



GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
Advisory Neighborhood Commission 2D
Regular Meeting Minutes

Monday, June 8, 2026; 7:00 p.m.

In-Person – St. Margaret's Episcopal Church, 1830 Connecticut Avenue NW

Online via Zoom – <https://dc-gov.zoom.us/j/84625516723>

Public Notice: Notice of this meeting was provided on Monday, June 1, 2026, via the ANC 2D Website, and the ANC2D listserv email list.

1. ATTENDANCE & QUORUM

Chair Feld called the meeting to order at 7:01 pm

Commissioners Robyn Lipton (2D01) and Carole Feld (2D02) were present, establishing a quorum.

2. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Chair Feld moved to approve the ANC's meeting agenda emailed on June 1, 2026, to the ANC 2D listserv list and posted to the ANC 2D website with the following change: 1) Robert Butler from DPW will attend to talk about parking enforcement in our area after the Mayor's update. Commissioner Lipton seconded the motion, which was voted on and passed (VOTES: 2-0-0).

3. APPROVAL OF PRIOR MINUTES

The minutes of the regular meetings held on April 13, 2026, and May 11, 2026, were reviewed. Chair Feld moved to approve these minutes. Commissioner Lipton seconded the motion, which was voted on and passed. (VOTES: 2-0-0).

4. ADMINISTRATIVE AND FINANCIAL MATTERS AND ANC OFFICIAL REPORTS

Commissioner's Comments

Chair Feld encouraged people to sign up for ANC 2D ListServ to get updates on city services & issues affecting the District and S-K at: <https://www.anc2d.org/>

Financial Report

Treasurer Lipton presented the monthly financial update, noting a checking bank account ledger balance of \$20,556.20.

5. GOVERNMENT REPORTS

Reports/Updates were presented along with Q&A by: Mayor's Office—Jimika Williams, MOCRS, Ward 2 Liaison; Councilmember Brooke Pinto's office—Brian Romanowski, Deputy Chief of Staff; Metropolitan Police Department—Commander Christopher Dorsey & Lt. A. Sakulich; and District Department of Transportation (DDOT)—Christophe Wassmer, Community Engagement Specialist, Ward 2 & 3. Added at the meeting, but not on the agenda: Community Engagement Specialist; DC Office of Human Rights Language Access Program—Laura Gonzalez re: ANCs being reimbursed for language translation, interpretation and system listening systems and DC Water—Sean Moore, Communications Manager. Note: Robert Butler, DPR did not attend the meeting as expected.

6. NEW/OLD BUSINESS (OFFICIAL ACTIONS & RESOLUTIONS)

Zoning Board of Appeals (BZA) Application #21488 (2146 Wyoming Ave NW)

Context: Request for a special exception to construct a new 2-story accessory building at the rear of the property. The exception had been previously presented to the ANC with no issues.

Motion: Chair Feld moved to support/approve the BZA application #21488 for 2146 Wyoming Ave NW. Commissioner Lipton seconded the motion, which was voted on and passed (VOTES: 2-0-0).

7. ANC 2D COMMUNITY CONCERNS: Q&A WITH GOVT. OFFICIALS/ OTHER GUESTS DURING THE MEETING AND OPEN COMMENT

The Commission opened the floor to residents of the Commission area throughout and at the end of the meeting.

Friends of Mitchell Park Benches Restoration

- Ellen Goldstein asked Jimika to help get the Permit from DPR for an artisan to restore the benches. Submitted at end of January.

Dupont Deckover

- Shelley Buck asked Christophe to dispose of sandbags that DDOT left that is garbage. Asked for clarification of schedule and streets affected as it seems has changed from original plans. She was correct. Told to go to the following site to get latest information. www.conavestreescape.ddot.dc.gov Also, asked if residents on Bancroft are going to get parking back on the street because of all the construction and the construction vehicles parking for months on the street.
- Jacob Estes asked for an update on new trees planned for Connecticut Ave, specifically oak trees and recommended new trees for George B. McClellan Park.
- Chris indicated that the detour on 19th Street is confusing and the signage is not sufficient to let people know they can take a left and needs to be addressed.

