

Advisory Neighborhood Commission 6B
Transportation Committee Meeting
Wednesday, July 8, 2026
Report

1. Attendance
 - a. Resident Members: Shannon Ryan, Matt Clausen, Janice Kruger, Kirsten Oldenburg, Mike Litt
 - b. Commissioners: Tyler L. Wolanin (Chair), Gerald Sroufe, Brian Gorman, Karen Hughes
 - c. Public: Michael Bruggman
2. Noah Glasgow from DDOT regarding Shirley Chisholm Elementary Safe Routes to Schools / Digital Pioneers Academy
 - a. DDOT met with Digital Pioneers June 24th: uses 11th St. for morning dropoff only, gate locked after. Can't use 12th St. entrance because that side can't process kids securely. Alleyway also has private residents.
 - b. Next steps: awaiting Safe Routes to School Action Plan publication soon. DDOT prioritizing implementation of 10th St. safety measures for Shirley Chisholm, including sign installation starting today. DDOT will coordinate with stakeholders to address 11th St. SE issues. DC Council approved FY27 funding for 11th St. SE two-way protected cycle track from Lincoln Park to I St. SE. D4 Ramp Project proposing two-way cycle track on west side of 11th St. SE from O St. SE to I St. SE. Bike rack relocations planned. DMPSJ and MPD advised Digital Pioneers to use 11th St. a couple of years ago, DDOT requesting reevaluation of current safety conditions. Redesignate space from ROP to pickup/dropoff? Ruled out by DDOT as not workable due to queueing issues, especially if bike lane is incoming.
 - c. Feedback: Bruggman (neighbor): glad pickup/dropoff zone is being dropped. Cycle track going to be on west side of street? Noah: probably. Bruggman: Also happy with bike racks, but issue is school is very car-focused. Wolanin: enforcement authority? DPW would provide day-of enforcement for any parking issues, but DDOT can try to reconfigure infrastructure based on feedback.
3. NOI 26-256-MPDD – Contraflow Bike Lane on 500 Block of 2nd St. SE
 - a. Input from 6B01 constituent Stephanie Roa (via email): potential for increased cyclist-motorist conflicts; insufficient improvements to intersection visibility; loss of on-street parking without clear safety benefit; accommodating pickups, deliveries, short-term stopping.
 - b. Hughes: where does NOI come from? Noah: part of Garfield Park circulation study – connect Prospect and Garfield with bike connection. Crosswalk comes from being in a school zone. Hughes: work to change bike lane? Noah: will ask bike team. Protected bike lane would remove even more parking.
 - c. Hughes: in support of daylighting, even if parking is an issue. Safety improvement.
 - d. (Wolanin/Sroufe) NOI feedback: request increased visibility and moving bike lane to east side of 2nd (8-0-1)
2. Raised crosswalk at 2nd St. and South Carolina Ave. SE
 - a. Ryan: request is from Capitol Hill Day School. DDOT will be repaving 200 block of SC Ave. SE (timeline unclear but likely summer). Crossing SC at intersection with 2nd, across from cement block paving, No TSI yet but will send ASAP. Hughes: anything in Garfield Park Traffic Study? Ryan: will check.

- b. (Wolanin/Hughes) include in NOI 26-256-MPDD (9-0-0)
- 2. South Carolina Ave. school zone parking hours
 - a. Ryan: zone starts at 8 AM but arrival time is earlier than 8 AM. Would like to change No Parking from 8-6 to 7 AM to 6 PM M-F.
 - b. Sroufe: what about people who don't drive to work and leave their car as long as possible? 7 could be too early. Even 7:30. Hughes/Clausen: discussion with neighbors? Ryan: not yet.
 - c. (Wolanin/Hughes) support sending letter; motion then withdrawn. Reconsider issue at September meeting.
- 2. Polling results for Potomac Ave. Circle renaming
 - a. Hughes: 668 votes now: Roberta Flack 403, Catlett 174, Mitchell 91. Instant runoff produces: Flack 468 to 200 Catlett.
 - b. (Hughes/Wolanin) ANC send letter to Cmb. Allen recommending Council support for Roberta Flack. 8-0-1.
- 2. ANC input on petition for DC traffic controlling measures: (Wolanin/Sroufe) table (7-0-2)
- 3. Informal discussion:
 - a. Hughes: 700 block of 13th St. letter for traffic calming measures for September