

PLEASE REGISTER FOR THE MEETING AT ANC1B.ORG

SPECIAL GUEST - 6:30-7:00 PM

- To be confirmed

OFFICIAL SESSION – 7:00PM

**CALL OFFICIAL MEETING TO ORDER*

Roll Call

COMMISSIONERS	PRESENT	COMMISSIONER	PRESENT
Handerhan		Johnson	
Holihan		Fields	
Sycamore		Harris	
Lakatos		Jones	
Kensek			

Approval of Agenda

CONSENT AGENDA:

- Approving the Draft Meeting Minutes from previous meeting
- Setting comment time for Commissioners and Community Members at 2 minutes per comment, 1 comment per speaker per topic.

REPORTS AND ACTION ITEMS:

Financial Reports

ALCOHOL BEVERAGE REGULATION

- Prince Hall Free & Accepted Order of the Eastern Star | 1000 U ST N.W. (1B02– Holihan) | Retailers Class CX Multipurpose Facility | ABRA-124767
 - New license
 - Members-only establishment for panel discussions, private events.
 - Seating capacity of 500. Total Load of 888.
 - Motion to protest under the grounds of peace, order, and quiet due to previous history of violence during private events.
 - Committee Vote carried 5-0-1
- Déjà Vu Lounge | 2020 9th Street N.W. (1B02- Holihan) | Retailers Class C Restaurant | ABRA-121029
 - Transfer of License
 - Seating capacity of 99 seats. Total load of 149.
 - Already holds Live Entertainment Endorsement.
 - Concerns raised regarding over concentration of liquor license holders in the 8th and 9th St area of U St.
 - Motion made to protest under the grounds of peace, order, quiet, over concentration and all applicable grounds.
 - Committee Vote carried 6-0-0
- **Next meeting:** The ABR Committee tentatively meets every third (3rd) Wednesday of the month (except on holidays) at 7pm online, virtually, through Zoom. Contact Committee at: 1b02@anc.dc.gov | On the web at: ANC1B.org

PUBLIC SAFETY & COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

- No action items reported.
- **Next Meeting:** Tuesday, July 11 at 7pm via Zoom (register at ANC1B.org)

ZONING, PRESERVATION, & DEVELOPMENT

- No votes were taken at the June 20, 2023 meeting of the ZPD committee.
- If interested in joining the ZPD committee as a community member, please contact Commissioner Tucker Jones at 1B09@anc.dc.gov.
- **Next meeting:** Monday, July 17 at 6:30pm via Zoom (register at ANC1B.org)

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

- Main Streets – Clean Streets (Lower GA Ave, Shaw, 14 Street, and U Street)
- Neighborhood Updates:
 - Reeves Center: The Office of the Deputy Mayor for Planning and Economic Development (DMPED) has selected Reeves CMC Venture to redevelop the Reeves Center site.
 - 1617U Street [NEW]: The Zoning Committee Public Hearing scheduled for June 26 will be rescheduled later this year.
 - Proposed Alcohol Moratorium: The Westminster Neighborhood Association (WNA) established a Work Group to propose an alcohol (Tavern/Nightclub) moratorium for the 9th & U Street area. The goal is to address the adverse impacts from overconcentration of operations such as noise and disturbances, residential parking and contribution to neighborhood crime.
 - T Street Task Force: The Task Force continues to look at ways to address drug dealing and illegal activity that occur on the 600 Block of T Street and the 1900 Block of 7th Street. MPD patrol work and undercover work to address the drug sales, providing services for the individuals with behavioral health and substance abuse issues, implementing built environment interventions that disrupt illegal behavior, and programming the block more regularly to make it less feasible to sell and use drugs there.
- Discussion of HFA Headquarters Site at 815 Florida Ave
 - The ED Committee is preparing to send a letter to DCHFAs, OP, and DMPED Directors about the redevelopment of the 815 Florida Ave site.
- Administrative Items:
 - We are seeking new members! If you want to get involved, please email 1B01@anc.dc.gov.
- **Next Meeting:** Thursday, July 20 at 6:30pm (Third Thursday of the Month).

TRANSPORTATION

- Resolution On Traffic Violence in the District of Columbia
 - Transportation Committee Recommendation: Committee recommends full ANC support of the resolution. (5-0-0).
- Resolution on Scooter Speed Limits
 - Transportation Committee Recommendation: Committee recommends full ANC support of the resolution. (5-0-0).
- Resolution on Federal Highway Safety Funds and Automated Traffic Enforcement in School Zones
 - Transportation Committee Recommendation: Committee recommends full ANC support of the resolution. (5-0-0).
- If interested in joining the Transportation Committee as a community member, please contact Commissioner Santiago Lakatos at 1B04@anc.dc.gov.
- **Next meeting:** Wednesday, July 12th at 7:00 pm (Registration via ANC1B.org)

ADMINISTRATIVE:

- August recess
- Vacancy in Single Member District 1B06

EXECUTIVE, COUNCILMEMBER, COMMISSIONER & COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- Office of the Councilmember, Brianne Nadeau, Ward 1
- Office of the Mayor — Jerrod Allen
- Commissioner announcements
- Community announcements

NEW BUSINESS

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SPECIAL GUEST - 6:30-7:00 PM

- Lindsay Hicks – District Bridges Program Manager for U St Main Street program, introduced herself to the community, and answered questions about the U St corridor and Main Street program.

