

# American University Community Liaison Committee

November 28, 2023

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## Agenda:

- Introductions and Opening Remarks
- Standing Reports:
  - Off-Campus Student Conduct
  - Community Relations Update
  - Construction Update
  - Transportation and Parking
  - Enrollment and Housing
- New Business and Neighborhood Items
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## **Ground Rules:**

- Respect the Process
- Be Present and Engaged
- Follow the Facilitators' Directions
- Allow Every Voice to be Heard
- Speak Courteously and Respectfully to Others
- Maintain Zero Tolerance for Any Comment (Verbal or Written) that is Meant to Attack or Intimidate Another Person, or is Obscene



## Off-Campus Student Conduct November 28, 2023



For the period of September 2, 2023 – November 27, 2023, the Office of the Dean of Students has received 9 reports of disruptive off-campus behavior.

7 reports from single family homes: AU Park – 2 Colony Hill – 2 Palisades – 1 Tenleytown – 2

2 reports regarding apartment/condo communities McLean Gardens – 2

7 reports involved complaints of noise/parties/gatherings2 reports involved concerns about the physical environment of the property

During the same period last year, there were 11 reports



### Actions Taken:

- 1 report was referred to Office of Student Accountability and Restorative Practices (OSARP)
- 7 reports were resolved through a meeting with the Dean of Students (DOS)
- 1 report did not involve any AU students

- \* AUPD responded to and reported on 4 complaints regarding activity on Horace Mann Elementary playground not associated with any specific student
- \*\*Follow-up from last meeting: There are 8 off-campus fraternity and sorority houses registered with the Center for Student Involvement



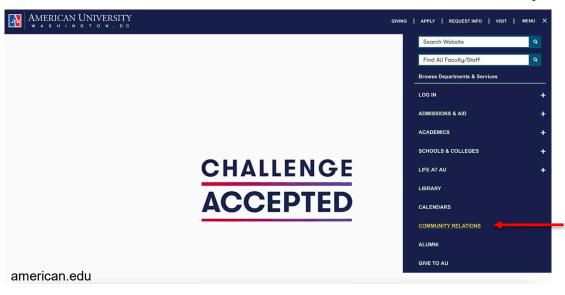
## Community Relations Update November 28, 2023



### **Community Relations Update**

## Updates:

Community Relations Office linked to main American University webpage



- AU Neighborhood Partnership
  - Orientations Completed and Zoom recordings are online
  - Working groups meeting regularly

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## **Community Relations Update**

## **Updates (continued):**

- Community Programs
  - Athletics team clinic (Sept. 16)
  - Fall Moonlight Arboretum Tour (Oct. 27)
  - Community Movie Night (Oct. 27)
  - Supported and Attended:
    - Horace Mann Elementary Events
    - Palisades House Tour (Oct. 14)
    - Metropolitan Police 2D banquet (Nov. 16)





Photo courtesy of William Clarkson





## **Community Relations Update**

## **Updates (continued):**

- Campus Plan Commitments
  - Apartment Community visits, 20-31, Condition 42(c)
    - Visited and spoke with 9 apartment complexes
    - Had phone conversations with 5 apartment complexes
  - Off-Campus Student Orientation, 20-31, Condition 42(a)
    - (99.05% completion, remainder referred to Student Conduct)
  - Eagle Living Guide review, 20-31, Condition 42(e)
  - Jacobs Field Quarterly Sound Monitoring Report, 20-31A, Condition 4(g)
    - Covers September November 2023
    - <u>https://www.american.edu/communityrelations/neighborhood-partnership/neighborhood-partnership-documents.cfm</u>
- Meltzer/SCAN Community Outreach (<u>tinyurl.com/MOutreach</u>)





### **Community Relations Update**

## **Updates (continued):**

AU in the Neighborhood Newsletter Refreshed Look and Design



October 30, 2023

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#### Join the AU Neighborhood Partnership

Please consider joining the AU Neighborhood Partnership which works to provide a consensus-based forum to resolve issues affecting the communities near American University, Interested members of the community may join one of the Partnership's five standing working groups, comprising community stakeholders and AU leadership. If you would like to become a member of a working group, please email <u>communityrelations@american.edu</u>.

