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## **ADVISORY NEIGHBORHOOD COMMISSION 7E**

### **PUBLIC MEETING MINUTES**

Tuesday, March 11, 2025—Virtual and In-person  
6:00 pm

***PLEASE NOTE: In compliance with Roberts Rules of Order Newly Revised, 11<sup>th</sup> Edition, Section 48, page 468, the minutes of Advisory Neighborhood Commission 7E are a record of the actions taken by the Commission, not a record of what people said during the meeting. Accordingly, comments made by commissioners or members of the public are not recorded in detail for the purposes of these minutes.***

**CALL TO ORDER:** Meeting was called to order at **6:08 pm** by **Chair Dupee**

**ROLL CALL:** 7E01 – Dawn Cook; 7E02 – Aaron Harris; 7E03 – Gail Perkins; 7E04 – Natasha Dupee; 7E05 – VACANT; 7E06 – Ravi Perry; 7E07 – VACANT

**4 Commissioners were present** – 7E01, 7E04, 7E06

**ADOPTION OF MEETING AGENDA:** Commissioner Dupee called for any corrections to February 2025 meeting agenda. Meeting agenda was approved. 3 Y – 0 N

**ADOPTION OF LAST MEETING’S MINUTES:** Meeting minutes from Jan and Feb 2025 was approved. 3 Y – 0 N

#### **OFFICER REPORTS-**

**CHAIR** – Addressed concerned members of public with federal budget anxiety; noted the recent website [fedsupport.dc.gov](https://fedsupport.dc.gov) in the ANC 7E newsletter she previously sent via email. Highlighted a DC job fair for those who may be impacted by the federal issues at the end of the week and noted continuing Women’s History Month events, and events in Park and Rec. Noted Washington Gas lines updates and noted the prior commission was all women in recognition of Women’s history month. Update on Felder and Bowser’s RFK demolition meeting for 200+ acres; noted a powerpoint presented at the event is available in the ongoing discussion.

**SECRETARY** – Minutes available at our website; looking for more oral histories of residents that have ANC7E/Marshall Heights stories; working on locating the the oral histories collected by Marshall Heights Civic Association (grateful to Commissioner Harris for this detail). Will be sending out an email in our newsletter about a April or May cleanup as soon as the weather breaks – and for good!

**Noted recommendation to Felder's office about adding a direct access highway ramp to 295 from Ward 7/Minnesota Ave to avoid going around the stadium. Chair noted next RFK meeting is 3/26 at 6pm at St Coletta.**

**TREASURER – Hosted a slideshow presentation inclusive of the submitted quarter 2 financial report to OANC, and monthly expenses and disbursements. Noted we have not yet received our allotment and won't until our quarterly report is reviewed and approved by OANC.**

**Motion by Secretary Perry to accept the Treasurer's report and Quarter 1 and Quarter 2 financial reports. Seconded by Treasurer. Each motion passes 3-0**

**Chair moves to approve March meeting minutes in advance to ensure maximum allotment and timely OANC approval and submission. Motion passes 3-0.**

**Treasurer – Discusses eligible OANC grant submission from residents and encourages submissions for beautification projects, community-based programs, not individual projects – directs residents to 7E website for more details.**

#### **GUEST SPEAKER(S)**

- **Kisha Anderson | District Department of Transportation** (12 min)
- **Skye Webster |RiverSmart Homes** (10 mind)
- **Lawrence Davin | Office of Councilmember Wendell Felder** (4 mins)
- **Eric Mullings | Executive Office of the Mayor** (4 min)
- **Commander Jaron Hickman | Metropolitan Police Department** (6 min)
- **Aleja Cooper| CORE DC, The Horizon** (4 min)

#### **Reports**

**Metropolitan Police Department (MPD) – Commander Hickman provided recent statistics. There were no questions or concerns from the floor.**

- **Eric Mullings| Executive Office of the Mayor – April 15<sup>th</sup> Cedar Hill GW Medical Center Opening at St Elizabeth's East and the new RFK website, discussed National 311 Day and highlighted requests**
- **Lawrence Davin| Constituent Services - Councilmember Felder's office – various updates provided**



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Anderson addressed 7<sup>th</sup> Ave Southern Ave Corridor Safety Project Phase 2 with Amha Kelemework. A poerpoint was shared and many questions regarding the stop sign camera placed at Fitch SE and Southern Ave at 53<sup>rd</sup> St SE in addition to questions about the Southern Ave project were discussed.

**COMMUNITY FORUM** — Chair exited the meeting for pre-scheduled event; Treasurer took many questions as fielded from community members present in person as wi-fi and zoom disconnected.

#### **CHAIR, OFFICERS AND COMMITTEE REPORTS**

- **CHAIR'S REPORT** (Commissioner Natasha Dupee) No Report
- **VICE-CHAIR REPORT** (Commissioner Harris) – No Report
- **TREASURER'S REPORT** (Commissioner Dawn Cook) – Reported on monthly statement
- **PUBLIC SAFETY** (Gail Perkins)- No report
- **ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT** - No Report
- **EDUCATION COMMITTEE** (Commissioner Ravi Perry). Meetings are 2nd Wednesday of the month at 7pm; beginning in April 2025 via Zoom
- **TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE** – Meetings on 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday of the month

#### **OFFICIAL ACTIONS:**

DCRA, ABRA, DDOT – None  
 Zoning – None

**CONSENT AGENDA:** none

#### **NEW BUSINESS**

#### **COMMISSIONER UPDATES (upcoming events):**

- **7E01** – Commissioner Cook – No updates. Contact information provided again.
- **7E02** – Commissioner Harris – No updates. Contact information provided again.
- **7E03** – Commissioner Perkins – No updates.
- **7E04** – Commissioner Dupee – None
  - **7E05** – Vacant
  - **7E06** – Commissioner Perry – Issue with the alley on Ayers Place. Looking to conduct a April or May walk-through with the correct entities.
  - **7E07** – Commissioner Vacant

**ADJOURN:** Meeting adjourned at 8:05 pm by Treasurer Cook

**NEXT MEETING:** Aptil 8, 2025 at 6pm ET

Prepared by R. Perry

Approved on: April 8, 2025

Attested by:

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Natasha Dupel". The signature is written in black ink and is positioned below the "Attested by:" text.