OFFICIAL SESSION – 7:00PM

**CHAIR HARRIS CALLED FOR OFFICIAL MEETING TO ORDER*

Roll Call

COMMISSIONERS	PRESENT	COMMISSIONER	PRESENT
Handerhan	Yes	Johnson	Yes
Holihan	Yes	Fields	Not Present
Sycamore	Yes	Harris	Yes
Lakatos	Yes	Jones	Yes
Kensek	Yes		

Commission voted to approve the Agenda

CONSENT AGENDA:

- May Draft Meeting Minutes
- MOITION: Commissioner Kensek moved to approve the Agenda and Consent Agenda. The motion was seconded. The motion PASSED (7 in favor, 0 opposed, 0 abstention).

REPORTS AND ACTION ITEMS:

Financial Reports

- No action items reported.

PUBLIC SAFETY & COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

- No action items reported.
- Lieutenant K. Monahan, MPD – introduced herself, and provided updates on public safety and took questions from Commissioners and the community.
- **Next Meeting:** The Public Safety and Community Engagement Committee meetings alternate between the first and second Tuesday of every other month (except on holidays) at 7pm online via Zoom. The next meeting is July 3, 2023. Contact Committee at: 1b07@anc.dc.gov | On the web at: ANC1B.org

ZONING, PRESERVATION, & DEVELOPMENT

- No item in the agenda.
- If interested in joining the ZPD committee as a community member, please contact Commissioner Tucker Jones at 1B09@anc.dc.gov.
- **Next meeting:** Tuesday, June 20 at 6:30pm via Zoom. (Registration via ANC1B.org) - a different date than usual, because of Juneteenth Day.
- Commissioners Jones and Handerhan answered a community question on split zoning in regards.

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

- May meeting was cancelled.
- As a reminder, The Zoning Commission will hold a public hearing on Monday, June 26, 2023 at 4:00pm in regards to 1617 U St NW. The hearing notice has details on how to join and how to submit testimony. All who wish to testify in this case are strongly encouraged to sign up to do so at least 24 hours prior to the start of the hearing on OZ's website at <https://dcoz.dc.gov>.
- District Bridges is hosting an Art All Night event on U St on September 30th – they would like the Commission's support.
 - MOTION: Commissioner Handerhan motioned for ANC1B to send a letter of support for the permit application by District Bridges for amplified sound as part of the Art All Night, which will take place on Saturday, September 30th from 6pm – 11pm. The motion was seconded. No further discussion took place. Motion PASSED (7 in favor, 0 opposed, 0 abstention).
- Administrative Items:
 - We are seeking new members! If you want to get involved, please email 1B01@anc.dc.gov.
- Next Meeting: Thursday, June 15th at 6:30pm via Zoom (Third Thursday of the Month; registration via ANC1B.org)

TRANSPORTATION

- Committee did not have quorum at May meeting. The following item was discussed but could not be voted on due to lack of quorum.
- Resolution responding to WMATA's Better Bus Project (no specific SMD)
 - **Transportation Committee Chair Commissioner Lakatos Recommendation:** Recommends full ANC support of resolution commenting on WMATA's Better Bus Project routes.
 - WMATA is taking feedback through June 18.
 - MOTION: Commissioner Lakatos moved that the ANC adopt the resolution on WMATA Better Bus Project. The motion was seconded. No further discussion took place. The motion PASSED (7 in favor, 0 opposed, 0 abstention).
- Resolution on Florida Avenue Bus Priority Project (1B01 - Handerhan and 1B02 - Holihan)
 - **Transportation Committee Chair Commissioner Lakatos Recommendation:** Recommends full ANC support of resolution requesting specific
 - MOTION: Full ANC support resolution requesting bus lanes to be considered a part of the design for the Florida Avenue Bus Priority Project. Motion was seconded. No further discussion took place. Motioned PASSED (7 in favor, 0 opposed, 0 abstention).
- Resolution on Nightlife Parking Pilot (1B02 – Holihan and 1B08 – Harris)
 - **Transportation Committee Chair Commissioner Lakatos Recommendation:** Recommends full ANC support of resolution supporting DDOT and MONC's proposal for a nightlife parking pilot.
 - Commissioner Sycamore asked about residential parking with proposal. Discussion took place between Commissioners Lakatos and Sycamore.
 - MOTION: Commissioner Lakatos motioned for the ANC to adopt a resolution supporting the U St Nightlife Parking Pilot. The Motion was seconded. No further discussion took place. Motioned PASSED (7 in favor, 0 opposed, 0 abstention).
- Resolution on NOI-23-82-TESD (1B03 – Sycamore)
 - **Transportation Committee Chair Commissioner Lakatos Recommendation:** Recommends full ANC support of resolution requesting specific improvements for NOI-23-82-TESD.
 - Commissioners Kensek and Sycamore expressed safety concerns with the intersection. Commissioner Sycamore expressed concerns on freight.
 - Community member mentioned that ANCI E passed a resolution in support of ANC1B's resolution to DDOT on this topic of safety.
 - MOTION: Commissioner Lakatos motioned that the full ANC adopt the resolution as drafted with an additional resolved requesting the tactical turn style include some sort of hardening measures to prevent dangerous driving. The motion was seconded. No further discussion took place. Motioned PASSED (7 in favor, 0 opposed, 0 abstention).
- We are seeking new members! If interested in joining the Transportation committee, please contact Commissioner Santiago Lakatos at 1B04@anc.dc.gov.

