

ANC 5A Monthly Meeting Minutes — Wednesday, January 28, 2025

Location: Virtual

Agenda

1. Call Meeting to Order 6:45 pm ET
2. Quorum
 - a. 5A01 (Sellars) — Present
 - b. 5A02 (Thomas) — Absent
 - c. 5A03 (Lucio) — Present
 - d. 5A04 (Hermes) — Present
 - e. 5A05 (Weston) — Present
 - f. 5A06 (Holloway) — Present
 - g. 5A07 (Sosa Garnica) — Absent
 - h. 5A08 (Alston) — Present
 - i. 5A09 (Bocoum) — Present
3. Recognizing New Commissioner for 5A05
4. Election & Swearing in of Officers — Anthony Hood
 - a. Chair:

Sosa Garnica Nominated by Lucio, 2nd from Bocoum
Hermes Nominated by Thomas 2nd from Alston
Sosa Garnica (5) – Hermes (4)
 - b. Vice-Chair:

Hermes Nominated by Thomas 2nd from Alston
Holloway Nominated by Holloway, No 2nd
Sellars Nominated by Thomas, 2nd by Alston, Declined
Hermes Elected by Default
 - c. Treasurer:

Bocoum Nominated by Sellars, 2nd by Thomas
Weston Nominated by Alston, 2nd by Hermes
Bocoum (5) – Weston (4)
 - d. Secretary:

Lucio Nominated by Bocoum, 2nd by Sellars
Alston Nominated by Alston, 2nd by Hermes
Alston (5) – Lucio (4)
 - e. Parliamentarian:

Hermes Nominated by Bocoum, 2nd by Alston
Hermes Elected by Default

- f. Sergeant at Arms:
 - Holloway Nominated by Lucio, 2nd by Hermes
 - Weston Nominated by Bocoum, 2nd by Sosa Garnica, Declined
 - Thomas Nominated by Thomas, 2nd by Sellars
 - Holloway (5) – Tim (4)
- 5. Agenda Review/Acceptance
 - a. Motion to accept the agenda by 5A02 (Thomas), 2nd by 5A01 (Sellars). Motion passes.
- 6. Commission Business
 - a. Minutes from previous monthly meeting (November 19, 2025)
 - i. Motion to approve the minutes by 5A08 (Alston), 2nd by 5A09 (Bocoum). Motion passes.
 - b. Treasurer Report
 - i. Commissioner Bocoum moved to approve the FY 2026 Q1 Quarterly Financial Report. The Commission was provided with the summary page and detailed transaction pages for review. Commissioner Lucio seconded the motion. The report was approved by a vote of 9-0-0.
 - c. Business Cards, phones, laptops, keys
 - d. Meeting Format
 - i. Hermes Motions for Hybrid Format for monthly ANC meetings. 2nd by Lucio. Motion Passes
 - e. Proposed Meeting Calendar
 - i. February 25, 2026
 - ii. March 25, 2026
 - iii. April 22, 2026
 - iv. May 27, 2026
 - v. June 24, 2026
 - vi. September 23, 2026
 - vii. October 28, 2026
 - viii. December 2, 2026
 - f. Vote on Paying ANC 5A's outstanding balance to Verdi Ogletree (\$6,248.10). Motion by Hermes, 2nd by Lucio. Motion Passes.
 - g. Vote to apply for an EAF grant of \$5,000 from OANC. Motion by Hermes, 2nd by Bocoum. Motion Passes.
 - h. Vote to pay an additional \$3,500 beyond our first \$5,000. Motion by Hermes. 2nd by Alston. Vote Passes.
- g. Community Comment Period

- a. Mayor's Office
- b. Councilmember Parker's Office
- h. Next Meeting
 - a. February 25, 2026 at Catholic University
- i. Adjourn
 - a. Motion to adjourn by 5A04 (Hermes), 2nd by 5A01 (Sellars). Unanimously approved at 8:38PM.

Prepared by: 5A04 (Jack Hermes)

Approved on: February 12, 2026

Attested by: /s/ Valeria Sosa Garnica (5A07)

Meeting Expectations

Goal: To be helpful to the community and standards for accountability. As the elected officials for this community, we set these expectations of all of the ANC 5A Commissioners.

- ANC Commissioners are encouraged to be on camera
- ANC Commissioners names and SMD are encouraged to be identified on their screen
- ANC Commissioners are encouraged to put their contact information in the chat
- Meeting Protocol is Robert's Rules of Order
- Respect others when speaking
- Respect our guests
- In order to ask a question or make a comment all in attendance must either use the raise hand feature or raise their hand on screen if there is a question and then wait to be acknowledged.
- ANC Commissioners will be called on first before the public during a discussion.
- ANC Commissioners will be responsible for presenting Single Member District Items
- Members of the community should remain on mute until called upon
- Disruptive behavior will not be tolerated and will be addressed appropriately by the Chair

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