbolically designate the roadway as Rev. A. Knighton Stanley Way. The signs will cost \$380 and DDOT can absorb the cost within its existing budgeted resources.