

# ADVISORY NEIGHBORHOOD COMMISSION 3C

GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

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Single Member District Commissioners 01-Hayden Gise; 02-Adam Prinzo; 03-Janell Pagats 04-Roric McCorristin; 05-Sauleh Siddiqui; 06-Tammy Gordon 07-Gawain Kripke; 08-Rick Nash P.O. Box 4966 Washington, DC 20008 Website http://www.anc3c.org Email all@anc3c.org

#### **Minutes**

Advisory Neighborhood Commission 3C February 22, 2023 Public Meeting Zoom Meeting Online 7:30 PM

## **Establishment of Quorum:**

Commissioner Pagats called the meeting to order at 7:01 p.m. and announced there was a quorum.

### Verification of Notice:

Commissioner Pagats confirmed notice of the meeting was sent to the eight local community listservs, apartment listserv moderators, and posted on the ANC3C website and Twitter.

# Approval of Agenda:

Commissioner Nash moved approval of the amended agenda. The amended agenda was approved by voice vote.

#### **Consent Calendar:**

The motion to approve the consent calendar, which included the Resolution Regarding the 2023 United Airlines Rock 'N' Roll DC Half Marathon and 5K, the Resolution Calling for Greater Transparency and Action to Address Sidewalk Repairs, Sidewalk Gaps, and Pedestrian Infrastructure, and the Resolution Regarding Congressional Overreach Negates DC's Enfranchisement, Mandate, and Norms (CONDEMN), was approved by approval of the agenda.

#### **Announcements:**

- 1. Update from MPD 2D Captain Savoy presented crime information.
- 2. SMD Reports:
  - (3CO1) Commissioner Gise: A) I had the opportunity to welcome Mathew Barclays, our new representative from the Mayor's Office of Community Relations and Services, to take a tour of SMD 3CO1. We brought attention to empty storefronts, recently-opened and soon to be opened community institutions, reported potholes on the 311 app, and discussed ways we can work together in the future. The two of us were welcomed by the Woodley House for a walkthrough. There we discussed the need for additional state funding to bring staffing levels to where they need to be. It was nice getting to speak to residents and staff. Very grateful to Sue and Ann of Woodley House for hosting us.

    B) As of yesterday, February 21 WMATA is reporting that MetroRail wait times are now

only 8 minutes on the red line. Which of course includes the Woodley Park stop. We will continue to push for even greater frequency, but this is an improvement. We will all recall 20-25 minute wait times after the 7000-series trains were pulled off the line. C) After discussions with DDOT I am proud to speak to ongoing infrastructure projects happening in SMD 3C01. Bike racks will be added to various places in Woodley Park including 3 in front of 2601 Connecticut Ave (CVS), 4 in front of 2637 Connecticut (Custom Cleaners), and 3 in front of 2649 Connecticut (Hans Palace). I am also happy to report that a feasibility study is underway regarding extending the time residents will have to cross Connecticut Ave at the intersection of Woodley Rd. D) After meetings with constituents, it is clear that there is an outcry of demand for more speed bumps on Woodley Place. We will continue these discussions and make a plan to garner the support. Additionally, there is a need for greater composting solutions, of which we will continue to explore. E) The Department of Consumer and Regulatory Affairs has sent over a list of Building Permits for 3C01 in February that have been Issued and accepted. Application accepted for 2723 WOODLEY PL NW, WASHINGTON, DC 20008 for construction of new wood frame porch with painted trim, skylight, electrical lighting and fan as well as new concrete steps at porch and sidewalk with new painted metal railings. Permit issued for 2301 CALVERT ST NW, WASHINGTON, DC 20008 for supplemental plumbing and gas. Permit issued for 2618 GARFIELD ST NW, WASHINGTON, DC 20008 to replace existing concrete apron at garage door and a new roof deck over existing accessory garage. Permit issued for 2800 CONNECTICUT AVE NW, WASHINGTON, DC 20008 for supplemental plumbing and gas. Permit issued for 2807 CONNECTICUT AVE NW, WASHINGTON, DC 20008 for repair/replace and realign brake and brake hub elevator repair. F) If you're a member of the community and you need my help on anything, please reach me at my DC government email, 3C01@anc.dc.gov, or you can reach me by phone at 202-495-0724.