- Next meeting: Wednesday, June 7th at 7:00pm via Zoom (Registration via ANC1B.org)

ALCOHOL BEVERAGE REGULATION

- No meeting in May.
- **Settlement Agreement | Maydan | 1346 Florida Ave NW (1B04 – Lakatos) | Class C Tavern | ABRA106450**
 - ABR Committee Chair Commissioner Holihan Recommendation: Recommends the full ANC approval of the proposed Settlement Agreement
 - MOTION: Commissioner Holihan motioned for the full ANC to approve the settlement agreement with ANC1B and Maydan. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Jones. No further discussion took place. Motioned PASSED (7 in favor, 0 opposed, 0 abstention).
- Letter on DEI and Bias Training for Settlement Agreements
 - Letter for ANC Committees to have the ability to ask for racial equity training when there has been documented cases of racial discrimination or violations – this sprung from discussion from ABR committee members.
 - Chair Harris advised to add DEI and Bias Prevention Training
 - MOTION: Commissioner Holihan motioned to have ANC1B send a letter asking ABCA about the availability for us to require liquor license holders to undergo racial Equity or DEI trainings. The motion was seconded. No further discussion took place. Motioned PASSED (7 in favor, 0 opposed, 0 abstention).
- **Next meeting:** Wednesday, June 21st at 7:00pm via Zoom (Registration via ANC1B.org)

ADMINISTRATIVE:

- Vacancy SMD 1B06
 - If community members are interested or have any questions, feel free to reach out to any Commissioners. You can also reach out to the Office of Advisory Neighborhood Commissions.

EXECUTIVE, COUNCILMEMBER, COMMISSIONER & COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- Office of the Ward 1 Councilmember — Niccole Rivero, Chief of Staff
 - Niccole will be attending ANC1B meetings going forward
- Commissioner announcements
- Community announcements

NEW BUSINESS

- Commissioner Jones introduced new business: A Resolution in support of naming the alley located at 1021 through 1027 Euclid St NW in memory in honor of Alma Thomas.
 - To enable the creation of more housing where none currently exists within the single member district – the alleyway between 11 St and Sherman Avenue NW, and then Euclid St and Fairmont St NW.
 - A discussion took place between community members, the party in favor of naming the alley, as well as Commissioners, in support and in opposition of the alley naming.
 - No motion was made or withdrawn



Public Safety and Community Engagement Committee

Tuesday, June 6, 2023

1. Welcome- 7:05 p.m.

2. Roll Call and Introduction of Members

Committee Members	Present	Committee Members	Present
Chair Cmsr. Ashleigh Fields 1B07	x	Karen Gaal, Member 1B04	
Cmsr. Alan Kensek 1B05	x	Patricia Proctor	x
		Dina Lewis	

3. Crime Report from MPD: 3rd District Commander Botelen

3D = 3rd district

- 78 increase in violent crime city wide
- 71 sex abuse cases, 672 ADW (dangerous objects) city wide
- Motor vehicle theft
- 1300 last year over 3,000 stolen autos up city wide
- Overall crime up 30% city wide
- Property crime 31% increase city wide - Only decrease is in homicide 3D
- 5 homicides this year 30% reduction from last year 3D
- 9 cases opposed to 8 last year 3D
- 63 ADWs up 9 from last year 3D
- Up 70% in motor vehicle theft 3D

Captain Moore: Sector 2 1b sect 305

- Epicenter of a lot of crime
- 6 and 700 block of t
- Commissioner Handerhan has
- Biggest issue is robberies, juveniles robbing people some are 12, 13, 14 years old
- Stealing cars like we were talking about - Instilled a business beat, patrol businesses across ANC

Questions explained:

- Violence Interrupters Statistics: send a crew in, like in the area like LeDroit Park and try to prevent crew members from preventing crime
- Red Flag Law: Courts can order that a gun be seized from a person who has been reported to be a danger. Not all officers can seize the guns permanently but if an officer does see a threat he can confiscate it temporarily.
- Commissioner Kensek asked what MPD is doing to investigate guns. Captain Moore mentioned that

guns can be traced and linked to stolen property. They can take the barrel of a gun and examine other bullets and guns to detect if they can be traced back to a crime scene. However he says that most guns are passed hand to hand from different people and may have never been registered.