#### EVENTS

Athletics

#### 10/31/23 Event Name

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#### Performing Arts

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- Transition in Community and Government Relations Office
  - Contact information: gwen@american.edu



## Construction Updates November 28, 2023



# Meltzer Center/SCAN Updates



## Meltzer Center/SCAN

## <u>Updates:</u>

- Zoning Order Issued: November 15, 2023.
- Building Permits Submitted: TBD.



# **Jacobs Field Sound Barrier**



## **General Updates**

- Zoning Order effective: May 12, 2023.
- Building permit application submitted: May 12, 2023.
- Building permit received: September 21, 2023.
- Construction start: October 9, 2023.
- Estimated substantial completion: January 2024.
- Weekly updates are being provided to 4710 Woodway Lane.

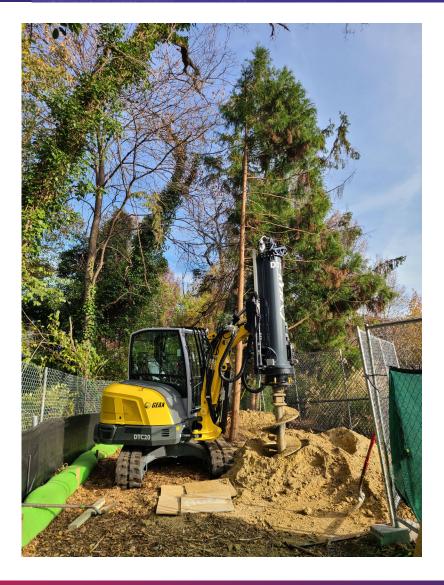
## Zoning Order 20-31A Conditions Compliance Updates

- X 3.A.i. Master Schedule Shared (6/1/23, 10/11/23 (Revised)).
- X 3.A.ii Designated Representative Contact Info Shared (6/13/23, 10/20/23 (Resent)).
- **X** 3.C.i Temporary Construction Fence Installed (10/23/23).
- **X** 3.D.i. Landscape Architect Consultation (10/3/23).



