

Advisory Neighborhood Commission 7B

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Join online via [Zoom-tinyurl.com/ANC7B2025](https://zoom.us/j/9876543210)

ANC 7B MINUTES THURSDAY MARCH 19, 6:30 PM

Joy Evans Therapeutic Recreation Center, 3030 G St., SE /via Zoom (link above)

John F. Adams Vice Chairman	7B01	Jamaal Pearsall	7B02	Travis R. Swanson Chairman	7B03
Keith Hasan-Towery Treasurer	7B04	Elizabeth Reddick	7B05	Cortez Johnson	7B06
Jimmie Williams	7B07	Angela Sydnor	7B08	Michelle Hammond Secretary	7B09

1. Call to order and roll call

The meeting was officially called to order at 6:35p.m. by Chairperson Swanson. A moment of silence was held in memory of Jesse Ford.

The roll was called by Commissioner Hammond. Roll Call showed a quorum with Commissioner Adams, Commissioner Swanson and Commissioner Hasan-Towery were in person. Commissioner Sydnor, Commissioner Williams, Commissioner Hammond and Commissioner Reddick were in attendance via zoom, Commissioner Pearsall and Commissioner Johnson was absent.

2. Consent Agenda/Motions

• **March 19, 2026, Meeting Minutes/Agenda**

There was a motion to approve the above minutes and agenda by Commissioner Adams and 2nd by Commissioner Sydnor, the motion passed unanimously by all Commissioners in attendance.

3. Guest Speaker

Traffic Safety Administration, DDOT-Christian Myers (Penn. Ave & Minn. Ave.)

Pennsylvania and Minnesota Ave. SE, are both on the High Injury Network (HIN). These 2 streets are among the highest number and severity of crashes in the district. Drivers use 25th Street SE, as a cut-through to get to Naylor Road speeding according to TSI request. During 2020-2024 at 25th Street and Minnesota Ave., shows that there were 34 crashes at that point alone, 3 involved pedestrians and 7 were other injuries. Closing direct access from eastbound Pennsylvania to 25th Street SE will help improve safety and congestion concerns at Pennsylvania and Minnesota Ave. intersection. DDOT is proposing to create a left turn lane to accommodate traffic heading to Naylor Road and Skyland. Design enhancements may be refined depending on the stakeholder and community input, the construction schedule is under development more information concerning closures and impacted blocks is coming. Construction activity will continue for approximately 2 years.

Motion- A motion was made by Commissioner Towery to disapprove of the changes being made to Pennsylvania Avenue and Minnesota Avenue, a 2nd was made by Commissioner Adams, A vote was taken, and the motion passed unanimously by all Commissioners in attendance.

DC office of Planning, Alex Krefetz

As the city grows, we must meet the increased demand for housing, transportation and civic facilities, while advancing environmental protections. Phase 1-Define our Vision (March-August

2025), Phase 2 Explore Possible Future (September 2025-April 26), Phase 3-Creat our plan (April 2026-June 2027), Phase 4-Legislative Approval (July 2027-February 2028) and Phase 5-Make DC2050 a Reality (2028-Future). Sign up for DC 2050 newsletter, visit DC2050.com

4. **Commission Business**

- Treasure Report-Commissioner Towery

5. **Standing Updates**

Office of Councilmember Wendell Felder-Letisha Vinson (Updates)

The subcommittee on small and local business Development is one that is headed down by our council member. Every first Friday of the month Councilmember Felder will be meeting and greeting with the neighbors at Denny's on Benning Road from 10 am -12 pm. Constituent Services Team (CST) has a office in the DGS building where the new post office is located on Minnesota Ave., by Safeway. There will be a town hall meeting on April 22nd at the Maya Angelou which is on East Capitol Street.

Office of Mayor Muriel Bowser-Chase Brioscoe

The mayor's office of Community Relations and Services (MOCRS) serves as the mayor's primary constituent services organization by providing rapid and complete responses to constituent requests, complaints and questions. DC 311 provides a one-stop service experience for constituents, residents and visitors searching for DC government services, number, and information. DPR spring programs registration is now open. Spring services is now available for residential street sweeping, street cleaning, yard waste collection, alley cleaning, grass cutting and mowing, graffiti removal, and helping hands community cleanup.

ADJOURNMENT

Meeting was adjourned @ 8:30 pm

NEXT MTG Thursday April 23, 2026 15, 2026 @ 6:30 PM / Joy Evans Therapeutic Recreation Center 3030 G St. SE or/VIA ZOOM

/s/:

Prepared By: Micelle Hammond – Secretary

Approved On: April 23, 2026

Attested By: /s/Michelle Hammond