



District of Columbia Government
Advisory Neighborhood Commission 6A
Agenda for July 9, 2009



- 7:00 pm **Call to order, Adopt Agenda and Approve previous meeting's minutes.**
- 7:05 **Community Comments** (2 minutes each)
- 7:05 **Community Presentation** - Update on the status of the DCHA-owned properties, DCHA representative (5 minutes)
- 7:10 **Community Presentation** - Update on Police Station and Firehouse - Gilberto Cardenas, Argos Group (5 minutes)
- 7:15 **Officer Reports:**
Chair (2 minutes)
Vice-Chair (2 minutes)
Secretary (2 minutes)
Treasurer (2 minutes)
1. Approve treasurer's report and previous month's disbursements.
 2. Report for the 3rd Quarter of FY09.
 3. Approve monthly photocopying expenses.
- 7:20 **Single Member District reports** (2 minutes each)
Standing Committee Reports:
- 7:40 **Alcohol Beverage Licensing**
1. **Recommendation:** ANC 6A not approve a Stipulated License Request, Buka Restaurant (1413 H Street NE).
 2. **Recommendation:** ANC 6A not protest the CR license of Buka providing they sign a VA before July 2.
 3. Approve committee report.
 4. Next meeting - 7:00 p.m., July 21, 2009 (3rd Tuesday)
- 7:45 **Economic Development and Zoning**
1. Approve committee report.
 2. Next meeting - 7:00 p.m., July 15, 2009 (3rd Wednesday)
- 7:50 **Community Outreach**
1. **Recommendation:** ANC 6A approve a grant to the Kingsman Basketball League in the amount of \$200 to purchase mesh vests and balls.
 2. **Recommendation:** ANC 6A approve funding in the amount of \$900 (not to exceed) to pay for photocopying ANC 6A fliers.



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3. **Recommendation:** ANC 6A again send letters expressing the Commission's gratitude for their support to Sherwood Recreation Center, Miner ES, Church of the Lord Jesus Christ of the Apostolic Faith, Capitol Hill Towers, Gallaudet University and Kirkpatrick Stockton.
4. **Membership:** Confirm Necothia Bowens as a member of the Community Outreach Committee.
5. Approve committee report.
6. Next meeting - 7:30 p.m., Aug. 3rd, 2009

7:55 **Transportation and Public Space Committee**

1. Approve committee report.
2. Next meeting - 7:00 p.m., July 20, 2009 (3rd Monday)

8:00 **Public Safety Committee**

1. **Recommendation:** ANC 6A send a letter to the Metropolitan Police Department in support of a permanent speed camera C Street NE.
2. **Recommendation:** ANC 6A authorize the Public Safety Committee to work with the TPS committee on any final recommendations to the ANC to ensure traffic and pedestrian safety issues are addressed.
3. **Recommendation:** ANC 6A work with the DC Department of Homeland Security and others to plan, organize and co-host an ANC-specific Homeland Security training session, and that invitations be extended to all ANCs within Ward 6.
4. Approve committee report.
5. Next meeting - 7:00 p.m., July 16, 2009 (3rd Thursday)

8:05 **Unfinished Business**

8:10 **New Business**

1. H Street NE Environmental Art Installation Project
2. Mamie Johnson and Rosedale Recreation Center

8:15 **Community Comments Round II, time permitting** (2 minutes each)



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Advisory Neighborhood Commission 6A Miner Elementary School

Minutes
June 11, 2009

The meeting was called to order at 7:00 p.m.

Present: Commissioners Alberti, Beatty, Fengler, Holmes, Marshall, Robinson and Schultheiss
Absent: Commissioner Mack

1. Approval of agenda

The agenda, as amended, was approved without objection.

2. Minutes

The minutes for the March meeting were approved without objection.

3. Community Comments

Margaret Holwill spoke about plans she is working on for a Community Outdoor Market in a vacant space at 1356 H Street as a project to promote H Street businesses because of the challenges with the construction. Different events would be planned with the idea of making it a Town Square with a Farmers Market. Eventually they would like to form a non-profit. She can be reached at 543-1995.

Lance Brown reported on new traffic calming measures that are in the works. He said he had spoken with Derek Hardy at DDOT and more speed bumps are coming. He also reported that there was a rumor that there are 6A constituents who are being harmed by the conversion of 17th Street NE to a two-way street. Those rumors are not coming from the ANC, which is in support of the Capitol Hill Traffic Study's recommendation for a two-way street.

4. Community Presentation - Urban Forestry Administration

Simoun Banua, lead arborist of the Urban Forestry Administration (UFA) gave a presentation on the mission and operations of the Urban Forestry Administration. He stated that the mission of the agency is to plant 4000 trees a year between the street and the sidewalk to promote water retention and air quality. He said that June 15th is the last day this year that trees can be requested.

Ms. Beatty inquired about the long wait for the removal of dead trees. Mr. Banua responded that there are about a thousand trees scheduled for removal. The removal, he said, is outsourced and weather and technological issues play a role, as well as there are finite amounts that can be spent. Removals are scheduled using a software program called Hansen, which provides a tracking number. However, when you check the number, there will be nothing posted until the job is completed. Ms. Beatty said she had called three times and received three different tracking numbers, and the process starts over. Mr. Banua said it takes 40 days to inspect the tree and eight to nine months to get it removed. Lance Brown reported that he too had made two or three requests, that the item had been closed out by the UFA but the stumps were not removed. Mr. Banua responded that there are 2500 stumps, and they are trying to get them out in order to plant new trees. In response to a question from Mr. Marshall, Mr. Banua said that summer youth employees were being used for tree work.

Elizabeth Nelson said that Mr. Banua had been extremely helpful in working with Trees for Capitol Hill in replacing a tree. Lance Brown reported that someone on Gale Street NE was not happy with having male and female ginkgo trees and cut them down without notice. Mr. Banua said that



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gingkoes are too much of a nuisance for the city—last year every female tree bore fruit, and there were multiple residents complaining.

Mr. Schultheiss asked what kind of trees were being planted. Mr. Banua said that the Arborist has the final judgment on what trees are planted, and it depends on the size of the tree boxes, and the neighborhood. There are 80 different species that are used, and there is a list of species on the agency's web site. He said he can be reached at simoun.banua@dc.gov, 671-5133.

5. Officer Reports

Chair

Mr. Fengler presented a letter he had just received from the Public Charter School Board, short of the 30 days required notice, for a meeting to discuss charter school enrollment ceilings. There are ten schools on the list, with no addresses. He asked the ANC for suggestions on how to deal with it. The goal is to weigh in on behalf of the community. Mr. Robinson said that the problems include assessing capacity issues at each location because of the increase in the number of people, and a variety of zoning issues. Ms. Nelson mentioned that, for example, a lot of the problems with AppleTree had to do with zoning.

Ms. Beatty suggested that a four-member ANC task force be formed to meet only when an issue like this comes up. Mr. Fengler said he would give this to Ms. Nelson because the Community Outreach Committee deals with PTAs, in case there are schools in the ANC's area.

Vice Chair

Mr. Holmes reported that the HPRB voted against designating the Mead's Row buildings on H Street as historic. Evidently, he said, buildings are judged on a city-wide scale rather than based on their importance to the development of a commercial district or neighborhood. While very important in the growth of H Street, they don't stand out when judged by a city-wide standard. The owners, he said, wish to replace the buildings with a parking lot. This requires a special exception, since it is specifically banned under the H Street overlay. It will also require a curb cut.

He also reported that he and Mr. Fengler have been trying for months to meet with Councilmember Alexander to promote the ANC enhancement package adopted by the ANC. While four of the provisions were adopted in the last Council session, there are still many that would be of assistance in helping constituents. He said they will have to wait until she shows some interest in the topic. After she was appointed committee chair, Council Chairman Gray suggested she should be approached, but connections have never been made. At this point, he said, they will just have to wait until she's ready to focus on the ANCs.

Secretary

The Secretary had no report.

