

# Advisory Neighborhood Commission 2C

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Monthly Meeting Minutes

Monday, November 17<sup>th</sup> 2014

MLK Jr. Memorial Library, Room 470

Washington, DC

Call to order:

## Introduction

Commissioners present: Kevin Wilsey, Harold Closter and John Tinpe.

Commissioners absent: None.

Quorum was met. Commissioners, 3 out of 3 present.

## Approval of Agenda

Motion for approval of meeting agenda: Motion was approved, by 3 yeas and 0 nays.

## Approval of Monthly Meeting Minutes from ANC2C October Meeting

Motion to approve October Meeting Minutes: Approved by 3 yeas and 0 nays.

## Treasurer's Report

The previous balance was \$30,633.63. The allotment was \$1541.59. There were no expenses . Current balance is \$32,175.22. Motion to approve Treasurer's report was approved by 3 yeas and 0 nays.

## Brief Community Announcements and Presentations

1. PEPCO, Merger with EXELON from Chicago, presented by Donna Cooper  
A Public Service Commission hearing is to be held on Wednesday, December 17, 2014 from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. at 1333 H St NW Suite 700. Through the community is to get \$1.6 million over a 10 year period.
2. Public Security at 7<sup>th</sup> St and Gallery Place, presented by Chief Cathy Lanier, Captain Fitzgerald, Kelly O'Mara, Metropolitan Police Department  
The incident at Verizon Center on Halloween Night was gang related. There was the presence of MPD officers. The suspects were apprehended. The case is under investigation. From the ANC2C meeting discussion, Neighborhood and Police came to the agreement that,
  1. There will be a patrol car which will circulate the area at 10 p.m. All noise and public performances must cease at this time. Otherwise call 911 immediately.
  2. There will be police to apprehend juveniles in the area. In the District, juveniles are those under 16 years of age.

3. The Sons of Israel, protesters on H St, if they block the pedestrian way will be cited. There will be plain clothes Police Officer patrolling the place.
4. Neighbors and residents alike should push forward legislation, before Council, to pass laws governing noise and vagrancy.

## Local Events Impacting Community

1. Race to Respect, 5K, Saturday, May 30, 2015, by Gena Mitchell  
In its second year, this annual race is to benefit those with Down Syndrome. Road closures are to take place, from 3 a.m. to 12 noon, in the staging area. Closures on race course route are from 8:50 am to 11 am. Staging area re opens at 12 noon. 1500 participants expected. Motion to support the race was approved by 3 yeas and 0 nays.
2. Jingle All The Way 5K, Sunday, December 7, 2014, by Lee Ganados  
In its 27<sup>th</sup> year, this annual race start at 9 am from Freedom Plaza along Penn Ave. Street closures for staging begins at 5 am. Roads will re open at 11:30 am. Intersections are to stay open. The race will benefit Habitat for Humanity, in the effort to build affordable housing in DC. 7000 people expected to participate.
3. Little Leprechaun Das, St Patrick's Day 5K, Sunday, March 8, 2015, Lee Ganados  
This annual race is to take place on the same route as above race. Race begins at 9 am. Motion to support both races was approved by 3 yeas and 0 nays.
4. Macy's Holiday Window Unveiling and Bloc Party, Saturday, November 22, 2014, presented by Christina Fulton  
Stage show/bloc Party to take place, at 2 p.m. , at 12<sup>th</sup> and G St NW, in front of Macy's Department store. There is live entertainment. Motion to support event was approved by 3 yeas and 0 nays.
5. National Police Week Run, 5K, Saturday, May 9, 2015, presented by Mike Schultz  
This annual 5 K race is to take place from 5 am to 11 am. The National Building Museum's access will be close for one hour. Organizers will coordinate event with the museum. This race is to raise awareness and to honor law enforcement officers who gave their lives while serving in the line of duty. Proceeds from this race are donated to Concern Police Survivors and Officer Down Memorial Page, two organizations dedicated to supporting the lives of family members of those fallen soldiers. Motion to support race was approved by 3 yeas and 0 nays.
6. Race for Every Child, Saturday, October 3, 2015, presented by George Banker  
This is an annual race to raise \$1 million, to benefit the National Children's Hospital. Race begins at 8:30 a.m. and end at 10 a.m. at Freedom Plaza. 4500 participants are expected ,

including children and adults. Motion to support the race was approved by 3 yeas and 0 nays.

7. Cupid's Undie Run, Sunday, February 15, 2015, presented by A.J. Cook  
Originating in Washington, DC, this Valentine's Day event is to benefit the Children's Tumor Foundation. The event takes place outside the U.S. Capitol. 1500 people are expected to participate at 2p.m., on Sunday, February 15, 2015. Motion to support the race was approved by 3 yeas and 0 nays.

## **Alcohol Beverage Regulatory Licensing**

No items are on agenda for this month.

## **Planning, Zoning and Environment**

1. 608 and 626 I St. Alley Closing, Monument Realty, by Kirk Salpini and Brian Chung  
Applicant has dropped the plan to include buildings on H St. He has bridged over two alleys and added the mural element. A separate meeting with an interpreter is to take place on November 18<sup>th</sup> at Wah Luk House. Historical Preservation Review Board hearing is to take place on December 4, 2014. Motion to support the application was approved by 3 yeas and 0 nays.

## **Transportation/Public Space**

1. No items on the agenda.

Meeting adjourned.

Next meeting: Monday, December 8th, 2014 at 6:30 p.m. at MLK Library, Aud 3 (basement.)

