



Advisory Neighborhood Commission 7B

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ANC 7B MEETING AGENDA Feb. 15, 2024 @ 6:30pm

John F. Adams Secretary	7B01 –	Jamaal Maurice Pearsall – Vice Chairman	7B02	Travis R. Swanson Treasurer	7B03 –
D.L. Humphrey	7B04	Donna Robinson	7B05	Kelvin Earl Brown Chairman	7B06
Lisa D. T. Rice	7B07	Kelly Taylor	7B08	Michelle Hammond	7B09

ANC 7B Public Meeting Agenda

Call to Order: at 6:41pm

Roll Call: 01,02,03, 04,05, 06,07,08,09, all present.

Consent Agenda Items: Jan. 2024 Meeting Minutes

- 2024 Budget
 - Communications Budget Includes:
 - \$840 for Zoom Subscription, paid monthly
 - \$215 for GoDaddy Subscription, paid monthly
 - \$120 for DocuSign Subscription, paid annually
 - \$25 for VoIP.ms phone service, paid as needed
 - Office Supplies, Equipment, and Printing Budget Includes:
 - \$150 for PO Box rental, paid annually
 - \$60 for return address and paid stamps, paid one time
 - \$10 for stamped envelopes, paid as needed

2024 Budget: Move to approve by Comm'r Swanson; 2nd by Comm'r Rice; unanimous voted approved by commissioners.

ANC 7B Public Budget Engagement Forums (via Zoom)

- Monday, Feb. 26 @6:30pm
 - Public Safety & the Judiciary, Transportation, Public Utilities, Health and Human Services; Education
- Tuesday, Feb. 27 @6:30pm
 - Planning & Housing, Business & Economic Development, Parks & Recreation; Public Utilities

MPD REPORT (10mins)

No representative present at time of call

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR (7mins)

No representative present at time of call.

OFFICE OF CM VINCE GRAY (7mins)

No representative present at time of call

SPEAKERS

- **Mike Commisso, Deputy Superintendent - National Park Service**

- Provided recap for recreation ctr rehabilitation projects in NE/SE. Shared pending community outreach initiatives with dates/time in the chat. {also located on their website}

Commissioner's responses:

- Chairman brown inquired as to partnership opportunities with Kaboom: for which Mr. Commisso some delicacies associated engagement with Kaboom and ongoing efforts to coordinate.
- Comm'r Swanson inquired about the possible inclusion of small park in 7BO1; requested cleaning on 27th Street SE and noted need for signage change in Anacostia Park {needs to be changed to Marion Barry}.
- Mr. Commisso noted that there would also be attention to area hiker/biker trails.
- Comm'r Pearsall inquired as to clean-up request at Branch Ave/Penn Ave/Park Drive. Mr. Commission noted he would heighten the priority. Comm'r Pearsall also inquired as to the Parks plan to address the homeless encampment for which the park's office with having them relocated as they aided with once before.
- Comm'r Humphrey inquired as to who would be the appropriate contact for service requests. Mr. Commisso provided contact details in the chat as well as provided overview of sanitation, mowing, etc. schedule.

Public comments:

- No noted comments provided by the public.

ACTION REQUIRED:

- Presentation — Notice of Virtual Meeting — BZA Application No. 21066 of 2925 PENNSYLVANIA AVE SE, LLC. Meeting scheduled for Wednesday, March 13, 2024 at 9:30am: Comm'r Swanson – Project supported by SMD Commissioner. Presentation provided by R. Michael Cross Design Group: / Group agreed to provide presentation to the commission.
 - Comm'r Taylor asked about added unit's windows {basement level} and flood mitigation for which no immediate concerns were presented.
 - Comm'r Humphrey inquired as to parking/handicap accessible parking for which ample parking was reported and two assessable slots would be made available.**Letter of Support:** Motion moved to provide ltr of support by Comm'r Swanson; 2nd by Comm'r Adams. Unanimously approved by the Commission.
- Modification of Significance filed on 12/4/23 - Z.C. Case No. 09-03H – Skyland PUD {Comm'r Pearsall – no comments provided}
- Resolution #7B-24-01: Support for the Proposed D.C. Streetcar Extension to the Benning Road Metro Station and the Original Streetcar Plan Proposed in 2010 – Comm'r Swanson noted need to insert that the proximity of service impacts a portion of 7B Communities and wanted to ensure that support was provided by the 7BCommission. Wants to ensure that the project doesn't lose steam/synergy.

Community response:

- Ms. Abril Curiel noted her support for the resolution; noted she was on the support committee; added that she's an advocate for expanding public transportation.

- Walter Ficklin inquired as to how the 7B Commission area would be affected; Comm'r Swanson provided response, which also included boarding commission areas/wards. Mr. Ficklin asked for a copy of the feasibility study. Comm'r Swanson noted he would aid with those efforts.
- Travis Ballie noted support for a DDOT project that is not connected to Federal/Metro budget impacts. Details of the project are located at benningproject.com.

Commissioner's response:

- Commission Taylor inquired as to how far across would on Penn Ave would this run. Comm'r Swanson offered.
- Chairman Brown noted support for alternative transportation and
 - Michael Havlin Friends of the Streetcar responded that alternative transportation measures are greatly important and projected that the 7B Commission area's immediate communities would find great value in the alternative option.

Motion to move resolution by Comm'r Swanson, 2nd by Comm'r Taylor and moved unanimously.

NEW BUSINESS:

- Public Space Permit application #437864 has been filed for Paving: ADA Curb Ramp, Fixture: Traffic Signal Installation at NAYLOR ROAD SE AND TOWN CENTER DRIVE SE, WASHINGTON, DC. Due Date: 3.1.24 (Commissioner Pearsall) – no access to platform
- Public Space Construction Permit application #436279 at 2626 NAYLOR ROAD SE, WASHINGTON, DC has been resubmitted by the applicant according to permit office's direction. Due Date: 3.6.24 (Commissioner Pearsall) – No access to platform

COMMUNITY CONCERNS (20 min)

Community input:

- Linder Fletcher: Noted her concerns related to cars speeding through the alley behind 33rd Street SE. She noted it's a safety concern. {Comm'r Robinson to FUP}
- Walter Ficklin expressed ongoing concerns related to alleys between Debois and D Street /3334 D Street, SE property requires clean-up. Asking for support. {Comm'r Hammond}
- Comm'r Robinson reported that LIM Scooters are being left in public areas {middle of the sidewalks/blocking mobility; particularly those in wheelchairs/walkers/baby strollers and noted that immediate attention was required to address the matter.

STANDING COMMITTEES (2-3min Q&A)

- Business and Economic Development – Preparing for pending Budget charette/partnering with Committee on Transportation w/support ltr/{Rails to Trails; Resolution: Drug Free Zone {Lower Node}. Next meeting slated for 2/29/2024.
- Education – No updates
- Health and Human Services – No updates
- Parks and Environment – No updates
- Planning and Housing – Committee to host home ready/home buying event; next Committee mtg. pending {date/time tbd}
- Public Safety – Preparing for Budget charette.
- Public Utilities – No Updates
- Transportation – Next Committee mtg 3/6/2024; Pending Resolution for DDOT {Southern Ave {Ridge Rd/Branch}

Commissioners provided comments on recent emergency crime summit w/Commander Hickman in attendance.

ADJOURNMENT

NEXT MTG March 21, 2023 @ 6:30 PM VIA ZOOM Meeting Location: VIA ZOOM

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