Treasurer

Commissioner Alberti presented the Treasurer's Report. The report shows that the opening checking account balance was \$22,525.85 and that the savings account balance was \$4,193.46. There was an allotment of funds from the District of \$6,0189.50, and interest payment to the savings account of \$1.03, leaving an opening balance of \$28,545.35 in the checking account and \$4,193.46 in the savings account. There were disbursements of \$550 to the Maury Elementary School PTA for a grant (Check #1414); \$224 to Roberta Weiner for taking and transcribing minutes (Check #1415); \$1500 to SABRA, WANG & Associates for a traffic study (Check #1416); \$400 to Heather Schoell for agenda assembly (Check #1417); and



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\$157.15 to FedEx Office for copying (Check #1418), leaving a balance of \$25,714.20 in the checking account, and \$4,194.49 in the savings account. **Motion:** Mr. Alberti moved/Ms. Beatty seconded a motion to approve the expenditures. The motion passed without objection. **Motion:** Mr. Alberti moved /Ms. Beatty seconded a motion to approve the Treasurer's Report. It was approved without objection.

Motion: Mr. Alberti moved/Ms. Beatty seconded a motion to approve the allocation of \$12 for reimbursement for parking for Mr. Holmes. The motion passed without objection.

Motion: Mr. Alberti moved/Mr. Robinson seconded a motion that \$600 be approved for copying for ANC materials, and that up to \$60 be approved for copying for each Committee's materials and each SMD's materials for the next month. The motion was accepted without objection.

6. SMD Reports

Mr. Marshall reported that a group of people on Wylie Street NE are planning a mini community garden with nine planters and nine plots. There is a brick wall, owned by Mr. Cunningham, on which a mural will be placed. **Motion:** Mr. Marshall moved/Mr. Robinson seconded a motion that the ANC support the project. The motion passed without objection.

Mr. Robinson reported that there was a walking tour of Rosedale on May 30th that was just wonderful. The people doing the tour did a great job of researching the history of the neighborhood, and it was a very multi-cultural event.

Mr. Holmes reported that the DC Federal Teachers Credit Union issue had been resolved, and the Credit Union will be replacing its HVAC equipment and redoing its grounds.

Mr. Schultheiss reported that Maria Longhi has been badgering the DCHA to fix up its vacant properties, and the process has been started to get someone to look at the places and do something about them.

Mr. Fengler reported that he is still working to get permit parking for the west side of 10th Street NE. He also reported that he has had several complaints about valet parked cars taking up residential spaces. He has also learned that demolition for the fire house and police station will begin in the first quarter of 2010.

Mr. Alberti reported that the Maury Elementary School fundraiser was a huge success, and that the school is hiring a new principal.

Ms. Beatty reported that she is working with Viggys to get them adhere to terms of their VA.

7. Committee Reports

ABL

The Star and the Shamrock

The Committee recommended that the ANC not protest the license for the Star and the Shamrock, 1341 H Street, NE if a voluntary agreement was signed prior to the petition date. The VA was signed. **Motion:** Ms. Beatty moved/Mr. Robinson seconded a motion to accept the Committee's recommendation to not protest the license for the Star and the Shamrock. The motion was accepted 7-0-1, with Commissioner Alberti not voting.



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Motion: Ms. Beatty moved/Mr. Robinson seconded a motion to accept the Committee's recommendation to not protest the licenses of Family Liquors, 710 H Street NE; Jumbo Liquors, 1122 H Street NE; Master Liquors, 1806 D Street NE. The motion passed 7-0-1, with Mr. Alberti not voting.

The Committee's report was accepted without objection.

Economic Development and Zoning

217 10th Street NE

This is a request by Michael and Jennifer Soderman for support at HPRB for an addition to the rear of a house at 217 10th Street, NE. The addition would not exceed the matter-of-right lot occupancy. In addition, structures on neighboring properties would project further back than the proposed addition. The Committee unanimously voted to recommend ANC approval of the application. **Motion:** Mr. Fengler moved/Mr. Holmes seconded a motion to approve the Committee's recommendation to send a letter of support to the HPRB for an addition to the rear of a house at 217 10th Street, NE. The motion passed without objection.

1440 Maryland Avenue NE

Motion: Mr. Schultheiss moved/Mr. Alberti seconded a motion to accept the Committee's recommendation to oppose the current design of 1400 Maryland Avenue, NE at the BZA and to authorize Commissioner Schultheiss to represent the ANC in this case before the BZA and to act as the ANC's agent with DAG Petroleum to resolve the remaining issues. The motion passed without objection.

Motion: Mr. Schultheiss moved/Mr. Alberti seconded a motion to authorize any member of the Commission or Omar Mahmud to testify on the matter of 1400 Maryland Avenue, NE at the Public Space Committee. The motion passed without objection.

Electronic Copies of Current Building Permits

Motion: Mr. Holmes moved/Mr. Alberti seconded a motion to accept the Committee's recommendation that a letter be sent to Linda Argo, director of DCRA, asking that electronic copies of approved building permits be distributed to ANCs at their request. The motion passed without objection.

Historic Designation for Building at NW Corner of H and 8th Street

Motion: Mr. Fengler moved/Ms. Beatty seconded a motion to accept the Committee's recommendation to request that HPRB designate the building at the corner of H and 8th Street an historic landmark.

Mr. Holmes reported that the Historic Preservation Office suggested that the ANC request the designation, but after the Mead's Row decision he is wary of moving forward with any designation. He asked to lay the motion upon the table. That motion passed 5-0-2, with Commissioners Beatty and Marshall abstaining.

The Committee's report was accepted without objection.

Community Outreach

Ms. Nelson requested that ANC Commissioners provide their comments on meeting agenda distribution prior to the next Community Outreach Committee meeting on June 15th. She is concerned about identifying locations other than those currently listed. She would also like Commissioners to provide a count of how many copies of the ANC Flier they would like for their SMDs prior to the committee meeting, so that a proposal, including a cost estimate can be completed.

The Committee's report was accepted without objection.



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Transportation

Enhanced Residential Parking Zone Legislation

Mr. Mahmud discussed the Committee's request that the ANC send a letter supporting the Ward 6 Enhanced Residential Parking Zone legislation and requesting additional information on the visitor pass program, including an explanation of how it differs from the current process. Mr. Alberti suggested that the recommendation be broken into two motions, one to the Council and one to Councilmember Wells with the questions.

Motion: Mr. Alberti moved/Mr. Robinson seconded a motion to accept the Committee's recommendation to send a letter to the City Council supporting the Enhanced Residential Parking Zone legislation. The motion passed without objection.

Motion: Mr. Alberti moved/Mr. Robinson seconded a motion to accept the Committee's recommendation to send a letter to Councilmember Wells requesting additional information on the visitor pass program including an explanation of how it differs from the current process. The motion passed without objection.

Proposed Valet Parking Regulations

Mr. Mahmud expressed the Committee's concern that there was no provision for ANC input into the application for valet parking and suggested requiring it in the proposed valet parking regulations. **Motion:** Mr. Fengler moved/Mr. Marshall seconded a motion to accept the Committee's recommendation and send a letter to DDOT and the Public Space Committee suggesting revisions to the proposed valet parking regulations which would require permit applicants to provide 30 days notice of the application to the affected ANC, and require the DDOT Public Space Committee to consider ANC input when reviewing permit applications. The motion passed without objection.

The Committee's report was accepted without objection.

Public Safety

Committee co-chair Rebecca Sibia presented a recommendation that the Public Safety Committee be authorized to participate in a supply and volunteer drive for the Rosedale Rec Center. **Motion:** Mr. Fengler moved/Mr. Robinson seconded a motion to authorize the Public Safety Committee to become engaged in a supply and volunteer drive for the Rosedale Rec Center on behalf of ANC 6A. The motion passed without objection.

The Committee's report was accepted without objection.

8. New Business

Turning the Page

Motion: Mr. Fengler moved/Mr. Robinson seconded a motion to send a letter to Turning the Page, thanking the organization for its generous donation of books to the Rosedale Rec Center. The motion passed without objection.

