ANC 5E Public Meeting Minutes (July 2026)
Tuesday, July 21, 2026

Present: Commissioners Kyle Gardiner, Karla Lewis, Huma Imtiaz, Alice Thompson, and Kirby Vining.

1. Commissioner Imtiaz provided instructions for public participation in the meeting.

2. The meeting was held virtually via Zoom and began at 7 p.m. ET with a quorum with five Commissioners present.

3. Commissioner Imtiaz moved to approve the consent calendar with the June 16, 2026 meeting minutes and the July 2026 meeting agenda. Commissioner Vining seconded the motion.
    A. Motion to approve the consent calendar passed via voice vote with a 4-0-0 vote: Commissioner Lewis (Y), Commissioner Imtiaz (Y), Commissioner Thompson (Y), Commissioner Vining (Y).

4. Commissioner Vining presented the Treasurer's report.
    A. Commissioner Vining presented the bills and reimbursements.
    B. .Commissioner Vining moved that the treasurer be authorized to send a check for $150 to the ANC 5E Virtual Assistant to cover the difference in actually invoiced expenses not covered by check #518. Commissioner Thompson seconded the motion.
        i. Motion to approve passed via voice vote with a 4-0-0 vote: Commissioner Lewis (Y), Commissioner Imtiaz (Y), Commissioner Thompson (Y), Commissioner Vining (Y).
    C. Commissioner Vining moved that ANC 5E approve the FY26 3Q QFR as presented. Commissioner Thompson seconded the motion.
        i. Motion to approve passed via voice vote with a 4-0-0 vote: Commissioner Lewis (Y), Commissioner Imtiaz (Y), Commissioner Thompson (Y), Commissioner Vining (Y).

5. Commissioner Reports
    A. Commissioner Vining provided updates on SMD 5E06.

6. Commissioner Imtiaz moved to amend the approved July 2026 meeting agenda to add ABCA Application El Camino ABRA 136692. Commissioner Vining seconded the motion.

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A. Motion to amend the agenda via voice vote with a 4-0-0 vote: Commissioner Lewis (Y), Commissioner Imtiaz (Y), Commissioner Thompson (Y), Commissioner Vining (Y).

7. District and Council Representatives
   A. Oliver Stoute from Ward 5 Councilmember Zachary Parker's office.
   B. Lacy Davis for the Mayor's Office on Community Relations.

8. ANC Business
   A. HPA 26-328: 131 Florida Avenue NW
      i. Commissioner Waks moved to support the application. Commissioner Gardiner seconded the motion.
         1. Motion to approve passed via voice vote with a 4-2-0 vote: Commissioner Gardiner (Y), Commissioner Lewis (N), Commissioner Waks (Y), Commissioner Imtiaz (Y), Commissioner Thompson (Y), Commissioner Vining (N).
   B. BZA -- 200 Rhode Island Avenue NW (Square 3098, Lot 0133)
      i. Commissioner Waks moved to conditionally support the application consistent with the presentation given tonight, reserving the right to withdraw support if substantive changes are made in the application filing. Commissioner Gardiner seconded the motion.
         1. Motion to approve passed via voice vote with a 4-2-0 vote: Commissioner Gardiner (Y), Commissioner Lewis (N), Commissioner Waks (Y), Commissioner Imtiaz (Y), Commissioner Thompson (Y), Commissioner Vining (N).
   C. Stronghold Block Party – Grant Application
      i. Commissioner Gardiner motioned to support the application. Commissioner Thompson seconded the motion.
         1. Motion to approve passed via voice vote with a 4-0-0 vote: Commissioner Gardiner (Y), Commissioner Lewis (Y), Commissioner Imtiaz (Y), Commissioner Thompson (Y), Commissioner Vining (recused).
   D. Resolution on 2nd Street NW Safety Improvements
      i. Commissioner Gardiner motioned to support the application. Commissioner Thompson seconded the motion.
         1. Motion to approve passed via voice vote with a 4-0-0 vote: Commissioner Gardiner (Y), Commissioner Lewis (Y), Commissioner Imtiaz (Y), Commissioner Thompson (Y),

Commissioner Vining (recused).

E. Letter of Support for Proper Cafe (1545 New Jersey Avenue NW).
   i. Marcus Goodwin presented on his plans for the Proper Cafe as well as potential ANC business related to the cafe at a future meeting. ANC 5E did not take up a motion pertaining to this agenda item.

F. HACA/BACA joint grant application for summer cookout
   i. Commissioner Gardiner motioned to support the application. Commissioner Lewis seconded the motion.
      1. Motion to approve passed via voice vote with a 4-0-1 vote: Commissioner Gardiner (Y), Commissioner Lewis (Y), Commissioner Imtiaz (Y), Commissioner Thompson (Y), Commissioner Vining (A).

G. Resolution in support of DPW Maintaining the Public Trash Cans in Front of the Dunbar Athletic field
   i. Commissioner Gardiner moved to approve the resolution. Commissioner Vining seconded the motion.
      1. Motion to approve passed via voice vote with a 4-0-1 vote: Commissioner Gardiner (Y), Commissioner Lewis (A), Commissioner Imtiaz (Y), Commissioner Thompson (Y), Commissioner Vining (Y).

H. ABCA Application El Camino ABRA 136692
   i. Commissioner Imtiaz motioned to support the application. Commissioner Thompson seconded the motion.
      1. Motion to approve passed via voice vote with a 4-0-1 vote: Commissioner Gardiner (Y), Commissioner Lewis (A), Commissioner Imtiaz (Y), Commissioner Thompson (Y), Commissioner Vining (Y).

9. The meeting was adjourned at 903 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

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