



GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

Advisory Neighborhood Commission 2D

Regular Meeting Minutes

Monday, February 8th, 2021; 7:00 pm
Online via Zoom

Call to Order

Chair Ashley Warren called the meeting to order at 7:02 pm.

Establishment of Quorum

Commissioners Ashley Warren (2D01) and Hannah Untereiner (2D02) were present, establishing a quorum. There were 21 residents and visitors in attendance.

Approval of Agenda

Chair Warren moved to approve the ANC's meeting agenda. Commissioner Untereiner seconded the motion, which was voted on and passed (VOTES: 2-0-0).

Approval of January 2021 Meeting Minutes

Chair Warren moved to approve the ANC's January 2021 meeting minutes. Commissioner Untereiner seconded the motion, which was voted on and passed (VOTES: 2-0-0).

Administrative and Financial Matters

Commissioner's Comments

Chair Warren said that Commissioner Untereiner and herself have been reaching out to Councilmember Pinto's Office and the Mayor's Office to discuss DC's COVID vaccine distribution processes. She said that Commissioner Untereiner and herself have heard from many local residents regarding problems with DC's COVID vaccination website and the inability to secure vaccination appointments.

Treasurer's Report

Commissioner Untereiner said that the ANC's current checking account balance is \$12,750.38.

DC Government Reports

Metropolitan Police Department (Police Service Area 208)

Sergeant Aaron Rudolph and Officer Jeremy Brady, representatives for the Metropolitan Police Department's (MPD) Second District, gave an overview of the recent crime statistics for the neighborhood. Sergeant Rudolph said that MPD is currently focused on addressing motor vehicle thefts in the Second District.

Mayor's Office

Anna Noakes, a Ward 2 representative for the Mayor's Office of Community Relations and Services (MOCRS), gave an overview of the Mayor's four upcoming FY 2022 budget engagement forums. She also gave an overview of DC's efforts to increase the city's COVID vaccine allotments. She gave an overview of the statistics for the number of vaccine doses that DC has received and the number of vaccine doses that DC has delivered.

Ms. Noakes gave an overview of the upcoming calendar for the release of COVID vaccine appointments. She said that she can help any Ward 2 residents who do not have a computer or access to the internet with booking COVID vaccine appointments.

Councilmember's Office

Lamonté Pryor, the Scheduler and Executive Assistant for Councilmember Pinto's Office, said that Councilmember Pinto would like to be on the agenda for the ANC's March 2021 meeting to discuss the DC Council's upcoming FY 2022 budget process. He also gave an overview of the DC Council's current agency oversight process.

Mr. Pryor said that local residents can reach out to Brian Romanowski, the Constituent Services Coordinator for Councilmember Pinto's Office, if they are having trouble booking COVID vaccine appointments. He said that DC's leaf and holiday tree pickup process is continuing until February 19th. He also said that the Department of Parks and Recreation (DPR) is working to obtain the necessary equipment to have pickleball at Mitchell Park.

Old Business

Discussion Regarding Dogs Off-Leash in Mitchell Park

The commissioners and meeting attendees engaged in a discussion regarding the current state of dogs off-lease in Mitchell Park.

New Business

Public Space Application by the Embassy of Armenia for the Installation of a Statue at 2225 R Street NW

Commissioner Untereiner moved to adopt a proposed resolution regarding the matter. Chair Warren seconded the motion, which was voted on and passed (VOTES: 2-0-0). The resolution reads as follows:

ANC 2D supports the Embassy of Armenia's public space application for the installation of a statue at 2225 R Street NW.

Announcements

Rob Nevitt, the Chair of the Call Box Project, gave an overview of the work to restore the call box on Belmont Street NW, which has been repeatedly vandalized.

Holly Sukenik, a local resident, said that the Sheridan-Kalorama Combined Neighborhood Annual Meeting has been postponed until the fall due to COVID. She said that she has started the process of sending out the annual neighborhood mailing. She said that any local residents who have not received the annual neighborhood mailing in the past can email her at: hsukenik@hotmail.com.

Open Comments

There were not any open comments.

Date of Next Meeting

Peter Sacco, the ANC's Administrative Coordinator, said that the ANC's next meeting will take place on Monday, March 15th at 7:00 pm.

Adjournment

Chair Warren adjourned the meeting at 8:14 pm.