Valet Parking

Mr. Marshall reported that his SMD was inundated from Thursday to Sunday morning with valet parked cars. He proposed that the area go to residential parking on one side and extended parking hours on the other, and asked that the ANC adopt a resolution he was proposing. The resolution was seconded by Mr. Schultheiss:



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RESOLUTION REQUESTING EXTENDED RESIDENTIAL PARKING PERMIT HOURS OF OPERATION AND RESIDENT ONLY SIGNAGE

WHEREAS residents of Advisory Neighborhood Commission (AN 6A, Single Member District (SMD) 6A01, 6A02 and 6A06 are suffering from increased vehicular traffic on residential streets as a result of valet parking and customer parking along the H Street NE corridor which includes the 800 through 1400 blocks of K, I, H, G and F Street NE, and

WHEREAS Commissioners and residents have requested that the District Department of Transportation (DDOT) intervene on behalf of residents by : 1/ increasing Residential Parking Permit (RPP) program hours of operation, and 2/ implementing “Resident Only” restrictions on one side of existing RPP blocks, and

WHEREAS ANC 6A understands that DDOT cannot implement these procedures unless 51% of the households of each block request extended RPP hours and/or request the implementation of “Resident Only” parking restrictions;

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that ANC 6A requests that DDOT implement extended hours of RPP as well as install “Resident Only” signs on the side of these blocks as soon as residents provide the Department with the abovementioned requirements.

Mr. Schultheiss said that the Transportation Committee had asked for the same thing two years ago. Residents still have to go through the process of getting signatures.

Mr. Fengler said that the City Council has to be urged to adopt the new requirements. He suggested that the issue be revisited at the next ANC meeting.

9. Community Comment

Ms. Nelson announced that the Capitol Hill Garden Club has begun to advertise the availability of its bulbs.

Mr. Banua said that the best way to protect trees is for the ANC to keep an eye on them when developers start their planning.

Lance Brown suggested that some metered parking be considered for the numbered streets.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:10 p.m.



Commission Letters from April 9 Meeting



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RESOLUTION REQUESTING EXTENDED RESIDENTIAL PARKING PERMIT HOURS OF OPERATION AND RESIDENT ONLY SIGNAGE

WHEREAS, residents of Advisory Neighborhood Commission (ANC) 6A, Single Member District (SMD) 6A01, SMD 6A02 and SMD 6A06 are suffering from increased vehicular traffic on residential streets as a result of valet parking and customer parking along the H Street NE corridor which includes the 800 through 1400 blocks of K, I, H, G and F Streets, NE; and

WHEREAS, Commissioners and residents have requested that the District Department of Transportation (DDOT) intervene on behalf of residents by: (i) increasing Residential Parking Permit (RPP) program hours of operation; and (ii) implementing 'Resident Only' restrictions on one side of existing RPP blocks; and

WHEREAS, ANC 6A understands that DDOT cannot implement these procedures unless 51% of the households on each block request extended RPP hours and/or request the implementation of "Resident Only" parking restrictions;

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that Advisory Neighborhood Commission 6A, requests that DDOT implement extended hours of RPP as well as install 'Resident Only' signs on one side of these blocks as soon as residents provide the Department with the abovementioned requirements;

ADOPTED on June 11, 2009.

We hereby certify this Resolution to be true and correct.



Joseph Fengler, Chair



Bill Schultheiss, Secretary



Officer Reports - Treasurer





Officer Reports - Treasurer



ANC 6A Treasurer's Report June 2009

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|-----------------------------------|----------|----|----------|---------------------|
| Period Covered: | 06/01/09 | - | 06/30/09 | |
| Checking Account: | | | | |
| Balance Forwarded | | | | \$ 25,714.20 |
| Receipts: | | | | |
| District Allotments | | \$ | - | |
| Transfers from Saving Account | | \$ | - | |
| Total Receipts | | \$ | - | |
| Total Funds Available | | | | \$ 25,714.20 |
| Disbursements: | | | | |
| David Holmes (Parking) | Ck #1419 | \$ | 12.00 | |
| Roberta Weiner (May '09 Minutes) | Ck #1420 | \$ | 127.50 | |
| Heather Schoell (June '09 Agenda) | Ck #1421 | \$ | 200.00 | |
| FedEx Office (May '09 Statement) | Ck #1422 | \$ | 216.16 | |
| | | \$ | - | |
| Total Disbursements | | \$ | 555.66 | |
| <u>Ending Balance</u> | | | | <u>\$ 25,158.54</u> |
| Savings Account: | | | | |
| Balance Forwarded | | | | \$ 4,194.49 |
| Receipts: | | | | |
| Interest (05/29/09) | | \$ | 0.79 | |
| Transfers from Checking Account | | \$ | - | |
| Total Receipts | | \$ | 0.79 | |
| Total Funds Available | | | | \$ 4,195.28 |
| Disbursements | | \$ | - | |
| <u>Ending Balance</u> | | | | <u>\$ 4,195.28</u> |

ANC 6A Treasurer's Report June 2009

PETTY CASH SUMMARY 06/01/09 - 06/30/09

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|-----------------------|----------|
| Period Covered | |
| Balance Forwarded | \$ 25.00 |
| Deposit to Petty Cash | \$ - |
| Total Funds Available | \$ 25.00 |
| Disbursements: | |
| Total Disbursements | \$ - |
| Ending Balance | \$ 25.00 |



Officer Reports - Treasurer



ANC 6A QUARTERLY REPORT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITY 3rd Quarter FY09

Quarterly Report Period Covered: 004/01/09 -06/30/09

ANC 6A

Summary of Receipts and Disbursements: Checking Account

| | | |
|--|-------------|---------------------|
| Balance Forwarded: | | \$ 28,648.28 |
| Receipts: | | |
| District Allotments (2nd Quarter FY09) | \$ 8,019.50 | |
| Interest Income | \$ - | |
| Other Deposits | \$ - | |
| Transfers from Saving Accounts | \$ - | |
| Total Receipts | | \$ 8,019.50 |
| Total Funds Available | | \$ 32,667.78 |
| Disbursements: | | |
| 1. Net Salary and Wages | \$ - | |
| 2. Workers Compensation | \$ - | |
| 3. Insurance: | | |
| 4. A. Health | \$ - | |
| 5. B. Casualty/Property | \$ - | |
| 6. Total Federal Wages Taxes | \$ - | |
| 7. Tax Penalties | \$ - | |
| 8. Local Transportation | \$ 12.00 | |
| 9. Office Rent | \$ - | |
| 10. Telephone Services | \$ - | |
| 11. Postage and Delivery | \$ - | |
| 12. Utilities | \$ - | |
| 13. Printing and Copying | \$ 495.74 | |
| 14. Flyer Distribution | \$ - | |
| 15. Purchase of Service | \$ 2,451.50 | |
| 16. Office Supplies | \$ - | |
| 17. Office Equipment | \$ - | |
| A. Rental | \$ - | |
| B. Purchase | \$ - | |
| 18. Grants | \$ 4,550.00 | |
| 19. Training | \$ - | |
| 20. Petty Cash Reimbursement | \$ - | |
| 21. Transfers to Saving Account | \$ - | |
| 22. Bank Charges | \$ - | |
| 23. Other | \$ - | |
| Total Disbursements | | \$ 7,509.24 |
| Ending Balance: | | \$ 25,158.52 |

Approval by Commission: _____

Treasurer

Chairperson

Secretary

Secretary Certification _____

Date _____

I hereby certify that the above noted quarterly financial report has been approved by a majority of Commissioners during a public meeting in which there existed a quorum.



Officer Reports - Treasurer



ANC 6A QUARTERLY REPORT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITY 3rd Quarter FY09

Summary of Receipts and Disbursements: Savings Account

| | | |
|---------------------------------|---------|-------------|
| Balance Forwarded | | \$ 4,193.46 |
| Receipts: | | |
| Transfers From Checking Account | \$ - | |
| Other (Interest Earnings, etc.) | \$ 1.82 | |
| Total Receipts | \$ - | |
| Total Funds Available | | \$ 4,195.28 |
| Disbursements: | | |
| Transfers to Checking Account | \$ - | |
| Other | \$ - | |
| Total Disbursements | \$ - | |
| Ending Balance: | | \$ 4,195.28 |

| CHECKING AND SAVINGS ACCOUNT DEPOSITS | | |
|--|-------------|-------------------------------------|
| Deposits to Checking Account (Including transfers from savings account) | | |
| Date | Amount | Source |
| | \$ 6,019.50 | District Allotment 2nd Quarter FY09 |
| Total | \$ 6,019.50 | |
| Deposits to Savings Account (Including transfers from checking account) | | |
| Date | Amount | Source |
| 04/30/09 | \$ 1.03 | Interest |
| 05/29/09 | \$ 0.79 | Interest |
| | \$ - | Interest |
| Total | \$ 1.82 | |



Officer Reports - Treasurer



ANC 6A QUARTERLY REPORT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITY Listing of Checks Issued 3rd Quarter FY09

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|-------|----------|---------------------------------|-------------|----|--------------------------------------|------------------------|
| 1412 | 04/24/09 | FedEx Office | \$ 122.43 | 13 | Photocopying - Mar. '09 Statement | 02/12/09 |
| 1413 | 04/25/09 | EHT Tracerless Inc. | \$ 4,000.00 | 18 | Grant - CHRIS Survey | 02/12/09 |
| 1414 | 05/14/09 | Maury Elementary School PTSA | \$ 550.00 | 18 | Grant - Maury Elem. School PTSA | 12/11/08 |
| 1415 | 05/14/09 | Roberta Weiner | \$ 224.00 | 15 | Minutes - Mar. Apr. '09 | 11/13/08 |
| 1416 | 11/15/03 | Sabra, Wang & Associates | \$ 1,500.00 | 15 | Traffic Impact Study | 11/13/08 |
| 1417 | 05/20/09 | Heather Schoell | \$ 400.00 | 15 | Agenda Package - Arp & May '09 | 03/12/09 |
| 1418 | 05/22/09 | FedEx Office | \$ 157.15 | 13 | Photocopying - Apr. '09 Statement | 03/12/09 |
| 1419 | 06/11/09 | David Holmes | \$ 12.00 | 8 | Parking | 06/11/09 |
| 1420 | 06/11/09 | Roberta Weiner | \$ 127.50 | 15 | Minutes - May '09 | 11/13/08 |
| 1421 | 06/15/09 | Heather Schoell | \$ 200.00 | 15 | Agenda Package - June '09 | 03/12/09 |
| 1422 | 06/25/09 | FedEx Office | \$ 215.18 | 13 | Photocopying - May. '09 Statement | 04/09/09 & 05/14/09 |
| | | | | | | |
| Total | | | \$ 7,509.24 | | | |

(1) If ongoing operating expense, indicate "Budget" and date budget was approved. If not included in approved budget, indicate date Commission approved the expenditure.



Committee Reports
Alcohol Beverage and Licensing (ABL)





Committee Reports

Alcohol Beverage and Licensing (ABL)



ANC 6A ABL Committee June 16, 2009 Minutes

Meeting called to order at 7:09 pm

Committee members present: Mary Beatty; Michael Herman; Tish Olshefski

Committee members absent: Derrick Figures; Jeremy Marcus; Mary Kosinski; Richard Sundberg

Commissioners: Kelvin Robinson (ANC6A08); Rafael Marshall (ANC6A01)

Community: James Keo (Viggy's); Glenn Scarborough (Buka Restaurant); Amechi Onyeacholem (Buka); Sharon Spencer (Buka)

I. Housekeeping

- 1) **Agenda** – Motion to accept agenda. No objections. Motion to accept minutes as amended (to correct date to May 19, 2009) of last meeting. No objections.

- II. **Community Comment.** Commissioner Robinson sought clarification of the process on VAs for the renewals approved by the ANC. Commissioner Marshall asked if the provision for valet parking been put into the new VAs? A: They will be. Commissioner Robinson asked if the committee be willing to accept some public safety provisions as well? A: Yes.

III. Discussion/Updates

a. ANC Recommendations

- i. **Star and Shamrock** – Recommendation to approve with a VA was accepted by the ANC. We did get a VA with noise provisions for a sidewalk café and it was signed prior to the petition date. We did not protest.
- ii. **Class A Renewals** – All recommendations were accepted to not protest renewals.

IV. New Business

- a. **Application – Stipulated License Request on 1413 H Street NE; Establishment: Buka Restaurant (Miss Ameche is the owner) Spokesperson: Glenn Scarborough.** The establishment has plaquards up and around first of July should be able to get the license (with the ANC blessing). Hoping to get a stipulated license to serve beer and wine. The establishment is a full sit down restaurant. What type of license: Owner believes it is a CR. Chair Beatty asked to see a copy of the license application. Due to the timing, a stipulated license won't get them any farther than their license application, therefore:
Mary Beatty moves that the request for a stipulated license not be approved. Seconded by Michael Herman. Unanimous.
- b. Continued discussion of the License for Buka. The establishment has been in operation since October. Going for a liquor license now because they were waiting until they had build up a clientele and had some dollars to pay the fees, etc. Hours of operation: noon to 12 daily; noon to 2:00 on Friday & Saturday; Closed Sunday. Will they be willing to sign a VA? Yes.



Committee Reports

Alcohol Beverage and Licensing (ABL)



Mary moves that the ANC not protest the CR license of Buka providing they sign a VA before July 2. Seconded by Michael Herman. Unanimous.

V. **Adjourn.** Move to adjourn at 7:32 pm. Next meeting: July 21, 2009



Committee Reports
Economic Development and Zoning (ED&Z)



DID NOT MEET IN JUNE

**Next Scheduled ED&Z Committee Meeting:
Wednesday, July 15, 2009
7:00-9:00 PM
Sherwood Recreation Center (640 10th St., NE)
2nd Floor Community Room**



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ANC6A Community Outreach Committee

June 15, 2009 Minutes

Church of the Lord Jesus Christ of the Apostolic Faith annex, 1235 C St. NE

Meeting called to order at 7:30 p.m.

Committee members present: Elizabeth Nelson (Chair), Louis Barbash, Jean Kohanek, Mark Roy, Rose Williams

Committee members absent: Jacqueline Aamot

Community members present: Andre Sullivan, Director, Kingsman Basketball League

- I. Agenda
 1. Updates to agenda (addition of letters of thanks to supporting organizations). Motion to adopt agenda. No objections.
- II. Report from May ANC meeting:

No response was provided to the COC's request for comments on the agenda distribution plan or to the request for rough counts of fliers needed. Chairman Fengler asked that commissioners send recommendations by email - none received.
- III. Discussion of Kingsman Basketball League grant:
 1. Andre Sullivan of the Kingsman Basketball League (KBL) presented a grant request in the amount of \$200 to pay for game balls and mesh vests ("pinnies"). The ANC provided grant money to pay in the past for balls and for one set of vests in 2007. These vests are still in use. However, the league recently accommodated an expansion request from Sasha Bruce Youthworks. So, there are now 10 teams in the league and additional vests are needed. Balls must be replaced every year or so.
 2. The KBL has requested support from the Capitol Hill Community Foundation to purchase trophies, which the ANC is not permitted (by statute) to do.
 3. Sullivan explained that the goal of the KBL is to keep youth engaged in a productive activity - and out of trouble. The League has been in operation for 10 years and has been publicized by the Hill Rag, Washington Post and The Buzz newsletter. The games, which are played on Saturday afternoons throughout the summer, are enjoyed not only by the participants but also by the spectators. The League operates on Kingsman field off the 1300 Block of D St. NE.
 4. COC members expressed the view that this is exactly the sort of program that should be encouraged. The KBL provides good role models, healthful exercise, and a positive activity. All of this will help develop character and reduce crime



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and other negative outcomes. It is a testament to the success of the program that they have been asked to expand. Also, the amount of money requested is extremely modest considering the benefit to the community of funding this activity. The North Lincoln Park Neighborhood Association will administer the funds if payment cannot be made directly to the supplier.

