RESOLUTION NO. 2010-70

RESOLUTION PROPOSING THE ANNEXATION OF FLOWER AVENUE RIGHT-OF-WAY BETWEEN THE SOUTHERN RIGHT-OF-WAY BOUNDARY OF PINEY BRANCH ROAD AND THE LOCATION AT WHICH THE TAKOMA PARK BOUNDARY LINE PROCEEDS EAST AT A LINE SOUTH OF DIVISION STREET

WHEREAS, the Council has introduced a proposal to annex the right-of-way of Flower Avenue, adjacent to the City of Takoma Park, between the southern right-of-way boundary of Piney Branch Road and the location at which the Takoma Park boundary line proceeds east at a line south of Division Street; AND

WHEREAS, the Council will consider the annexation plan, hear public testimony and evaluate pertinent information regarding the proposal to annex the Flower Avenue right-of-way before acting on this resolution at second reading; AND

WHEREAS, pursuant to the provisions of Section 19 of Article 23A of the Annotated Code of Maryland, this resolution proposing a boundary change, if enacted, would add the eastern portion of the Flower Avenue right-of-way between Piney Branch Road and the location at which the Takoma Park boundary line proceeds east at a line south of Division Street into the City of Takoma Park.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TAKOMA PARK, MARYLAND:

Section 1. The corporate boundaries of the City of Takoma Park shall be enlarged to include the right-of-way of Flower Avenue between the southern right-of-way boundary of Piney Branch Road and the location at which the Takoma Park boundary line proceeds east at a line south of Division Street, an area which is contiguous and adjoining to the existing corporate area of the City of Takoma Park.

Section 2. This annexation resolution shall become effective forty-five (45) days after its final enactment (i.e. second reading of this resolution).

Section 3. All of the area annexed to the City of Takoma Park and the persons residing thereon shall, after the effective date of the annexation provided by this resolution, be subject to the Charter, laws, ordinances, and regulations of the City of Takoma Park.
Section 4. As soon as the annexation provided by this resolution shall become effective, the Mayor shall promptly register both the original boundaries and the new boundaries of the City with the City Clerk of Takoma Park, with the Clerk of the Circuit Court for Montgomery County, with the Maryland-National Capital Park and Planning Commission, and with the Department of Legislative Reference.

THIS ANNEXATION RESOLUTION IS ADOPTED THIS ___ DAY OF __________, ____, BY ROLL-CALL VOTE AS FOLLOWS:

Aye:

Nay:

Abstained:

Absent: