## **GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA**

**ADVISORY NEIGHBORHOOD COMMISSION 3A** 



# ANC 3A Public Meeting Agenda Tuesday, July 16, 2024 7:00 - 9:00 pm

This is a "hybrid" meeting (in-person and also available using virtual technology):
In-person meeting at McLean Gardens Ballroom, 3811 Porter Street NW, Washington, DC 20016
+ virtual link via Zoom. To join virtually, use: <a href="https://tinyurl.com/ANC3AJul2024Meeting">https://tinyurl.com/ANC3AJul2024Meeting</a>
See below for more information on attending remotely.

#### **MPD Community Report**

Discussion of two DDOT Notices of Intent (NOIs) for traffic safety improvements in ANC 3A01 DDOT has provided notice and opened a 30-day public comment period on two projects on Porter Street, following a Traffic Safety Investigation. Public comments are due by August 6 at 5 pm to DDOT, Project Delivery Administration, 250 M Street, SE, Washington, D.C. 20003, or email DDOT Engineer for the two projects, Adolfo Nino at: <a href="mailto:adolfo.nino@dc.gov">adolfo.nino@dc.gov</a>

- 1. NOI 24-163 Proposed safety improvements at Porter Street and 38th Street NW (ANC3A01) The intersection of 38th and Porter currently is a "Y" intersection with two-directional traffic on all three sides. DDOT is proposing to create a one-directional roundabout with more restricted area around the circle, crosswalks on all approaches, and parking set back the required 25-feet from a crosswalk. See <a href="https://ddotwiki.atlassian.net/wiki/spaces/NI/pages/2629533702/NOI+24-163-TESD">https://ddotwiki.atlassian.net/wiki/spaces/NI/pages/2629533702/NOI+24-163-TESD</a>
- 2. NOI 24-164 Proposed new crosswalk on Porter Street at Plattsburg Court NW (ANC3A01)

  A new crosswalk would be installed across Porter Street at the intersection to improve pedestrian safety. An estimated 5 parking spaces would be removed to provide the required 25-foot setback from the crosswalk. See https://ddotwiki.atlassian.net/wiki/spaces/NI/pages/2631172097/NOI-24-164-TESD

Public notice is required for changes that would affect traffic movement and/or parking. The ANC will ask for comments and consider a resolution on supporting the proposed changes. When the comment period closes, DDOT will review all comments, and could initiate implementation of the proposed modifications after closing of the comment period, pending weather conditions.

Discussion of DDOT NOI to reduce 30 mph speed limit to 25 mph on Wisconsin (Western to Cathedral) DDOT has issued a notice and opened a 30-day public comment period on a proposal to change the speed limits on Wisconsin between Western Avenue (at the DC-Maryland line) and Cathedral Avenue (just north of Massachusetts Avenue), through most of ANC 3A. The speed limit south of Massachusetts is already 25 mph. Comments are due by August 26 at 5 pm to DDOT, Project Delivery Administration, 250 M Street, SE, Washington, D.C. 20003, or email DDOT Engineer Kelly Jeong-Olson, <a href="kelly.jeong-olson1@dc.gov">kelly.jeong-olson1@dc.gov</a> See more details at: <a href="https://ddotwiki.atlassian.net/wiki/spaces/NI/pages/2652995587/NOI-24-189+TESD">https://ddotwiki.atlassian.net/wiki/spaces/NI/pages/2652995587/NOI-24-189+TESD</a>

# Presentation by DC Office of Planning on its plan to propose zoning changes to carry out the new Wisconsin Avenue Development Guidelines adopted in February 2024

Ron Barron and Maxine Roberts-Brown of the DC Office of Planning (OP) will speak about its work to develop proposed zoning changes to carry forward the principles in the Wisconsin Avenue Development Framework developed over the past 2 years with public review and comment by the ANC and others.

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Those guidelines were designed to carry forward the provisions of the DC Comprehensive Plan as amended in 2021. OP is hoping for "setdown" of the proposed zoning changes this September or October. That would start the Zoning Commission's public review and comment period on the proposals. An ANC is invited to file a setdown report, commenting on whether the issue is ready for setdown, and also to participate in the Zoning Commission case to consider the proposed zoning changes.

#### **Commissioner Updates**

- Report on WMATA July 9 Public Meeting in Ward 3 and Public Comments submitted by ANC 3A on WMATA's Proposed "Better Bus" Network for 2025
- DOEE Request for Suggestions of Electric Vehicle Charging Locations
- DC PSC order to dismiss Washington Gas proposed PROJECTpipes Phase 3, launch a new proceeding and request a new plan based on comments and questions raised by OPC, DC Council and the public
- Notice of Washington Gas work planned at 37<sup>th</sup> and Quebec Street NW starting as early as August 5

## **Community Announcements** (no more than 2 minutes per speaker or item)

Participants are invited to share information about events, programs or services affecting the community.

#### **Open Forum**

Members of the community are invited to share questions and comments.

#### **Administrative Matters**

- Approve June minutes
- Read June financial report
- Approve Quarterly Financial Report for 3<sup>rd</sup> Quarter FY2024

NOTE: For candidates running for ANC seats in the 2024 General Election, nominating petitions will be available from the DC Board of Elections starting July 1. Each candidate is required to collect petitions containing a total of at least 25 signatures of registered voters in the Single Member District and submit them to the Board of Elections by August 7 at 5 pm. The Board of Elections office is at 1015 Half Street SE, Suite 750, Washington, DC 20003. Office Hours Monday-Friday 8:15 am-4:45 pm. (202)727-2525.

Next meeting: Tuesday, September 17 (ANC 3A does not schedule a regular public meeting in August.)

For more information on the Commission, see: www.anc3a.org

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