- 5. Motion: Elizabeth Nelson moves that ANC6A approve a grant to the Kingsman Basketball League in the amount of \$200 to purchase mesh vests and balls. Seconded by Mark Roy. Vote 5 in favor, none opposed.**

IV. Discussion of ANC 6A flier

1. As previously stated: The purpose of the flier is outreach to community members who may not be aware of the purpose and, or even the existence, of the ANC. Basic information regarding the ANC, the contact information for Commissioners and Committees, the URL for the website, etc. should be made available to the public. In addition to distribution in hard-copy format, the flier is also available on the website as a concise reference guide.
2. There are two outstanding issues to be resolved before the flier can be finalized:
 - a. The flier includes a list of agenda distribution locations, so these must be determined before the flier itself can be completed. The commissioners have not suggested locations other than those proposed by the COC (Sherwood Rec Center, Rosedale Rec Center, NE Branch Library, Eastern SHS, residences at 314 13th St., 1330 North Carolina Ave, Laundromat at 11th & C Sts, and 1349 F St.). So, these will be the locations used and announced in the flier. For recap of agenda distribution plan, see #3, below.
 - b. A distribution plan is needed for the flier, including allocation of funds for printing the flier. Although the commissioners have not submitted counts for their SMDs, the COC estimates that we can arrange to distribute approx. 5,000, including those to be set aside for use at ANC and committee meetings. For recap of the flier distribution, see #4, below.
 - c. Estimates of printing costs have fluctuated and a firm bid can't be obtained until the final arrangements are made. But the cost of printing the fliers will be between \$500 and \$900.
3. Regarding the agenda distribution locations:
 - a. Agendas for the monthly ANC meetings should be available to the public seven days in advance. They are available on the website and the listservs but should also be available to those without ready access to those media.
 - b. The COC proposes that there be two types of hard-copy distribution points:



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1. indoor locations in public places where multiple copies might be placed and
 2. indoor or outdoor locations where a single copy can be posted.
 - c. The COC has identified four possible multi-copy locations (Sherwood Rec Center, Rosedale Rec Center, NE Branch Library, and Eastern SHS) and four single-copy locations (residences at 314 13th St., 1330 North Carolina Ave, Laundromat at 11th & C Sts, and 1349 F St.).
 - d. COC members will take responsibility for posting at these locations. In particular, Jacqueline Aamot will use the COC photocopy budget to make copies for the multi-copy locations - except for Eastern SHS, which Mark Roy will stock. Ms. Aamot will deliver to all other multi-copy locations, not to exceed a total of seven. Other committee members will take responsibility for printing and posting at one or two of the single-copy locations.
4. Regarding the distribution plan for the flier:
- a. The fliers should be delivered door-to-door in each SMD. The commissioners themselves will have primary responsibility for this activity but members of the COC will assist. The COC will also recruit youth groups, including the Eastern SHS Band and Rosedale Youth Institute, to earn community service hours in this way.
 - b. Fliers will also be available at all ANC 6A meetings and committee meetings. Committee chairs will be provided with a supply of fliers for this purpose
5. **Motion: Elizabeth Nelson moves that ANC 6A approve funding in the amount of \$900 (not to exceed) to pay for photocopying ANC 6A fliers. Seconded by Rose Williams. Vote 5 in favor, none opposed.**
- V. Letters of thanks to supporting organizations:
1. Elizabeth noted that the ANC has, in recent years, sent “thank you” letters to organizations who provide space of ANC 6A meetings and ANC 6A committee meetings. Letters have also been sent to express gratitude to Gallaudet University for hosting the website and providing technical support.
 2. Commissioner Fengler has also suggested that a letter of thanks be sent to Kirkpatrick Stockton in recognition of their pro bono work with regard to the proposed Shell gas station on the 1400 block of Maryland Ave NE.
 3. Elizabeth will provide draft letters (based on those sent last year) for the Commissioners’ consideration.
 4. **Motion: Elizabeth Nelson moves that ANC 6A again send letters expressing the Commission’s gratitude for their support to Sherwood Recreation Center, Miner ES, Church of the Lord Jesus Christ of the Apostolic Faith,**



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**Capitol Hill Towers, Gallaudet University and Kirkpatrick Stockton.
Seconded by Jean Kohanek. Vote 5 in favor, none opposed.**

- VI. The Chair requests that Necothia Bowens be confirmed as a member of the COC.**

Meeting adjourned at 8:30 p.m.

Next meeting: August 3, 2009 - Note that the COC does will not meet in July and that this date is not the third Monday of the month



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**Advisory Neighborhood Commission (ANC) 6A
Grant Request Application Form**

1. DATE OF APPLICATION

6/15/2009

2. DATE OF PROJECT OR ACTIVITY

Season began in June and ends in August 2009

3. APPLICANT ORGANIZATION NAME AND ADDRESS

Kingsman Basketball League (KBL) / North Lincoln Park Neighborhood Association (NLPNA)*

1330 North Carolina Ave NE, Washington DC 20002

4. CONTACT NAME

Andre Sullivan, Kingsman Basketball League

5. TITLE

6. ADDRESS (IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE)

7. TELEPHONE

(301) 642-2247 (Sullivan)

8. FAX

9. E-MAIL ADDRESS

elizabeth_knits@yahoo.com

10. BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF PROPOSED PROJECT/ACTIVITY

Mesh vests (with player-numbers on them) to augment those purchased three seasons ago plus 2 game balls to replace those that are worn out.

11. PROJECTED TOTAL COST

\$198

12. AMOUNT REQUESTED

\$200 (NOT TO EXCEED)

13. OTHER SOURCES OF FUNDING (BE SPECIFIC, PROVIDE NAMES)

DC Department of Parks & Recreation maintains the court. In 2004 & 2006, ANC 6A provided funding for equipment (balls, scorepads, timer, vests, etc.). For the past 3 years, the Capitol Hill Community Foundation has provided funding for trophies. A grant application for this season's trophies is pending. Most operating expenses are paid by the adult volunteers.

14. STATEMENT OF BENEFIT (DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF PROJECT OR ACTIVITY, WHO WILL BENEFIT AND IN WHAT WAY)

The Kingsman Basketball League provides much needed recreational activities and a constructive means to express neighborhood rivalries to youth in ANC 6A. The adults involved, coaches and referees, expect a very high level of sportsmanship and good conduct. They present themselves as ideal role models for these young people, who are often in need of such examples to follow. The practices and games keep the young people well-occupied and out of trouble as well as providing healthful exercise.



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Games are enjoyed, not only by players, but also by a large audience of friends, family members and neighbors. The activities provide entertainment and a positive focus for the friends and families of the participants as well as the neighbors. KBL operates on the public court in the block bounded by 13th, 14th, D and E Sts NE. Games are played every weekend on Saturdays and/or Sundays. Practices take place during the week at several locations. The KBL has been featured twice in the Washington Post, reinforcing public perception that ANC 6A is a desirable area to live and raise families. The KBL has enrolled 80 young people, mostly ages 13-16, for the current. This is a 50% increase from last season, thus the need for additional vests.

*NLPNA will administer funds if payment cannot be made directly to the supplier

BUDGET:

| | | |
|---------------------------|-----------------|-----------------------|
| 2 Basketballs @ \$30/ball | 60.00 | |
| 15 mesh vests @ \$40/five | 120.00 | |
| Subtotal | <u>180.00</u> | |
| Estimated tax & misc. | <u>18.00</u> | |
| Total | \$198.00 | (not to exceed \$200) |



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Advisory Neighborhood Commission 6A
P.O. Box 75115
Washington DC 20013



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Lavonne Taliaferro-Bunch
Principal
Miner Elementary School
601 15th St., NE
Washington, DC 20002

Dear Ms. Taliaferro-Bunch,

For over six years Miner Elementary School has provided a meeting place for Advisory Neighborhood Commission 6A. We want to express our sincere appreciation for the time and effort you have put in to helping us hold these public meetings, which are crucial to the functioning of our city.

On behalf of the Commission,

Joseph Fengler
Chair, Advisory Neighborhood Commission 6A



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Minister Thompson
Church of the Lord Jesus Christ of the Apostolic Faith
1235 C St., NE
Washington, DC 20002

Minister Thompson,

For the past six years you have provided a meeting place for the Community Outreach Committee of Advisory Neighborhood Commission 6A. We want to express our sincere appreciation for the time and effort you have put in to helping us hold these public meetings, which are crucial to the functioning of our city.