Parking Enforcement on Belmont, Tracy and Wyoming Avenues

- Various constituents expressed concerns re: parking and traffic congestion issues related to the lack of parking enforcement on Belmont, Tracy and Wyoming Avenues. Issues ranged from traffic congestion on Belmont, to the lack of parking for Mosque attendees, and sensitivities and fairness about parking reinforcement for attendees of religious institutions and parking violations by service contractors.

Police 16th & U police station, and general redevelopment for that site

- Jacob Estes asked Brian Romanowski for an update on this site; Brian will get back with info.

Package Thefts and Break ins on California Street

- Neighbors want a meeting with MPD about Calif. Package thefts, and home break-ins. Also want guidance on how to report a crime since they have had problems with previous reporting. Lt. Sakulich Recommended calling 311 or 911.

Bicycle Hit and run near Florida and Connecticut (near Churchill Hotel)

- Josh Epstein, Bicycle hit and run victim asked DDOT and MPD for an update on footage at the site to try to identify the car that hit him. Both are getting back to him with more info.

DC Water—Small Diameter Water Main Replacement

- Leslie asked Sean Moore/DC Water for a start date.
- Also concerns raised about coordination/congestion/interference with city services with the Bobbi construction

The Bobbi Renovation 2151 California Street NW

Community meeting in July

- Desa Sealy, representing the building; start construction in July, a larger community meeting in July re: impacts on the neighborhood

Bobbi and Wyoming Ave Renovations causing congestion and city service disruptions

- Rick's concerned about using the alley for both the Bobbi and 2146 Wyoming during construction, could cause congestion, affect trash pick-up.
- Leslie inquired how long construction will take place; have a lot going on California street already, both in the front and back.

Coordination with DC Water and the Bobbi--

- Leslie expressed concern that there needs to be better coordination with DC water and the Bobbi about the small diameter project while the Bobbi construction is going on in the alley, and perhaps the DC Water project needs to be delayed until the Bobbi construction is complete. She will be reaching out to Sean Moore on this issue.

Timeline & Funding

- Chris inquired about the timeline and funding; was told to go to the DC Housing and Community website for more information.
- Leslie asked how realistic it was that the Bobbi would close at the end of the June, since there had already been a ¾ month delay. The Bobbi reps expressed confidence in this closing date.

2146 Wyoming Ave NW renovation/addition

- Chris expressed concern that the Bobbi and the 2146 Wyoming Avenue project taking place at the same time will bring more congestion to the neighborhood during and post construction.

Sheridan Circle

- Renovation electrical unit above ground enclosure
 - Chair Feld, Deborah Shapley & John Buntin (RMA), Brian Romanowski and others indicated there needs to be a smaller alternative to the planned Permanent electrical unit and enclosure (5' high x 3' wide), and that RMA and ANC will continue to work with PEPCO and NPS to advocate for this including camouflaging whatever unit is permanently installed.

Lighting

- Jacob Estes, asked about a light illuminating it at night; Commissioner Feld indicated that would be Phase 2 if the NPS and SK wanted to pursue that, would engage the community on Phase 1 if Community is needed for continued update after the NPS contract expires.

Gratitude to DDOT's Christopher Wassmer

Commissioners and other neighbors thanked Christophe Wassmer for his excellent service and wished him the best of luck in pursuing his studies in Berlin. Brooksley Born expressed gratitude for his help, getting northside of street reposted for getting residential only parking. Jacob Estes, thanked Christophe, re: his work on Connecticut Ave. And Holly Sukenik, expressed her appreciation and let him know how much we will miss him, and commended him for his accomplishments in the neighborhood during his tenure

8. ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Community walk with Lt. Sakulich, Sheridan Circle, Wed. June 10 6:00 PM
- Still working to arrange a meeting with MPD and residents of Calif. Street re: thefts and break-ins
- Updating the Historic Designation for the neighborhood. Process starting this summer. If see pictures being taken of your homes, it's for this. People should be receiving letters from the company that SKHA has contracted for this task.
- Next ANC 2D Meeting will be on: Tuesday, September 15 at 7:00 pm in person or via zoom.

9. ADJOURNMENT

The meeting adjourned at 8:54 PM

COMMISSIONERS:

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Certification of Official Adoption

Respectfully submitted by Carole Feld, ANC 2D Chair and Secretary.