4. City wide public safety meeting- The PSCE Committee passes motion to prepare for city wide public safety meeting. (Patricia Proctor yea, Cmsr. Kensek did not vote)

5. New Business:

- Patricia requests to hear from Violence Interrupters at next meeting

6. Other Business

7. Committee Member Announcements

8. Community Member Announcements

Meeting adjourned 7:23 p.m.

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ANC 1B Zoning, Preservation, and Development (ZPD) Committee

Tuesday, June 20, 2023, 6:30pm via Zoom

Agenda

1. Roll call and introduction of members

Committee Members	Present	Committee Members	Present
Chair Cmsr. Tucker Jones (1B09)	Yes	Karen Gaal	Yes
Jason Bello	Yes	Joel Heisey	Yes
Frank Chauvin	Yes		

2. Known business

a. Case #1: 304 T St NW

- i. Applicant: Eric Teran (Property owner Ulysses S. Glee, Jr.)
- ii. Property: 304 T St NW (square 3095 lot 0037)
- iii. Case number: HPA 23-368
- iv. SMD/Commissioner: 1B01 Larry Handerhan
- v. The applicant withdrew this application (they were on the HPA's denial calendar) so no vote was taken.
- vi. Some committee members had concerns that the property owner had already built something that was substantively similar to what they were requesting. Cmsr. Jones encouraged that if anyone has concerns about enforcement that they raise that to the relevant enforcement agency. There was also concern about the sequencing of this process – the process was such that the ANC would not have had time to get feedback in before the staff report was written.

b. Case #2:

- i. Applicant: The Roman Catholic Archdiocese of Washington
- ii. Contact: Andrew Rivas Rivasa@adw.org
- iii. Property: 1901 3rd St NW (square 3088 lot 0020) (current zoning RF-1)
- iv. Case number: To be confirmed
- v. SMD/Commissioner: 1B01 Larry Handerhan
- vi. Applicant was not able to be present. No vote was taken.
- vii. Committee member Heisey expressed some concern about the proposed change of use of the site (from residential to student center/chapel). Committee member Bello was concerned about this request falling through the cracks. Cmsr. Jones will follow up with the applicant.

3. New business

- a. Cmsr. Jones: Asking Howard University about updates about properties in and around ANC 1B area. Cmsr. Jones identified four sites and committee members noted two more. The committee identified

- i. Located in area represented by ANC 1B:
 1. High priority (in no particular order)
 - a. Florida Ave CVS – 1900 7th St NW (SMD 1B02)
 - b. Walter Washington House – 408-410 T St NW (SMD 1B01)
 2. Lower priority:
 - a. The Langston – 1818 7th Street NW (SMD 1B02)
 - ii. Located in area represented by ANC 1E but within 1 block of area represented by ANC 1B (no indication of priority):
 1. Howard East Towers - 2251 Sherman Ave NW (SMD 1E06)
 2. Bond Bread/WRECO - 2112 & 2114 Georgia Ave NW (SMD 1E07)
 3. Parking Lot 3 – 2200 Georgia Ave, NW (SMD 1E07)
 - iii. Follow-up on day care center, but no immediate action (1511 5th St NW)
 - iv. Cmsr. Jones will follow up with Howard U representatives
- b. Cmsr. Jones previewed a resolution that ANC 1A had recently passed regarding vacant and blighted property laws. The resolution goes into great detail so Cmsr. Jones did not ask the committee to vote on it at that time. Cmsr. Jones noted to the committee that he intends to introduce or have introduced this resolution at the July meeting of the ANC 1B Economic Development committee.
 - c. Committee member Chauvin asked that the committee attempt to recruit new members. Cmsr. Jones noted that he had two leads on new members and needed to follow up.
 - d. Cmsr. Kensek asked whether there was an update on the 1617 U St proposed upzoning. Cmsr. Jones said there was no update that the ZPD committee was aware of. Cmsr. Kensek reminded the attendees that the case will go before the zoning committee on July 26.



ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE MINUTES

Thursday, June 15, 2023, 6:30pm

Minutes

1. **Welcome**

2. **Roll Call and Introduction of Members**

Committee Members	Present
Larry Handerhan, 1B01	X
Tania Shand, 1B02	
Frank Chavin, 1B02	X
Krishna Kumar, 1B03	X
Howard Kurtzman, 1B04	
Karen Gaal, 1B05	X
André Denegri, 1B07	