Please extend our thanks to the members of your church family who have been so gracious in opening the building for us.

Once again, thank you.

On behalf of the Commission,

Joseph Fengler
Chair, Advisory Neighborhood Commission 6A



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Mr. Raphael Marshall
Director
Sherwood Recreation Center
640 10th St., NE
Washington, DC 20002

Dear Mr. Marshall,

For over six years the Sherwood Recreation Center has provided a meeting place for Advisory Neighborhood Commission 6A activities – the meetings of the Alcohol Beverage Licensing Committee, the Public Safety Committee and the Economic Development and Zoning Committee. We want to express our sincere appreciation for the time and effort you have put in to helping us hold these monthly public meetings, which are crucial to the functioning of our ANC.

On behalf of the Commission,

Joseph Fengler
Chair, Advisory Neighborhood Commission 6A



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Queen Laney
Manager
Capitol Hill Towers
900 G St., NE
Washington, DC 20002

Dear Ms. Laney,

For over five years Capitol Hill Towers has provided a meeting place for Advisory Neighborhood Commission 6A activities in particular, the meetings of the Transportation and Public Space Committee. We want to express our sincere appreciation for the time and effort you have put in to helping us hold these monthly public meetings, which are crucial to the functioning of our ANC.

On behalf of the Commission,

Joseph Fengler
Chair, Advisory Neighborhood Commission 6A



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Dr. Robert Davila
President
Gallaudet University
800 Florida Ave., NE
Washington DC 20002

Dear Dr. Davila

For the past six years Gallaudet University has hosted a website for Advisory Neighborhood Commission (ANC) 6A. This website (www.anc6a.org) is an essential component in our efforts to provide the greatest possible public access to our proceedings. Non-ANC related information of community interest is available as well. We want to express our sincere appreciation for the time and effort your staff has contributed to this endeavor.

Please share our thanks with Mr. Jon Mitchiner, Director, Information Technology Services, who has gone out of his way to provide the best support possible. His colleagues have been enormously helpful as well, especially Hatim Vali who shepherded us through a recent server upgrade. We also appreciate their renewing the domain name on our behalf.

On behalf of the Commission,

Joseph Fengler
Chair, Advisory Neighborhood Commission 6A



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DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA ADVISORY NEIGHBORHOOD COMMISSION (ANC) 6A

What is an ANC?
Quite simply, it is your voice in city government. Each Ward is divided into a number of ANCs; we are in ANC 6A in Ward 6. Each ANC is in turn made up of Single Member Districts (SMDs) of approximately 2,000 residents who are represented by an Advisory Neighborhood Commissioner. Commissioners are elected to serve without pay for two-year terms. ANC 6A also has Committees to research issues and make recommendations to the ANC Commissioners.

What does an ANC do?
The ANC makes recommendations to the District government and Federal agencies on matters directly impacting the community. Issues include social services, transportation, public works, education, safety, health, planning, zoning and recreation. District officials are not required to follow ANC recommendations, but must give them "great weight."

How does ANC 6A function?
ANC 6A has monthly meetings where Commissioners discuss and vote on issues brought to their attention by citizens, city agencies and others. ANCs are most effective when supported by citizens willing to become involved by attending meetings and volunteering for ANC Committees.

Your ANC 6A Committees . . .

ALCOHOL BEVERAGE LICENSING
MEETS AT: 7 PM, 3rd Tuesday of the month
LOCATION: Sherwood Recreation Center
10th and G Streets, NE
CONTACT: Mary Beatty, 546-4196
mbeatty@aol.com

COMMUNITY OUTREACH
MEETS AT: 7:30 PM, 3rd Monday of the month
LOCATION: Church of Lord, Jesus Christ annex
1235 C Street, NE
CONTACT: Elizabeth Nelson, 543-3512
elizabeth_knits@yahoo.com

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT & ZONING
MEETS AT: 7 PM, 3rd Tuesday of the month
LOCATION: Sherwood Recreation Center
10th and G Streets, NE
CONTACT: Drew Ronneberg, 431-4305
ronneberg607@gmail.com

PUBLIC SAFETY
MEETS AT: 7 PM, 3rd Thursday of the month
LOCATION: Sherwood Recreation Center
10th and G Streets, NE
CONTACT: Kelvin Robinson, 396-7234
kelvinrobinson@anc6a08.com
Rebecca Sibilia, 386-2089
rebecca.sibilia@rasdc.com

TRANSPORTATION & PUBLIC SPACE
MEETS AT: 7 PM, 3rd Monday of the month
LOCATION: Community Room, Capitol Hill Towers
900 G Street, NE
CONTACT: Omar Mahmud, 546-1520
familymahmud@yahoo.com

Agendas are available . . .

7 days prior to the monthly ANC 6A meetings at:
★ Sherwood Recreation Center
10th and G Streets, NE
★ Northeast Branch Library
7th Street and Maryland Avenue, NE
★ Laundromat, 11th and C Streets, NE
★ Fence, 1349 F Street, NE
★ Fence, 314 13th Street, NE
★ Front Porch, 1330 North Carolina Avenue, NE
★ Eastern High School, Front Office
17th and East Capitol Streets, NE
★ Rosedale Recreation Center
1700 Gales Street, NE

For more information . . .

Visit the ANC6A website at www.anc6a.org to find out more about what's happening in the neighborhood and ANC activities, including:
★ Agendas
★ Minutes and reports
★ Correspondence
★ Grant information
★ Up-to-date calendar listings
★ Sign-up for agenda by e-mail
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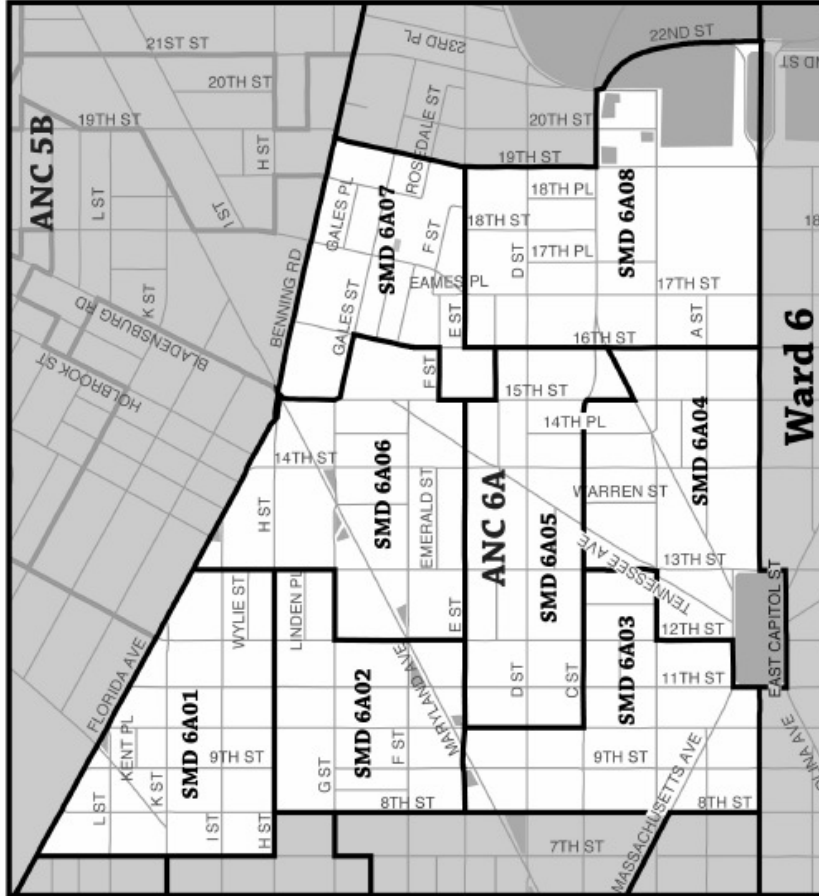
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Your SMD ...

Please use this map to locate your street address and find your Commissioner.



Your ANC 6A Commissioners...

