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ANC 3F DRAFT October Public Meeting Agenda

October 14, 2025

Join us IN PERSON at: Forest Hills of DC 4901 Connecticut Ave NW

7:00 until 9:00 PM

OR: [Zoom Meeting Link](#)

- I. **Welcome Call to Order and Roll Call** [7:00 pm]
 - Adoption of the October Agenda
- II. **Regular Agenda-Community Forum** [7:05 pm]
 - DC Metropolitan Police Department (MPD)
 - Mayor's Office of Community Relations (MOCR)
 - Van Ness Main Street
 - Councilmember Frumin's Office
 - NW Community Food Pantry
 - Community Announcements
- III. **Committee Reports** [7:30 pm]
 - Housing & Neighborhoods
 - Streets & Sidewalks:
 - SRTS: Connecticut & Ellicott Hawk Signal problems
 - Kathy Sykes (Native Plant Project) Update
 - Parks & Watersheds
 - November 8 FH Park Invasives Removal
 - Schools & Universities:
 - Lead Free DC project coordination with Murch Elementary
- IV. **Regular Agenda** [7:40 pm]
 - Senior Wellness Report: Tina Sandri
 - UDC-Archives Site Plan
 - ABCA Cannabis Hearing Update
- V. **Regular Agenda: Votes** [8:10]
 - The Whale Tea-Stipulated License Application
- VI. **Commission Business** [8:20 pm]

- Commissioner Updates
- Treasurer's Report: Sue Guzman
- Approval of September 2025 meeting minutes

VII. Adjournment

The next ANC 3F meeting will be held on Tuesday, November 14 at 7PM

Commissioners Sign off:

3F01: AR

3F02:SG

3F03: MTB addendum added

3F04:

3F05: AJI

3F06: CAC

Addendum: Community Report Updates

Update from Forest Hills Park: Good Clean Fun

CONCERT 10/11:

Good Clean Fun hosted the Washington Conservatory of Music on 10/11 in the Park. The group played dance music and a good time was had by all. We are grateful for the support of ANC3F in sponsoring this event as well the jazz concert in September the park.

INVASIVES REMOVAL: November 8 from 10-noon

Good Clean Fun has partnered with DOEE to tackle invasives on the slope on the 3100 block of Brandywine St. This overgrown area is technically part of Forest Hills Park. Participation is limited to 15 adults, sign up here if you are interested:

https://www.flipcause.com/secure/cause_pdetails/MjM2MDg3

CLEAN UPS

The Freedom Church has made a substantial donation to sponsor our 2026 cleanups in the park and playground. **Good Clean Fun** is grateful for their support! Dates TBD. We appreciate everyone who takes initiative to help between cleanups by picking up trash when you see it! You are setting a GREAT example for neighborhood kids (and adults!)

SPOOKTACULAR: October 26 from 10-noon

. . . is back on. Parents and kids of all ages are invited to dress in their favorite costumes and gather at the playground for spooky-inspired activities.

Update from DC Water: Albemarle and 32nd Street Manhole Project

The Soapstone project has reached a significant milestone with the successful installation of Shot

#10, the final segment of cured-in-place pipe (CIPP). This achievement marks an important step in strengthening the reliability of the sewer system. In addition, one of the bypass pumps has been removed, the crosswalk at Connecticut Avenue and Albemarle Street has reopened for pedestrian use, and all planned tree removals have been completed. Crews will also begin cleanup activities in and around the work zone at the area around the crosswalk.

Looking ahead, work will continue on the new manhole, beginning with the concrete base pour and moving into vertical construction. Site restoration and final landscaping will follow in the coming weeks as the project advances toward completion.

We appreciate the community's patience and support as we approach the final stages of this important infrastructure project.

Update from Councilmember Frumin's office

TANF Pass-Through Funding Update:

- Councilmember Frumin, announced that, beginning October 1, 2025, families receiving Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) will see an increase in child support passthrough payments from \$150 to \$200 per month.
- This change, enacted through the Child Support Reform Amendment Act of 2025, ensures more money collected from noncustodial parents goes directly into the hands of District families.
- You can find more details in the press release on Councilmember Frumin's website. (<https://mattfruminward3.com/dc-council-and-attorney-general-announce-increase-in-child-support-passed-directly-to-families-receiving-tanf/>)

Human Services Committee Roundtable:

- Last Thursday, the Committee on Human Services held a roundtable on the confirmation of Acting Director Rachel Pierre as permanent Director of the Department of Human Services (DHS).
- Meeting information is available on the DC Council website. (<https://lims.dccouncil.gov/Hearings/hearings/957>)
- Residents can read the Ward 3 Newsletter and sign up to receive it directly by email at MattFruminWard3.com (<https://mattfruminward3.com/>).

Save the Date – Workday in the Ward:

- The office's next "Workday in the Ward" event will be on Thursday, October 23, at Point Chaud in Glover Park.

Update from MPD

PSA 203 Crime Stats for 09/06/2025 thru 10/05/2025 as it compares to the same time period last year:

Homicide - zero

Sex Abuse - zero

Violent Assault with a Dangerous Weapon - 1- 100% increase - occurred in the 4200 Block of Connecticut Avenue NW on UDC Campus - Closed by arrest.

Robbery - 1 - no change in percentage - 2900 Block of Van Ness Street NW.

Burglary - 3 - 100% increase, they occurred at 4545 Connecticut Avenue NW, 3550 Albemarle Street NW, and 3411 Wisconsin Avenue - Closed by arrest.

Motor Vehicle Theft - 1 - 3000 Tilden Avenue NW - 50% decrease.

Theft From Auto - 8 - 47% decrease.

Thefts including Retail Thefts - 25 - 38% decrease.