3. **Neighborhood Updates (Commissioner Handerhan)**

- **Reeves Center:** The Office of the Deputy Mayor for Planning and Economic Development (DMPED) has selected Reeves CMC Venture to redevelop the Reeves Center site. The project will include a hotel, a headquarters for the NAACP, municipal office space, a new Alvin Ailey American Dance Theater and School, a Washington Jazz Arts Institute, a Viva School of Dance, a restaurant by Food Network celebrity chef Carla Hall, a Dave Chappelle Comedy Club, and a new home for the Christian Tabernacle Child Development Center, a hotel and space for municipal uses that will sustain daytime foot traffic. It will also include 322 residential rental units of housing, of which at least 30% will be affordable for DC households making at or below 30% of the Median Family Income and at or below 50% MFI.
 - *Next Step:* Committee Member Kumar will draft a letter that ANC 1B could vote to send to DMPED that reiterates community priorities that are not specifically in the RPF or Reeves CMC proposal, including:
 - Name alternatives for Dave Chappelle Comedy Club
 - Traffic flow and parking concerns
 - Construction management concerns – especially for residents of Geno Baroni apartment building
 - Plan to support unhoused residents
 - Plan to deliver employment opportunities
 - Commitment on BID for U Street Corridor
 - Support for deeply affordable housing
- **1617U Street:** The Zoning Committee will hold a public hearing on 06/26/23. The hearing notice explains how to participate: <https://app.dcoz.dc.gov/Exhibits/2010/ZC/23-02/Exhibit444.pdf>.
 - All who wish to testify in this case are strongly encouraged to sign up to do so at least 24 hours prior to the start of the hearing on OZ's website at [https://dcoz.dc.gov/service/sign\[1\]testify](https://dcoz.dc.gov/service/sign[1]testify)
 - How to participate as a witness – oral statements. On the day of the hearing – by 3:00 p.m., call 202-727-0789 to sign up to testify.
 - All written comments and/or testimony must be submitted to the record at least 24 hours prior to the start of the hearing – see below: How to participate as a witness – written statements.
 - Commissioner Handerhan will ask again about the transition plans for the Fire Station and Police Station.
 - *[NEW SINCE MEETING] The Zoning Committee Public Hearing scheduled for June 26 will be rescheduled later this year.*

- Grimke: Per Committee Member Gall, the African American Civil War Memorial Museum is preparing for their re-opening. Per Committee Member Chavin, the Phase II apartment redevelopment confirmed financing. Per Commissioner Handerhan, there are promising developments for the retail space on U Street.
 - *Next Step*: Commissioner Handerhan to ask about Museum plans and U Street retail site.
- Proposed Alcohol Moratorium: The Westminster Neighborhood Association (WNA) established a Work Group to propose an alcohol moratorium for the 9th & U Street area. The moratorium petition will be for Taverns/Nightclubs and restaurants that apply for endorsements – but not Restaurant Licenses which are food-based. There are two geographic proposals: 1. only the 1900 Block of 9th Street and 2. within a 600-foot radius of 1914 9th Street NW, which has 51 licenses (including 33 tavern). The goal is to address the adverse impacts from overconcentration of operations such as noise and disturbances, residential parking and contribution to neighborhood crime. CM Nadeau supports the narrowing scope and that will likely be what goes to ABRA.
- Maintenance for bioretention swales: these deep water-mitigation features have been problematic due to lack of plantings/programming and upkeep. Who is responsible? In other areas they are better maintained.
 - *Next Step*: Commissioner Kensek to check in with DGS.
- T Street Task Force: Per Committee Member Chavin, the Task Force continues to look at ways to address drug dealing that occurs on 1900 Block of 7th Street. We are raising awareness post-shooting – but need to do something different such as Vice Squad. (General support for this.) Per Commissioner Handerhan, DPW Parking Enforcement looking at partnership with MPD to ensure they can do this safely. Committee Member Gaal suggested a larger role for FBI – Park Police may also have a role.

4. Letter re: HFA Headquarters Site at 815 Florida Ave (Committee Member Chavin)

- Background: DCHFA Director Christopher Donald has met with this Committee but the agency has not heard many details aside from focus on housing (which the Committee supports, but also wants to have community engagement on other items). This is a signature site in the Duke Plan and an opportunity to use thoughtful development to address public safety concerns in the neighborhood.
- Goal: send a letter to DCHFA, OP, and DMPED Directors about the redevelopment of the 815 Florida Ave site.
- Current letter has many recommendations, including focus on mixed used project that promotes 18-hours traffic and leverages the Arts overlay designation.
- General agreement on these points – although could be good to streamline text. Also need to add focus on community engagement.
 - *Next Step*: Committee Members to send feedback in next two weeks, Committee Member Chavin will adjust letter and recirculate, and ED Committee will vote on full letter at July meeting.

