

ATTACHMENT # 1

RESULTS OF THE ELECTION OF PARISH COUNCIL, AUDITING COMMITTEE AND NOMINATING COMMITTEE MEMBERS

		<u>CODES: +</u>	<u>Elected</u>
		*	<u>Nominated from the Floor</u>
<u>Official Ballot</u>			
<u>Parish Council</u>	<u>(Vote for 5)</u>	<u>No. of</u>	
		<u>Votes</u>	
Rosemary Arkoian		43	+
Jack Dilanian		33	+
Stephen Mermer		12	
Vartkes Keshishian		22	
Raffi Sahakian		15	
Edward Onanian		44	+
Zareh Tahmazian		23	
* Carl Bazarian		28	+
* Lucy Murad		<u>29</u>	+
<u>Nominating Committee</u> (Vote for 3)			
Sahag Dedeyan		26	+
George Derderian		37	+
Valentine Stahl		9	
Abraham Bodurian		25	
Nishan Dulgerian		34	+
* Jack Dilanian		<u>18</u>	
<u>Auditing Committee</u> (Vote for 3)			
Raymond Babigan		24	
Jerry Hekimian		31	+
Souny Kodjanian		20	
Albert Manian		28	+
Blanche Manian		22	
Sirarpi Ohannessian		<u>25</u>	+

January 19, 1986

The Parish Council  
St. Mary's Armenian Apostolic Church  
4125 Fessenden Street, N. W.  
Washington, D. C. 20016

Dear Parish Council Members:

We are writing to ask that the matter of the installment of an elevator to the Sanctuary of St. Mary's be placed on the agenda of the Parish Assembly this year.

It is clearly apparent that more and more of our elderly parishioners are finding it difficult to attend Church services because of the need to climb stairs. Cases in point are Mrs. Esther Kavookian (several people were required to carry her upstairs only last month), Mr. Nishan Hintlian (before he left the city), Mrs. Knar Janigian and others we are unaware of. It is virtually certain that yet others will experience the same hardship in the future.

We feel that the inability of senior members of our Parish to share in the consolation of the Holy Badarak and Communion is a very serious matter. Nobody should be denied the spiritual comfort so vital to them at this very special time in their lives. Consequently, we beg that the Parish Assembly approve the installation of such an elevator and assign priority consideration to its implementation.

Sincerely yours,

Sirayi Ohannessian  
Raymond Balogian  
Robert Cepuran  
Edo Boudarian  
Makrouhi Garabedian

Levon D. Gorgorian  
Knar Janigian  
Flavie Badalian  
Jan Karosky  
Vaughn Sajian