## DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA GOVERNMENT ADVISORY NEIGHBORHOOD COMMISSION 5D



## PUBLIC MEETING MINUTES

July 9, 2013

Meeting was conducted according to Robert's Rules of Order

## Meeting was called to order at 7:03 pm.

Commissioner(s) in attendance – Peta-Gay Lewis, 5D01; India Henderson, 5D03; Bernice Blacknell, 5D04; and Kathy Henderson, 5D05.

Commissioner(s) absent – Vonetta Dumas, 5D02; Tina Laskaris, 5D06; and David Hooper, 5D07.

A quorum was met with four commissioners present however it was waived and no official actions of voting took place due to not providing proper notice of the meeting to constituents.

- Welcome and greetings were made by Chairperson Kathy Henderson.
- Treasurer report read by Treasurer India Henderson
  - o Commission was allotted \$27,203.88 from the District Government.
  - o One check was written for \$25.00 for Security Fund.
  - o Received an addition allotment of \$4082.66 from DC government on 5/23.
  - o Current account balance is \$31,261.54.
- Lt. Wright gave PSA report and took questions from Commissioners and citizens.
  - o 5<sup>th</sup> District tied for 3<sup>rd</sup> place in reduction of crime.
  - o Update on Michael Kingsbury case
  - Commissioner Kathy Henderson asked the appropriate protocol for community support in cases of missing persons – Question was answered by both Lt. Wright and Cpt. Wright.

- KIPP DC presentation followed by questions from Commissioners and citizens.
  - o Residents want to meet with construction team to discuss the negative impact on the community.
  - o Commissioner Lewis request they provide outreach in the Ivy City and neighboring communities to ensure local students have the opportunity to enroll.
- Announcements/Citizen concerns were discussed.
  - o Announcement of National Night Out event for Commission
  - o Car barn/Trolley question and Commission's position.

Meeting ended at 8:41 pm.

Respectfully Submitted,

Commissioner Peta-Gay Lewis, 5D01 Commission Secretary