

## **Introductions**

### GW Attendees, Office

- Kevin Days, OGCR
- Gabrielle Sosa, OGCR
- Christy Anthony, SRR
- Brian Snyder, FPCM
- Adam Aaronson, FPCM
- Maralee Cseller, M&C
- Chief James Tate, GWPD
- John Ralls, FPCM

### Community Attendees

- Barbra Kahlow, WECA
- Sarah Maddux, WECA
- Ed Comer, ANC 2A04 Commissioner
- John George, FBA Commissioner
- Christopher Brick, Community Member
- Helen Sheridan, Community Member
- Theresa Mathews, Community Member
- Sadie Corneilus, FBA Member
- John Seichter, WECA
- Dr. Heidi Ullmann, Pan American Health Organization
- Rory Quealy, GW Hatchet
- Ella Mitchell, GW Hatchet

## **Introductions**

- Days asked GW staff and community members to introduce themselves.

## **Fall 2024 Semester Overview**

- Days reviewed the GW Academic Calendar for Summer and the beginning of the
  - There were no questions from the community.

## **Public Safety Update**

- Chief Tate provided a public safety update. Said that the last meeting of the advisory group was postponed and was being rescheduled. He said this delayed Phase 3 of the arming of the GWPD. The phase of the program would not begin until after the advisory meetings resumed.
  - There were no questions from the community.

## **Community Benefits Overview**

- Sosa provided a brief overview of the Fall 2024 Course Audit Program and how to obtain a Friends of GWorld Card.

- Sadie Cornelius asked if access to the MVC Tennis Courts were included as a community benefit.
- Days said that it was not currently included in the benefits, but that he would see if it could be added to the roster of benefits. Days also said that the university did have plans to replace those courts.

### **Student Affairs Updates**

- Anthony provided a brief overview of off-campus reports of student misconduct. Reported that her office had 12 reports last academic year.
  - John George asked how the reports were counted. Anthony indicated that the number reflects the number of incidents and not the number of students or reports received by the office.
  - John George asked to be reminded where to find the annual reports. Days shared that the reports are housed on our website and posted the link in the chat.
  - Barbara Kahlow stated that this report was part of a larger report that the university submitted as part of its 2007 plan and mentioned that John Ralls use to hand deliver the report. Days said that the university would strive to get the report to Ms. Kahlow in a timely manner.
- Anthony stated that her office was changing its name to her office to the Office of Conflict Education and Student Accountability on August 1. She said the core functions of the office would not change. She shared the new website, which will be active beginning August 1.

### **Construction Management & Campus Planning**

- Aaronson discussed revised design for the I Street Mall Renovation Project. He noted that the university now planned to lower the existing beds and would add tables and chairs with umbrellas to address the community's concerns about shade. Aaronson said that the university would be reaching out to other interested stakeholders, including the Farmers Market, the Kennedy Center and DDOT.
  - Ms. Kahlow asked who the university had contacted at DDOT and who at DDOT would be signing off on the university's plan. Sosa responded that we have been in contact with Christan Pineiro and Christophe Wassmer at DDOT. Ms. Kahlow reiterated that asked who at DDOT would be approving the university's plan. Days said these individuals were the university's DDOT contacts and that Ms. Kahlow should direct her question to DDOT.
  - Ed Comer indicated that although he understood goals, he was disappointed that the university had not been more creative about addressing the community's concerns about shade.
  - John George asked if the trees on the mall were heritage and if so, he recommended that we work with the DC Arborist to make sure we save them. Aaronson said he did not believe the trees met that standard, but that the university would check.
- Snyder provided an update on facilities projects with a community impact. These projects included work being performed at University Yare, and closure of 22<sup>nd</sup> Street

between H and I to deliver roofing materials to the Science and Engineering Hall, and the HVAC renovation at Gelman Library would be wrapping out and that it was set to reopen on August 12.

- There were no questions from the community.

### **Sustainability Updates**

- Sosa provide a brief overview of the new partnership between the Department of Public Works and GW Office of Sustainability concerning the posting of a Metrostor compost collector at Kogan Plaza.
  - Christophor Brick asked a question about getting one of the small composting bins. Sosa said she did not know and would follow up with GW Office of Sustainability.

### **Community Forum**

- Ms. Kahlow asked once again about what the university was doing about Rabbi Yudi Steiner. She indicated that she had been told that the university was dealing with the issue but that she saw no progress.
  - Days said he would reach out to OGC.
- Helen Sheridan asked about the university's plans for addressing security concerns during the upcoming school year. She was particularly interested in whether the university intended to retain the fencing around the University Yard and whether the university was planning to take any security measures for the upcoming elections.
  - Days said we would provide the questions to Chief Tate and get back to her with answers.
- Dr. Heidi Ullmann made a brief announcement about the Pan American Health Organization Walk for Health Event, scheduled for September 29, at 9 am.

### **Final Slides**

- Days reviewed the online resources and important contact information for the university.
- Days announced the next meeting date for CPAC would be Monday, September 16, 2024.

### **Adjournment**

- Meeting adjourned at 7:28 pm.