MEET AT: 7 PM, 2nd Thursday of the month*
LOCATION: Miner Elementary School
 601 15th Street, NE

- 6A-01 Raphael Marshall, 256-5335**
826 10th Street, NE
RVMP56A@aol.com
- 6A-02 Joseph Fengler, 423-8868**
815 F Street, NE
fengler6a02@yahoo.com
- 6A-03 David Holmes, 251-7079**
919 Massachusetts Avenue, NE
holmes6a3@gmail.com
- 6A-04 Nicholas Alberti, 543-3512**
1330 North Carolina Avenue, NE
alberti6a04@yahoo.com
- 6A-05 Mary Beatty, 546-4196**
1228 Duncan Place, NE
mbeatty@aol.com
- 6A-06 William Schultheiss, 543-5003**
1225 F Street, NE
schlthss@yahoo.com
- 6A-07 Gladys Mack, 398-3329**
703 18th Street, NE
gmack01@juno.com
- 6A-08 Kelvin Robinson, 744-0379**
1606 A Street, NE
kelvinrobinson@anc6a08.com

* All meetings are open to the public.
 Check the Community Calendar at www.anc6a.org for location and/or schedule changes.

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Transportation & Public Space (TPS)



ANC 6A Transportation & Public Space Committee Meeting Minutes
Capitol Hill Towers (900 G Street NE)
June 15, 2009

- I. Call meeting to order at 7:06 pm
- II. Introductions
 - A. Present: Lance Brown, Shane Artim, Commissioner David Holmes, Diane Hoover, Commissioner Kelvin Robinson and Omar Mahmud (Chair)
 - B. Absent: DeLania Hardy, Sean Lovitt and Marlon Smoker
- III. Community Comment - None
- IV. Announcements
 - A. DDOT Transportation Enhancement Projects
 - i. DDOT has announced that approximately \$2,000,000 in funding is available for “non-traditional” projects linked to the District’s transportation system. DDOT is now accepting applications through August 7, 2009. Winning selections will be announced in the Fall.
 - ii. Project submission requirements:
 1. Must relate to surface transportation.
 2. Must meet at least one of twelve eligible activities geared towards bicycle and pedestrian facilities, scenic highway programs, historic preservation, railway corridor improvements as well as rights-of-way acquisitions. Additionally, the projects must be consistent with the mission, policies and plans of District agencies (e.g., DDOT’s Bicycle and Pedestrian Master Plans, the Office of Planning’s Comprehensive Plan).
 3. Online applications and additional information can be found on the DDOT website (www.ddot.dc.gov).
 - a. Mr. Mahmud proposed possibly co-sponsoring some C Street NE proposals being developed by the Rosedale Citizens Alliance (RCA). Mr. Mahmud indicated he forwarded the funding information to Ken Granata of RCA who may already be submitting a proposal related to C Street.
 - b. Mr. Brown suggested submitting a proposal related to performance parking.
 - c. Due to the upcoming deadline, Mr. Mahmud suggested any recommendations should be made to the full ANC at next month’s meeting.
 - B. Expansion of DDOT Public Outreach Efforts
 - i. Mr. Mahmud informed the committee DDOT has announced new technology-driven public outreach efforts, including a recent launch of a Facebook page to compliment DDOT’s current Twitter account, email alerts and website.
 - ii. To access DDOT’s Facebook page, search “District Department of Transportation” on www.facebook.com to be added as a “friend.” The DDOT Facebook page gives users access to:
 1. the latest DDOT news and traffic advisories
 2. photos from DDOT events and projects
 3. a calendar of upcoming public meetings and other events



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4. links to project plans and updates
 5. contact information for service requests, questions and comments
- iii. To follow DDOT Twitter, go to www.twitter.com/DDOTDC. DDOT's Twitter offers real-time updates about traffic, construction projects, events and other transportation news. Users can also "tweet" (submit) service requests to DDOT.

V. New Business

A. 637 10th Street NE

- i. Mr. Mahmud briefed the committee on this matter. A property owner has enclosed the public space in front of the house with a tall wooden fence, very similar to one you would expect to see enclosing a backyard. Enclosing the public space fronting a property with such a fence is a violation of District regulations.
- ii. Mr. Mahmud informed the committee he has brought this matter to the attention of Mr. Marcou with DDOT's Public Space division, who then forwarded the query on to his division's permit researcher and inspector.
- iii. Mr. Mahmud suggested the best course would be to wait for the public space team to conduct an investigation before taking any ANC action.
- iv. Ms. Hoover brought up a similar situation at 12th and I Street NE. She indicated a green chain link fence about six feet high may be enclosing public space at this location, the site of a church.
 1. Mr. Mahmud agreed to take a look at the location and follow up with the DDOT public space permit researcher and inspector for our ward.
- v. Mr. Brown brought up another possible improper fence at 15th and Gales Street NE. Mr. Brown informed the committee Commissioner Schultheiss has informed DDOT about concerns with a construction project and a possible improper fence at this location. A parking pad is also being built at this site. Mr. Brown believes DCRA and DDOT are aware of the situation at this location and that a stop worker order has been issued.

B. Demolition at 1300 Block of H Street

- i. Mr. Mahmud informed the committee he has heard local chatter about the owner of buildings on this block being interested in tearing down his buildings to make way for a parking lot.
- ii. Prior to the meeting, Mr. Brown expressed interest in exploring whether the owner's plans could be challenged based on the H Street Overlay, which prohibits parking lot uses for properties such as these (see section 1320.5). He also indicated we could challenge the owner's request for curb cuts at this location since DDOT and our ANC have expressed an interest in putting an end to further curb cuts along H Street.
- iii. Mr. Mahmud agreed that these are great ideas, but that the matter may not be ripe until the owner actually applies for zoning relief to build his parking lot. Mr. Mahmud expressed doubt about being able to challenge the building demolitions based on what the owner might do.
- iv. Mr. Brown agreed and indicated he is not proposing a preemptive action at this point, but he is interested in keeping the no curb cut issue enforced. The committee agreed to refer this matter to the Economic Development & Zoning Committee.
- v. Messrs Brown and Robinson indicated their belief that the ANC decided not to take action on the demolition matter because it was thought the case was not winnable.



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VI. Old Business

- A. 1400 Maryland Ave NE (proposed Shell gas station) Public Space Hearing
- i. Mr. Mahmud informed the committee the re-hearing in this matter before the DDOT Public Space Committee is scheduled for June 25 at 941 N. Capitol St. NE, 7th Floor. The gas station developers, DAG Petroleum, have submitted revised site plans in an effort to address findings at the last hearing which denied DAG's public space application. A time for the hearing will not be assigned by DDOT so people interested in attending and/or testifying would have to be available potentially all day.
 - ii. Mr. Mahmud asked the committee for volunteers to testify at the hearing. Mr. Brown indicated he would try to make it if he is released from jury duty prior to the hearing. Mr. Artim also indicated he may be available, depending on his work commitments that day. Both indicated they would inform Mr. Mahmud whether they could make it to the hearing or not.
 - iii. Mr. Mahmud informed the committee that testimony from our committee should focus on the transportation impact on the surrounding streets, particularly the impact of a lack of vehicle flow on the property and the removal of parking spots on 14th Street NE to accommodate fueling truck access to the property.
 - iv. Mr. Mahmud agreed to send out a reminder email to the committee closer to the hearing date and to ask Commissioner Schultheiss to provide talking points for testifying committee members.

VII. Additional Community Comment

- A. Commissioner Robinson asked the committee whether ANC approval or input is required for extending designated no parking times in loading zones. For example, on such loading zone is in front of Rock n Roll Hotel on H Street.
- i. Mr. Robinson indicated this question was posed at a recent PSA 102 meeting.
 - ii. Mr. Robinson also wanted to know what the procedure is for a request such as this and whether any such procedure is being followed by businesses in our ANC.
 - iii. Mr. Mahmud indicated this was a matter of first impression for the committee. Ms. Hoover agreed to research this matter and report back to Messrs Robinson and Mahmud. Mr. Robinson also agreed to follow up with Mr. Harvey of DDOT to find out any additional information.
- B. Commissioner Robinson asked the committee whether it has contemplated establishing public space bulletin boards in our ANC for ANC announcements.
- i. Mr. Robinson proposes any such bulletin boards be placed in public spaces like Sherwood Recreation Center or other permanent locations so people will always know where to go for ANC information if they don't have access to the website.
 - ii. Mr. Robinson agreed to look into the feasibility of getting public bulletin boards put up. Mr. Mahmud suggested he check with Commissioner Marshall about getting such a bulletin board put up at Sherwood.

