

GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

ADVISORY NEIGHBORHOOD COMMISSION 3B

GLOVER PARK AND CATHEDRAL HEIGHTS



ANC – 3B Minutes September 11, 2008

Vice-Chair Alan Blevins called the meeting to order at 7:05 p.m., noting the absence of Chair Melissa J. Lane and shared with those gathered, with sympathy, the passing of Madam Chair's father. A moment of silence was observed. Commissioner Cohen arrived at 7:10 p.m. and a quorum was established. The meeting's agenda was brought to fore. Under New Business, Commission Blevins withdrew from the Commission's consideration: a Resolution in Support of Friends of Guy Mason, to be introduced at a subsequent meeting. The agenda was moved (as amended) and properly seconded and passed by unanimous consent.

The Commissioner present were:

3B02 – Alan Blevins
3B04 – Horace Kreitzman
3B05 – Brian Cohen

2nd District Police Report

Lt. Neal reported the crime statistics for PSA 204 stating, overall crime was down while providing various incident categories, to substantiate the decrease in crime. Commissioner Cohen inquired about the recent sexual assault(s) including a Georgetown University student, in an incident that was widely publicized. Commissioner Cohen requested: a greater police presence and better communication with the overall Glover Park neighborhood, e.g., police participation in the various e-mail listserv(s).

Old Business

Update on Status of Glover Park Transportation Study. Mr. Chris Delfs of the District's Department of Transportation (DDOT) introduced himself and staff, and presented the latest version of the Department's proposed streetscape improvement plan(s); currently, there are two options/versions availing themselves for the public's review and comment. Version number one includes various modifications to existing streetscape structures while promoting greater parking options and beautification measures. Version number two also includes various modifications to existing streetscape structures, while introducing the concept of inserting a raised median-strip in the middle of Wisconsin Avenue, N.W. beginning (approx) at Whitehaven Street, N.W. and ending at Massachusetts Avenue, N.W. (or thereabouts). Various renderings (drawings) were displayed for the participants review, and a lively conversation ensued about the benefits and drawbacks to each respective option. No definitive consensus was reached nor was there a formal motion made to recommend either

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option. Rather, Mr. Delfs agreed to return while continuing to further work with the community's concerns, communications and efforts.

Update on Status of Renovation of Guy Mason Recreation Center. Ms. Sarah Moulton of the District's Department of Parks and Recreation introduced herself, and proceeded to discuss the current two proposals for the renovation of the Guy Mason Recreation Center. Both proposals have been available on the Department's website for the public's viewing. Ms. Moulton stated option number one was most supported by the feedback she's received. Ms. Moulton highlighted the parking lot will remain the same with the addition of ADA compliant spaces; the dog park will remain the same in its current location; the ball field and playground will remain the same in present location, the sports-court will be resurfaced and lighted; the building itself is being designed for "green-certification"; and there was hope for the new building to return as a polling place for elections. Ms. Moulton will return at a subsequent meeting to provide further information and plans.

New Business

Request for Special Zoning Exception for Addition to 2038 Tunlaw Road, N.W. Commissioner Blevins introduced a Resolution Supporting the Special Zoning Exception of Mr. John Tichy and Ms. Melissa Loughlin of 2038 Tunlaw Road, N.W., case number 17859 before the Board of Zoning Adjustment. Hearing no opposition from the public, the Resolution was so moved, properly seconded, and passed by unanimous consent. Commissioner Blevins will forward the executed Resolution to BZA with copy to applicants.

Administrative

Treasurer's Report

Commissioner Cohen moved the Treasurer's Report for Jul/08: the Opening Balance was \$16,957.36 with Withdrawals of \$4.68 (bank fees) and Deposits of \$0.00 to equal a Closing Balance of \$16,952.68. Petty cash opened with \$200 less \$56.42 equals an ending balance of \$143.58. The motion was properly seconded and passed by unanimous consent.

Commissioner Cohen moved the Treasurer's Report for Aug/08: the Opening Balance was \$16,952.68 with Withdrawals of \$92.14 (bank fees & phone bill) and Deposits of \$3,594.70 (allotment) to equal a Closing Balance of \$20,455.78. Petty cash opened with \$143.58 less \$45.73 equals an ending balance of \$97.88. The motion was properly seconded and passed by unanimous consent.

Commissioner Cohen moved the ANC 3B: FY 2009 Estimated Budget. The motion was properly seconded and passed by unanimous consent.

Commissioner Cohen moved Approval of the July Minutes. The motion was properly seconded and passed by unanimous consent.

Adjournment

A motion was made to adjourn. The motion was properly seconded and passed by unanimous consent.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:15 p.m.