

## ANC 2B February 12th Draft Motions Packet

### **General Agenda**

#### **Main Streets Proposal for Support for World Pride Block Party Programs (Randy Downs and Georgia Katinas)**

ANC 2B fully supports the WorldPride Programming plans as presented by Dupont Circler Main Streets, including: a special edition of the High Wheel Race; a 50th Anniversary Gay Pride Block Party; and, a Drag Brunch aiming to break the World Record for the Largest Ever Drag Brunch.

With 1.5B\$ in expected economic activity during WorldPride 2025, we fully recognize the role of alcohol consumption in these finances and activities. We urge innovative tactics to permit these activities including: multi-day exemptions, innovative licensing, and any special or permanent statutory changes to provide relief to our businesses.

#### **Resolution Regarding Permits for Use of DPR’s Stead Park for Friends of Stead Park Activities (5 mins)**

The Dupont Circle Advisory Neighborhood Commission (ANC 2B) is pleased to express its full support for the Friends of Stead Park’s (FOSP) permit applications for 2025. FOSP is a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization dedicated to enhancing and maintaining Stead Park as a welcoming, accessible, and vibrant community space. Through its programming, FOSP provides free public events that bring together families, children, and residents of Dupont Circle and beyond.

Each year, FOSP hosts a variety of community events, including seasonal festivals, outdoor movie nights, and family-friendly celebrations. The 2025 programming schedule will continue this tradition, ensuring that Stead Park remains an inclusive and engaging space for all. These events, which are always free and open to the public, align with the mission of the Stead Trust to serve the children of the District of Columbia and enrich the local community.

ANC 2B values the longstanding collaboration between the Friends of Stead Park and the Department of Parks and Recreation in making these events possible. We urge the approval of the necessary permits to allow these vital programs to continue, ensuring that Stead Park remains a hub for community engagement and enjoyment.

<b>Event</b>	<b>Proposed Date</b>
Spring Bunny Hop	April 19th
Mothers Day Event	Sat May 10th
Fathers Day Event	Sat June 14th

May Outdoor Movie Night	Sat May 10th
Pride Outdoor Movie	Thur June 5th
World Pride Family Fun Area	Thur June 5th- Sunday June 8th
June Outdoor Movie Night	Sat June 14th
July Outdoor Movie Night	Sat July 12th
Aug Outdoor Movie Night	Sat Aug 9th
Sep Outdoor Movie Night	Sat Sep 13th
Oct Outdoor Movie Night	Sat Oct 11th
Little Goblins Parade and Festival	October 25
Fall Festival - Thanksgiving	Sat Nov 22nd
Winter Festival	December 6th

Resolution Supporting Placemaking Initiatives in Advance of World Pride

ANC 2B fully supports the 17th Street place making efforts to support WorldPride 2025, including: installation of a parklet at 17<sup>th</sup> and Q ; painting of a street mural; replacing Jersey barriers with paintable planters; and the installation of light pole banners. ANC 2B recognizes these projects will take place as funds become available.

Authorization of Funds

ANC 2B authorizes the use of up to 5k\$ to purchase decorations from businesses within 2B for use within 2B to support placemaking efforts during WorldPride 2025.

ANC 2B authorizes 10k\$ to hire a consultant to craft a design plan for painting 17th Street and temporary decorations throughout the entirety of ANC 2B.

ANC 2B considers the selection and oversight of the consult to fall within the our view of the chair per current bylaws referencing business operations.

**Public Space and Transportation Agenda**

Public space application by Throne Labs for public bathroom in Dupont Circle (DDOT #462478) (2B02) (5 min)

WHEREAS, Throne Labs has applied to the District Department of Transportation (DDOT) for a permit to continue use of public space in the Dupont Circle park for a public restroom.

WHEREAS, ANC 2B is a longtime supporter of increasing public restroom availability in the Dupont Circle neighborhood and downtown DC.

WHEREAS, in April, 2024, ANC 2B unanimously supported Throne's application for the restroom pilot program at the same location.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that ANC 2B supports Throne's application to continue providing the restroom at the location on the southeast "bump" of Dupont Circle, on land controlled by DDOT.

### **Land Use Agenda (10 mins)**

#### **[1619 Massachusetts Avenue NW- New Campus Plan for Indiana University within the existing building on the Property \(ZC 24-17\) \(2B04\)](#)**

ANC 2B supports the Campus Plan Application of the Indiana University Foundation for the adaptive reuse of the building located at 1619 Massachusetts Ave NW (Square 181, Lot 850). The Indiana University Foundation is the contract purchaser of this building, presently owned by the Johns Hopkins University (DCOZ 24-17).

#### **[1740 Massachusetts Avenue NW- Embassy of the Republic of Poland to convert to a chancery use, an existing, detached, 8-story school building in the MU-1/DC Zone \(BZA #21267\) \(2B05\)](#) *To be determined***

### **Administrative Matters**

Approval of the ANC's Regular [January 2025 Meeting Minutes](#)

Appointment of the members of the ANC's Land Use Committee (LUC)

Appointment of the members of the ANC's Transportation and Public Space Committee (TPSC)

*Nominations:*

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