

## AGENDA

ANC 6A Transportation & Public Space Committee Meeting  
Capitol Hill Towers, 900 G Street NE  
March 19, 2018 at 7:00 pm

- I. Called meeting to order at 7:03 pm.
- II. Introductions
  - A. Committee members in attendance - Chair Todd Sloves, Elizabeth Nelson, Jeff Fletcher, Hassan Christian.
- III. Announcements
  - A. ANC 6A is seeking volunteer committee members.
- IV. Community Comment - none.
- V. Old Business
  - A. Review of public space application for a sidewalk café by Loaf Coffee, 101 Fifteenth (15<sup>th</sup>) Street NE
    - i. Co-owners of Loaf Coffee, Chris Pitorri and Keagon Foster, provided updated technical drawings of the space. They only plan to use the cement area facing Fifteenth (15<sup>th</sup>) Street this season. They will use the grass area next year once they see how business is.
    - ii. The owners said they spoke with the landlord about putting trash bins on the neighboring property. Members of the Committee explained that this would still be a violation of the public space rules even though it is not on their property. Committee member Elizabeth Nelson strongly suggested they look at the recommendation from the prior meeting to use space in the alley behind the business. The owners agreed to remove all trash bins from public space immediately and store them in their basement until they can find a suitable location for storage. They will wheel bins out the night before pick-up and bring them back in the next morning.
    - iii. Members of the Committee discussed the proposed hours of operation of the sidewalk café - 7:00 am to 9:00 pm on weekdays and 8:00 am to 9:00 pm on weekends, and the owners and the Committee came to an agreement over the various terms for the ANC's conditional support contained in the motion set forth below.
    - iv. ***Chair Todd Sloves moved that the Committee recommend that ANC 6A provide conditional support for Loaf Coffee's (101 Fifteenth (15<sup>th</sup>) NE) public space application for a sidewalk cafe if and only if trash storage has been moved off of public space prior to ANC 6A's April meeting, and that support should also be conditional on the applicant's agreement to:***
      1. *The applicant only operates the sidewalk café space from 7:00 am to 9:00 pm Monday through Friday, and from 8:00 am to 9:00 pm Saturday and Sunday;*
      2. *Take reasonable efforts to contain noise within the sidewalk café space including, but not limited to, using any sidewalk café removable structures it may now or in the future install (e.g., a*

*sidewalk cafe canopy, roll down plastic windows, etc.) and any other reasonable means to contain noise, but only to the extent allowable by applicable District laws and regulations.;*

- 3. Only use the sidewalk café space for food and drink service, and not for any playing of music, amplified or otherwise, or for any other use, including live performances*
- 4. If applicant installs fencing around the sidewalk café area, it shall be consistent with DDOT specifications and the fencing enclosing other sidewalk cafes within ANC 6A, which shall include fencing or bars designed to keep trash contained within the sidewalk café area (preferably by minimizing any gaps at the bottom of the fencing);*
- 5. Use easily moveable chairs and tables that shall be moved to the side and locked up when not in use;*
- 6. Ensure no trash container of any sort will be stored anywhere on public space, including on the sidewalk café itself;*
- 7. Regularly maintain the adjacent tree boxes and keep all areas in front of the business and within the sidewalk café area clean, including the adjacent sidewalk and street gutter.*

*The motion was seconded by Elizabeth Nelson and approved 4-0-0.*

VI. Additional Community Comment (time permitting) - none.

VII. Adjourned meeting at 7:47 p.m.