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Facilities Planning

2021 Mount Vernon Campus Planning
Community Engagement
March 10, 2021 – 7 pm



Agenda

- Welcome & Introductions
- Process Overview
- Working Group Timeline
- Current Issues/Concerns
- Important Online Resources
- GW Community Engagement Contact Information
- Next Working Group Dates

Welcome & Introductions

- Working Group committee members:
 - Stephen Gardner
 - Penny Pagano
 - Maxine Weinstein
 - Virginia Gorsevski
 - Pierre Oury
 - Jessica Herzstein (updates only)
 - Brian Snyder (Dir. Facilities Resources and Planning)
 - Andrew Lundt (Asst. Athletic Director)
 - David Dent (AVP FPCM) - Chair
- *Role?*
- *How Long?*
- *Strengths & Interest?*
- *One HOPE?*

Welcome & Introductions (cont.)

- Your role in your neighborhood OR at GWU?
- How long have you been at GWU/in neighborhood?
- Strengths and interests you bring to the working group?
- One HOPE you have for the partnership and this Working Group?
- Assignment of Working Group neighbor Co-Chair.

Process Overview

- Create a format for discussion, information sharing, and problem-solving
- Cooperative and beneficial dialogue and shared analysis on opportunities to improve operations and community relationships
- Working Group focus on collaboration around plans and issues related to:
 - Physical campus facilities
 - Existing and proposed development,
 - Landscaping
 - Renovations
- Alignment with roles, responsibilities and ground rules for Working Group

Process Overview (cont.)

- Next steps:
 - Review existing 2010 Campus Plan
 - Discuss existing 2010 Campus Plan conditions and status
 - Strategic Campus & Facilities Master Plan Big Ideas discussion for Mount Vernon Campus
 - Topology and accessibility
 - Stormwater management
 - Road network
 - Student recreation and wellness
 - Development of urban retreat
 - Principles for creating a new Campus Plan

Working Group Timeline

	Facilities Planning	Student Life & Safety	Transportation & Parking	Community Engagement
March	3/10/2021	3/18/2021	3/24/2021	3/31/2021
April	4/8/2021	4/14/2021	4/22/2021	4/28/2021
May	5/6/2021	5/12/2021	5/20/2021	5/26/2021
June	6/9/2021	6/17/2021	6/23/2021	6/30/2021
July	7/8/2021	7/14/2021	7/22/2021	7/28/2021
August	8/5/2021	8/14/2021	8/19/2021	8/25/2021
September	9/2/2021	9/8/2021	9/16/2021	9/30/2021

All meeting will be virtual and start at 7:00 pm. Additional meetings will be scheduled if needed.

Current Issues/Concerns

- Actions items from 2/25/21 Quarterly Community Meeting update:
 - Hand Chapel mechanical equipment noise
 - Sound attenuation and vegetative buffering being installed
 - Landscape buffer along W Street
 - Additional landscape buffering being installed spring 2021 to increase densification and replace dead vegetation
 - Fence/gate downstream from Hand Chapel
 - Continue to provide preventative maintenance and repairs
 - Noise from athletic field adjacent to West Hall
 - Additional landscape buffering being installed spring 2021 to increase densification west of field

Important Online Resources

Mount Vernon Campus Plan

go.gwu.edu/MVCPlan2021

Newsletter signup

go.gwu.edu/mvcneighborssignup

Online Reporting Tool

go.gwu.edu/onlinepublicreport

Bicentennial

bicentennial.gwu.edu

MVC Community Feedback:

[Community Feedback](#)

**GW COVID-19 Response, Spring
Planning & FAQs:**

coronavirus.gwu.edu

coronavirus.gwu.edu/top-faqs

GW COVID-19 Dashboard:

coronavirus.gwu.edu/dashboard

GW Community Engagement Contact Information

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