5. Agenda items for next meeting:

- Vote on letter re: development of HFA HQ site 815 Florida Ave
- Vote on letter re: Reeves Center development priorities in next phase (Krishna)
- Update on 1617 U Street Zoning hearing (Larry)
- Place management entity conversations (Frank)

6. Meeting Adjournment and Next Meeting

- Next Meeting: Thursday, **July 20 at 6:30pm**
- Contact Committee at: 1B01@anc.dc.gov. On the web at: ANC1B.org



Transportation Committee

June 7, 2023 at 7 PM

Agenda

I. Welcome

II. Roll Call and Introduction of Members

Committee Members	Present
Brian Dofflemyer, 1B09	X
Ben Klemens, 1B02	X
Sharon Dreyfuss, 1B03	X
Harry Quinton, 1B04	X
Karen Gaal, 1B05	X

III. Resolution on Traffic Violence in the District of Columbia

- Santiago introduces resolution, provides context
- Karen raises issue with clean hands language being included
- Committee members discuss clean hands language – consensus on removal
- Resolutions passes unanimously 5-0-0

IV. Resolution on Scooter Speed Limits

- Santiago introduces resolution, provides context
- Committee members comment on slow existing speeds
- Harry suggests a higher speed limit of 20 mph, with Karen concurring
- Sharon, Ben, and Brian disagree and suggest staying at 15 mph
- Ben and an audience member raise an issue with the two-speed system and its practicality
- Consensus on removal
- Resolution as amended passes 5-0-0

V. Resolution on Federal Highway Safety Funds and Automated Traffic Enforcement in School Zones

- Santiago introduces resolution, provides context
- Karen suggests funding instead be spent on ADA infrastructure
- Santiago and audience member clarify that HSP funding is highly restricted and cannot be spent on infrastructure
- Committee agrees to add amended language suggesting funding be spent on ADA infrastructure near school as well
- Resolution as amended passes 5-0-0

VI. Discussion of fast tracked resolutions from past 1B meeting and U Street performance parking

- Santiago provides briefing on NOI resolution, U Street nightlife parking pilot resolution, and U Street performance parking resolution

- Karen comments on NOI pointing to need for focus on residential parking
- Various committee members concerned parking pilot will push illegal parking into residential areas

VII. New Business/Community Announcements

- Santiago and Karen discuss future ADA parking resolutions

VIII. Meeting Adjournment and Next Meeting

- Next Meeting: July 12, 2023

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RESOLUTION RECOMMENDING CONSEQUENCES FOR DANGEROUS DRIVERS

WHEREAS Mohamed Kamara, Olvin Torres Velasquez, and Jonathan Cabrera Mendez were killed in a vehicle collision on Rock Creek Parkway on March 15, 2023,

WHEREAS The vehicle causing the fatal crash had accumulated 44 outstanding citations totaling \$12,300 in less than a year,

WHEREAS In 2015, the District of Columbia announced a Vision Zero goal to eliminate traffic fatalities by 2024 but has recorded more traffic deaths in each subsequent year than when the program was launched,

WHEREAS The D.C. Auditor published a report with recommendations on how to improve funding, staffing, and oversight of Vision Zero but did not address the District Department of Transportation's enforcement activities,;

WHEREAS Mayor Bowser's FY24 budget proposal includes a significant increase in traffic cameras to issue fines for drivers speeding, running red lights, and committing stop sign violations,;

WHEREAS Councilmember Christina Henderson introduced legislation in September 2022 to expand penalties for traffic violations caught by traffic cameras to points on a driver's license and twice-yearly reports to insurance companies,

WHEREAS The effectiveness of traffic cameras is constrained by the expanded availability of fake temporary license plates online and D.C. government agencies' lack of willingness to take enforcement action against the growing number of these fake plates in use across our city,

WHEREAS The Office of the City Administrator convened a Fake Temporary Tag Task Force in 2022 that included representatives from MPD, the Office of the Deputy Mayor for Public Safety and Justice, the Department of Public Works, and Deputy Mayor for Operations and Infrastructure but failed to make recommendations,

WHEREAS Traffic enforcement is further constrained by the lack of a regional reciprocity agreement forcing drivers from Maryland and Virginia to pay fines to the District,

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED That ANC 1B urges the DC Council to take up legislation to improve traffic enforcement in the District including, but not limited to, tying non-financial penalties to traffic violations such as points on a driver's license, reports on traffic violations to insurance companies, and requiring remedial lessons for drivers accruing a substantial number of violations prior to the renewal of a driver's license and vehicle registration,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED That ANC 1B urges the Office of the City Administrator to re-convene the Fake Temporary Tag Task Force and make public any recommendations that reduce the number of fake tags in the District,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED That ANC 1B urges the Mayor to begin negotiations with Maryland and Virginia on a regional reciprocity agreement to hold unsafe drivers accountable regardless of where they commit traffic violations

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Certification:

Advisory Neighborhood Commission 1B serves the communities of lower Columbia Heights, LeDroit Park, Pleasant Plains, Shaw, U Street, Howard University, and lower Georgia Avenue.

ANC [★]_★_★ 1B GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA ADVISORY NEIGHBORHOOD COMMISSION 1B

After providing sufficient notice for and with a quorum of _ of 8 present at its July 6, 2023 meeting, Advisory Neighborhood Commission 1B voted, with _ Yeas, _ Nos, and _ Abstentions, to adopt the above resolution.