VIII. Adjourn meeting at 7:50 pm.

Next meeting July 20, 2009 (3rd Monday)



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Public Safety Committee (PS)



ANC6A Public Safety Committee
June 29, 2009 Meeting Minutes
Sherwood Recreation Center
640 10th Street NE

Meeting called to order at 7:03 p.m.

Committee members present: Commissioner Kelvin J. Robinson (Co-chair), Rebecca Sibilia (Co-chair), Brandon Lumm, Todd Hames

Committee members absent: Sharon Cochran, Dan Wolff, Patrice Ford

Commissioners present: Raphael Marshall (6A01)

Community members present: Bobby Pittman, PSA 102 Coordinator, Ken Granata, RCA Transportation Committee Chair, Kim McCall, DC Homeland Security and Calvin Haupt, DC EMS.

I. Agenda and Minutes

1. Motion to adopt agenda. No objections.
2. Motion to accept minutes of last meeting, including an amendment to the language of the Committee's recommendation for involvement at recreation centers per previously discussed and ANC approved (June) change. No objections.

II. Administrative, Ongoing and Old Business

1. Report on ANC Actions:
 - a. Commissioner Robinson updated the committee on the approval of the committee's recommendation that the ANC authorize the committee to lead a donations drive for ANC area recreation centers.
2. Update on Volunteer/Donation efforts to support summer activities at Rosedale Recreation Center:
 - a. Committee members once again discussed the need to get further details on the specific needs of each center in order to move forward with the donations drive.
 - b. The Committee agreed to solicit addition detail from each center Manager and attempt to kick-off its activities at the upcoming Quality of Life event to be held at Rosedale. Failing this, the committee would remain on "stand-by" until such details can be received from each center manager.
3. Presentation of Crime Statistics:
 - a. Committee member Brandon Lumm has assumed responsibility for preparing the ANC crime statistics, as well as to coordinate with PSA 102 and 103 coordinators/statisticians to determine if there are opportunities for increased and enhanced coordination between the two groups.
 - b. The committee reviewed the new format, and agreed that it was well presented and informative. The committee also requested that a specific report with trend analysis be created for each SMD for presentation to the Commissioners at each ANC meeting.
4. 311/911 Discussion
 - a. The committee continues to receive community concerns regarding the functionality of the 311/911 switch.



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- b. Unfortunately, the head of the Office of Unified Command was unable to attend the meeting, due to family emergency, so this item will be postponed until the committee's July meeting.
- 5. Update on the Development of ANC Juvenile Crime Prevention policies
 - a. Committee members reviewed and discussed a draft policy paper and proposed plan for wider community review and discussion.
 - b. It was agreed that this item be shared with PSA coordinators and a joint meeting be scheduled to further discuss. Consequently, further action was tabled on this item until the next meeting.

III. New Business

- 1. Presentation by Ken Granata, RCA Transportation Chair on C Street NE
 - a. Mr. Granata shared a brief presentation on RCA and community concerns related to the traffic and pedestrian safety issues presented by C Street as the traffic is currently arranged.
 - b. The RCA has developed a series of requests for ANC consideration, one of which falls within the jurisdiction of the Public Safety Committee. The remainder of the recommendations presented were items related to the work of the ANC Transportation and Public Space Committee. Commissioner Robinson urged the group to work with the TPS Committee, as the majority of RCA concerns relate to their work.
 - c. The committee also suggested that the RCA presentation be updated to include specific traffic safety related data, including any vehicular or pedestrian incidents that may have occurred in this area.
 - d. The committee was concerned about traffic safety issues presented by the RCA, but also insisted that any proposed redesign be mindful of the need to ensure for full emergency vehicle access, as well as any evacuation route concerns.
 - e. **Recommendation: Commissioner Robinson moved, and Rebecca Sibilja seconded, the recommendation that the ANC send a letter to the Metropolitan Police Department in support of a permanent speed camera. The motion passed without objection.**
 - f. **Recommendation: Commissioner Robinson moved, and Todd Hames seconded, a motion to request the ANC to authorize the Public Safety Committee to work with the TPS committee on any final recommendations to the ANC to ensure traffic and pedestrian safety issues are addressed.**
- 2. Presentation by Kim McCall, DC Homeland Security, on Community Preparedness Issues
 - a. Kim McCall attended the PSC meeting to assist the committee in understanding the role, responsibilities and community interface of the Office of Homeland Security.
 - b. She indicated that the Office is particularly interested in identifying community activities for the month of September, which is National Emergency Preparedness month. She asked the committee to brainstorm community engagement that could occur as a joint effort related to preparedness during September, which the committee agreed it will do.
 - c. In addition, Ms. McCall identified that the Office regularly sponsors the creation and donation of emergency kits to low-income seniors, and conducts other regular community outreach. The committee agreed that there may be an excellent partnership opportunity related to emergency kit donations to some of the ANC senior residents, and will follow-up with the Office of Homeland Security to attempt to coordinate a neighborhood activity related to this initiative.



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- d. Ms. McCall also requested that the ANC assist in organizing an ANC-specific training session on Homeland Security issues, noting the there are specific duties contemplated for ANCs should there be a disaster of any kind. Committee member Todd Hames agreed to follow-up to begin planning for the ANC to host such a training session, should the ANC authorize the committee to move forward.
 - e. **Recommendation: Commissioner Robinson moved and Todd Hames seconded that the ANC work with the DC Department of Homeland Security, and others to plan, organize and co-host an ANC-specific Homeland Security training session and that invitations be extended to all ANCs within the Ward 6.**
3. Presentation by Calvin Haupt, DC EMS
 - a. Mr. Haupt was present to provide more detail to the Committee related to accessing public response information from Fire/EMS, and better approaches to engaging the organization.
 - b. He provided a copy of the Fire/EMS annual report, and discussed staffing distinctions between the two functions of the agency.
 - IV. Due to an unexpected conflict in room scheduling, to accommodate the Office of the Mayor, the committee meeting was adjourned early, at 8:35.

Next meeting: Thursday, June 18, 2009, 7:00 p.m. at Sherwood Recreation Center



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Sent via email

Assistant Chief of Police Burke,

The purpose of this letter is to urge the Metropolitan Police Department (MPD) to install a permanent speed-camera to enforce the 25 MPH speed limit in the east- and west-bound vehicular traffic lanes along C Street, NE, in the vicinity of the existing mobile speed-camera at the corner of C and 18th Streets, NE.

ANC 6A commends the MPD for installing and operating a mobile speed-camera at C and 18th St, NE since December 1, 2007, following a request from Rosedale Citizens Alliance. From initial deployment to June 10, 2009, the mobile speed camera, which operates only for limited periods of time, has issued 13,246 west-bound vehicular speeding violations¹. This high number of speeding citations issued during an 18 month period provides, in our view, additional justification for installing a permanent speed camera at this location.

Furthermore, since C Street, NE (from 21st to 16th Streets) is strictly a residential-zone, within the Eliot-Hines JHS school-zone and each weekday nearly 18,000 west-bound vehicles use C Street, NE², ANC 6A believes a full-time speed-limit enforcement camera is warranted.

This letter represents the consensus of the community and data provided by MPD and DDOT, and we hope the MPD will give serious and expeditious consideration to this request.

Please let us know how we can be of further assistance and determine the next steps as we collaborate to enhance and enforce compliance with traffic and public safety laws to increase safety in our neighborhoods.

On behalf of the Commission,

Joseph Fengler
Chair, Advisory Neighborhood Commission 6A

cc: Councilmember Tommy Wells
Mr. Forest Hayes, Executive Office of the Mayor

¹ Data provided by Sergeant Mark Robinson, MPD TS&SEB.

² Data extracted from DDOT Volume Report, 1 Day Study, 07/16/08 west-bound C Street, NE, Vehicular Lanes, DDOT Traffic Services Administration