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STATEMENT FOR AUGUST 20, 2012

WASHINGTON, DC—The Board of Trustees and staff of the Corcoran Gallery of Art and College of Art + Design are grateful for the expressions of concern and support that continue to come from many individuals throughout the community, articulating a variety of views on how to realize a strong and stable future for the institution. We want to reaffirm what we have already stated: that the Trustees are actively exploring every feasible option for the Corcoran.

As part of this process, the Corcoran will host its next community meeting on August 23, giving all responsible parties the opportunity to voice their opinions during our current information-gathering period. The Trustees are fully advised of all the ideas that emerge during the community meetings and that are suggested at other times by individuals seeking to assist the Corcoran. At the appropriate time, the Trustees will perform their duty as the fiduciaries of the institution and make a decision on how to move the Corcoran forward.

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