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Chair, ANC 1B

Tucker Jones
Secretary, ANC 1B

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SCOOTER SPEED SHIFT RESOLUTION

WHEREAS D.C. has witnessed an exceptional rise in the use of dockless vehicles, particularly electric scooters, as a practical, efficient, and environmentally friendly mode of transportation; and

WHEREAS these scooters are not just recreational vehicles, but also a vital part of our city's transportation network, offering accessible mobility solutions to residents and tourists alike while reducing personal and ride-hail vehicle trips¹; and

WHEREAS the current speed limit set at 10 mph² for dockless scooters in D.C. is often viewed as restrictive, potentially hindering their utility and acceptance as a legitimate and expedient means of transportation; and

WHEREAS Insurance Institute for Highway Safety research from May 2023 shows that D.C. dockless scooter riders are 44% more likely to ride on sidewalks than in Austin, Texas where the speed limit is 20 mph. Given this, the 10 mph speed limit likely increases the number of e-scooter sidewalk riders³; and

WHEREAS in cities that have required speed governors, a speed limit of 15 mph is most common throughout the US ⁴; and

WHEREAS increasing the scooter speed limit to 15 mph on roads would allow for a more efficient flow of traffic and encourage a greater number of people to adopt this eco-friendly transport alternative, contributing to reduced carbon emissions; and

WHEREAS research indicates that scooter users do not prefer riding on sidewalks and would prefer to ride on a smoother surface. However, for many users, safety trumps their surface preference because they are more concerned with being hit by a car; and

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THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that ANC 1B urges DDOT to propose a rule adopting a revised scooter speed adjustment, increasing the speed limit for dockless scooters to 15 mph.

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Certification:

After providing sufficient notice for and with a quorum of _ of 8 present at its July 6, 2023 meeting, Advisory Neighborhood Commission 1B voted, with _ Yeas, _ Nos, and _ Abstentions, to adopt the above resolution.

¹ “[O]ur survey showed that e-scooter trips in Rosslyn replaced trips otherwise taken by Uber, Lyft, or a taxi (39%), foot (33%), bicycle (12%), bus (7%), or car (7%)”. James O, Swiderski JI, Hicks J, Teoman D, Buehler R. Pedestrians and E-Scooters: An Initial Look at E-Scooter Parking and Perceptions by Riders and Non-Riders. Sustainability. 2019; 11(20):5591. <https://doi.org/10.3390/su11205591>

² DCMR 24-3114.5(u) - “The shared fleet device operating company shall certify that all Electric Mobility Devices are equipped with a speed governor that ensures the device will not travel in excess of ten (10) miles per hour on level ground”

³ Cicchino, Jessica B., et al. "How are e-scooter speed limiter settings associated with user behavior? Observed speeds and road, sidewalk, and bike lane use in Austin, TX, and Washington, DC." May 2023. Insurance Institute for Highway Safety, 2023. <https://www.iihs.org/api/datastoredocument/bibliography/2284>

⁴ "Low caps on e-scooter speeds encourage sidewalk riding." Insurance Institute for Highway Safety, 16 May 2023, <https://www.iihs.org/news/detail/low-caps-on-e-scooter-speeds-encourage-sidewalk-riding>.

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PLEASE REGISTER FOR THE MEETING AT ANC1B.ORG

SPECIAL GUEST - 6:30-7:00 PM

- To be confirmed

OFFICIAL SESSION – 7:00PM

**CALL OFFICIAL MEETING TO ORDER*

Roll Call

COMMISSIONERS	PRESENT	COMMISSIONER	PRESENT
Handerhan		Johnson	
Holihan		Fields	
Sycamore		Harris	
Lakatos		Jones	
Kensek			

Approval of Agenda

CONSENT AGENDA:

- Approving the Draft Meeting Minutes from previous meeting
- Setting comment time for Commissioners and Community Members at 2 minutes per comment, 1 comment per speaker per topic.

REPORTS AND ACTION ITEMS:

Financial Reports

ALCOHOL BEVERAGE REGULATION

- Prince Hall Free & Accepted Order of the Eastern Star | 1000 U ST N.W. (1B02– Holihan) | Retailers Class CX Multipurpose Facility | ABRA-124767
 - New license
 - Members-only establishment for panel discussions, private events.
 - Seating capacity of 500. Total Load of 888.
 - Motion to protest under the grounds of peace, order, and quiet due to previous history of violence during private events.
 - Committee Vote carried 5-0-1
- Déjà Vu Lounge | 2020 9th Street N.W. (1B02- Holihan) | Retailers Class C Restaurant | ABRA-121029
 - Transfer of License
 - Seating capacity of 99 seats. Total load of 149.
 - Already holds Live Entertainment Endorsement.
 - Concerns raised regarding over concentration of liquor license holders in the 8th and 9th St area of U St.
 - Motion made to protest under the grounds of peace, order, quiet, over concentration and all applicable grounds.
 - Committee Vote carried 6-0-0
- **Next meeting:** The ABR Committee tentatively meets every third (3rd) Wednesday of the month (except on holidays) at 7pm online, virtually, through Zoom. Contact Committee at: 1b02@anc.dc.gov | On the web at: ANC1B.org