- (3C02) Commissioner Prinzo: None
- (3C03) Commissioner Pagats: A) In the 3000 block of Connecticut Avenue, in the Zoo crosswalk, there was a bad accident involving 4 cars. B) The Zoo bus parking and idling will be discussed at the Transportation committee to discuss a resolution for our next meeting.
- (3C04) Commissioner McCorristin: None
- (3C05) Commissioner Siddiqui: A) The westside construction on Connecticut is nearing completion and will be moving to the eastside. Please continue to visit businesses on that corridor as they are open during construction. B) The Lowell Street from 33<sup>rd</sup>-34<sup>th</sup> Street construction is coming. C) Cleveland Park Mains Street is working with the Capital Hill alphabet animal art project to bring animal sculptures to our neighborhood. You can make a donation to this project.
- (3C06) Commissioner Gordon: None
- (3C07) Commissioner Kripke: None
- (3C08) Commissioner Nash: A) Wants members of the community to join the committees. B) Urges anyone who has unsafe pedestrian and traffic safety to contact commissioner Siddiqui or your SMD commissioner and wants DDOT to work on safety on 34<sup>th</sup> Street and Reno Road.

#### 3. Committee Reports:

Safe, Sustainable Transportation Committee presented by Commissioner Siddigui. Their next

- meeting is March 8th at 7pm.
- Transparency & Public Process Committee presented by Commissioner Prinzo worked on ANC3C rules and code of conduct which we will be discussing later in the agenda.
- Community Engagement & Grants presented by Commissioner Kripke. There has been no meeting yet, but the first meeting will be March 28<sup>th</sup>.
- Planning, Zoning, Housing, and Economic Development Committee presented by Commissioners Pagats & Gordon. They discussed Wardman and zoning overlays at the Feb PZHED committee meeting. We announced we would be further discussing zoning overlays at the March 6th meeting, and the comments to DCHA. Commissioner Siddiqui nominated Bob Ward to join the Planning, Zoning, Housing, and Economic Development Committee. The motion was approved by voice vote. Commissioner Kripke nominated John Goodman to join the Planning, Zoning, Housing, and Economic Development Committee. The motion was approved by voice vote. Commissioner Gordon nominated Tom Lebert to join the Planning, Zoning, Housing, and Economic Development Committee. The motion was approved by voice vote.
- Residential Historic Preservation Committee presented by Commissioner Nash has their next meeting on March 6th at 730pm. They will be discussing 3401 Newark Street's application which is in Commissioner Nash's SMD.

#### **Community Forum:**

- 1. Barr Weiner wanted to further discuss that Cleveland Park Mains Street is working with the Capital Hill alphabet animal art project to bring animal sculptures to our neighborhood. You can donate to CPMS directly towards this project.
- 2. Bob Ward wants to end rush hour restrictions on Connecticut Avenue and wants to have community involvement on the resolution.

#### **Commission Business:**

1. Consideration of a Resolution Regarding Environmental Justice Committee as a Standing Committee

Commissioner McCorristin read and presented the resolution. Commissioner Nash made a friendly amendment. Commissioner McCorristin accepted the friendly amendment. The motion was approved by voice vote.

- 2. Consideration of ANC3C Operating Rules & Code of Conduct
  Commissioner Prinzo presented and moved the Rules & Code of Conduct. The motion was approved by voice vote.
- 3. Consideration of a Letter from ANC3C to Office of Planning (OP) Regarding Wardman Park Large Tract Review (LTR)

  Commissioner Prinzo read and moved the letter. The motion was approved by voice vote.

#### Other Business:

1. Secretary's Report: Commissioner Prinzo moved approval of the amended Minutes from the January 18, 2022 meeting. The motion was approved by voice vote.

2. Treasurer's Report: Commissioner Siddiqui said the ANC Security Fund has not been approved so we cannot do business until it is approval. Commissioner Siddiqui also indicated we have the following expenditure: Rachel Worsham's January 2023 Pay for \$528.26.

### Adjournment:

Commissioner Pagats moved to adjourn the meeting and move to executive session. The motion was approved by voice vote and the meeting adjourned at 8:18 pm.

Attested by

Janell Pagats

Chair, on March 22, 2023

This resolution was approved by voice vote on March 22, 2023, at a scheduled and noticed public meeting of ANC 3C at which a quorum (a minimum of 5 of 8 commissioners) was present.