PUBLIC SAFETY & COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

- No action items reported.
- **Next Meeting:** Tuesday, July 11 at 7pm via Zoom (register at ANC1B.org)

ZONING, PRESERVATION, & DEVELOPMENT

- No votes were taken at the June 20, 2023 meeting of the ZPD committee.
- If interested in joining the ZPD committee as a community member, please contact Commissioner Tucker Jones at 1B09@anc.dc.gov.
- **Next meeting:** Monday, July 17 at 6:30pm via Zoom (register at ANC1B.org)

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

- Main Streets – Clean Streets (Lower GA Ave, Shaw, 14 Street, and U Street)
- Neighborhood Updates:
 - Reeves Center: The Office of the Deputy Mayor for Planning and Economic Development (DMPED) has selected Reeves CMC Venture to redevelop the Reeves Center site.
 - 1617U Street [NEW]: The Zoning Committee Public Hearing scheduled for June 26 will be rescheduled later this year.
 - Proposed Alcohol Moratorium: The Westminster Neighborhood Association (WNA) established a Work Group to propose an alcohol (Tavern/Nightclub) moratorium for the 9th & U Street area. The goal is to address the adverse impacts from overconcentration of operations such as noise and disturbances, residential parking and contribution to neighborhood crime.
 - T Street Task Force: The Task Force continues to look at ways to address drug dealing and illegal activity that occur on the 600 Block of T Street and the 1900 Block of 7th Street. MPD patrol work and undercover work to address the drug sales, providing services for the individuals with behavioral health and substance abuse issues, implementing built environment interventions that disrupt illegal behavior, and programming the block more regularly to make it less feasible to sell and use drugs there.
- Discussion of HFA Headquarters Site at 815 Florida Ave
 - The ED Committee is preparing to send a letter to DCHFAs, OP, and DMPED Directors about the redevelopment of the 815 Florida Ave site.
- Administrative Items:
 - We are seeking new members! If you want to get involved, please email 1B01@anc.dc.gov.
- **Next Meeting:** Thursday, July 20 at 6:30pm (Third Thursday of the Month).

TRANSPORTATION

- Resolution On Traffic Violence in the District of Columbia
 - Transportation Committee Recommendation: Committee recommends full ANC support of the resolution. (5-0-0).
- Resolution on Scooter Speed Limits
 - Transportation Committee Recommendation: Committee recommends full ANC support of the resolution. (5-0-0).
- Resolution on Federal Highway Safety Funds and Automated Traffic Enforcement in School Zones
 - Transportation Committee Recommendation: Committee recommends full ANC support of the resolution. (5-0-0).
- If interested in joining the Transportation Committee as a community member, please contact Commissioner Santiago Lakatos at 1B04@anc.dc.gov.
- **Next meeting:** Wednesday, July 12th at 7:00 pm (Registration via ANC1B.org)

ADMINISTRATIVE:

- August recess
- Vacancy in Single Member District 1B06

EXECUTIVE, COUNCILMEMBER, COMMISSIONER & COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- Office of the Councilmember, Brianne Nadeau, Ward 1
- Office of the Mayor — Jerrod Allen
- Commissioner announcements
- Community announcements

NEW BUSINESS



ABR Committee
Wednesday, June 20, 2023

Minutes

1. Welcome

2. Roll Call and Introduction of Members

Committee Members	Present	Committee Members	Present
Cmsr. Sean Holihan 1B02	x	Evan Schlom, Member 1B02	x
Andre Ory 1B02	x	Frank Chauvin, Member 1B02	x
Patricia Proctor 1B01		Karen Gaal, Member 1B04	x
		Aileen Johnson, Member 1B12	x

*Cmsr. Present [x]

3. New Business

- Café Unido | 901 W Street N.W. (1B04- Lakatos) | Retailers Class C Restaurant | ABRA-119297
 - Substantial Change
 - Request for Summer Garden with 24 seats.
 - Supported by Commissioner Lakatos
 - Discussion on how the alley is private property.
 - Some worry about safety of seated patrons due to cars driving up on private road.
 - No motion to protest made.

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- Bunker | 2001 14th Street N.W. (1B08- Harris) | Retailers Class C Nightclub| ABRA-122706
 - Change of Hours
 - Expansion of hours for operation, not selling alcohol.
 - Support of Commissioner Harris.
 - Motion made to protest. Motion failed. 2-4-0

4. Other Business

- a. Ask full committee to change ABR Committee name to ACR Committee to take up cannabis.
- b. An ask was made to have retained ANC1B attorney to review the ABCA Sports &.Social decision.

6. **Committee Member Announcements**

- No announcements

7. **Community Member Announcements**

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8. **Meeting Adjournment at 8:30pm**

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