## Jacobs Field Sound Barrier





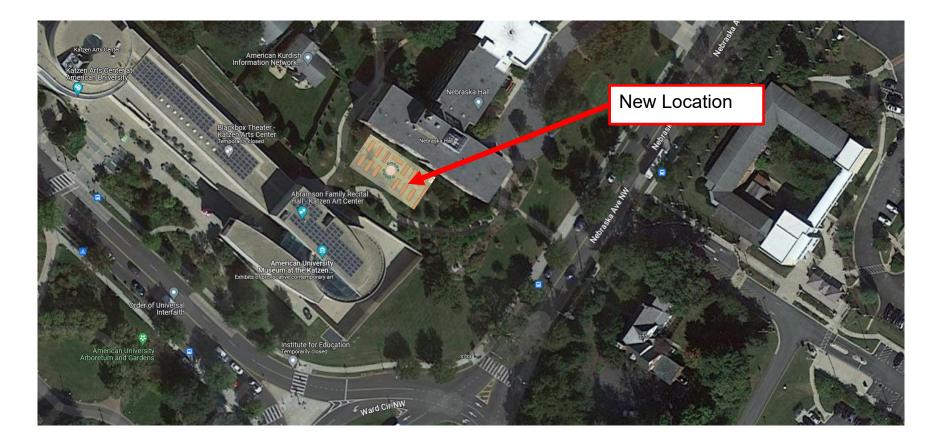


# **Community Garden Relocation**



### **Community Garden Relocation**

## **Location**





### **Community Garden Relocation**

## **Concept Design**





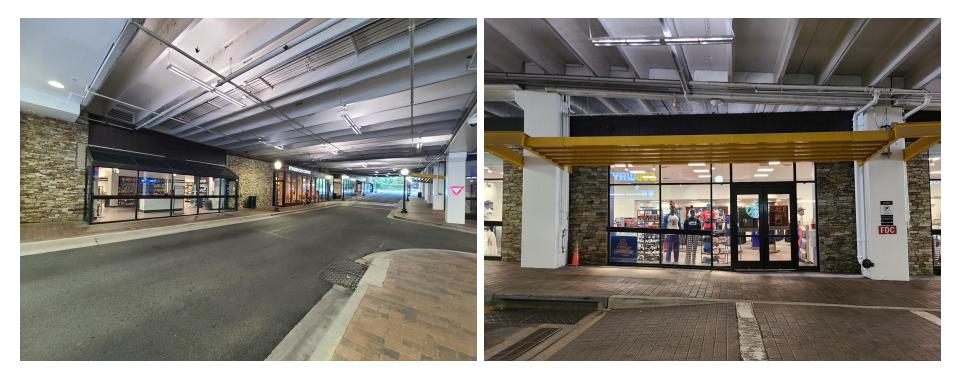
## **Design Features**

- Raised planting beds.
- 6' tall fence with gate access.
- Central gathering area (for talks, training, education, etc...).
- Small shed for garden tools and supplies.
- Water source.





## **Eagle Express and Campus Store**





## **Subway and Starbucks**





## **Qdoba (Tunnel) and Panera (Mary Graydon Center)**





# **Army Corps of Engineers**



## **Public Safety Building**

- Retaining wall work is behind original schedule. Work will now begin week of November 27, 2023.
- Excavation & Backfill work will continue through May 2024. Team will take Holiday breaks.
- Final Restoration Advisory Board (RAB) meeting held in October.
- Presentations and updates can be found online:
  - <u>https://www.american.edu/usace/project-updates.cfm</u>
  - <u>https://www.nab.usace.army.mil/Home/Spring-Valley/</u>
- Army Corp of Engineers contact: Dan Noble, <u>Dan.G.Noble@usace.army.mil</u> Office phone: (443) 986-3450



## Army Corps of Engineers





## Transportation and Parking November 28, 2023



## Tickets Issued August 23, 2023 – November 27, 2023

Main Campus, WCL, Spring Valley		
Street/Neighborhood	Tickets Issued	
Rockwood Parkway - Spring Valley	54	
45 <sup>th</sup> Street - Wesley Heights	27	
Warren Street - AU Park	5	
Yuma Street - AU Park	0	
Nebraska Avenue - Bordering campus	3	
42 <sup>nd</sup> Street - AU Park	0	
46 <sup>th</sup> Street	0	
University Avenue - Spring Valley	0	
Methodist Church	0	
40 <sup>th</sup> Street - AU Park	0	
All Other *	26	
Total	115	

#### \*<u>Other</u>:

39<sup>th</sup> Street 40<sup>th</sup> Street 41<sup>st</sup> Street 43<sup>rd</sup> Street 44<sup>th</sup> Street 47<sup>th</sup> Street 48<sup>th</sup> Street 49<sup>th</sup> Street Albermarle Street Cathedral Avenue Fordham Road Glenbrook Road Klingle Street Lowell Street Loughboro Road Massachusetts Avenue Macomb Street Newark Street New Mexico Avenue Sedgwick Street Springdale Street Springdale Street Tilden Street Upton Street Van Ness Street Verplanck Street Veazey Street Wesley Seminary Windom Place Yuma Street



Transportation and Parking – Scooters

### **Dockless Companies in the District**



You will need the vehicle number of any vehicle you are reporting. These can be found on the vehicle's QR code. All companies also have support buttons in their apps, which would allow you to scan the vehicle's QR code and submit the support request instantly. Pictures of the scooter may also be required.



## **Company Support Contact Information**

Name	Phone Number	*Email/Link
Lime	888-546-3345	support@li.me
Lyft	877-452-6699	https://lft.to/lbs-support
Spin (AU Partner)	888-249-9698	support@spin.pm
Veo	855-836- 2256	hello@veoride.com
DDOT	202-673-6813 (general)	dockless.mobility@dc.gov

\*When contacting a scooter company via email, please copy parking@american.edu



## Enrollment and Housing November 28, 2023



### 2023 Enrollment & Student Housing

### Student Enrollment

Main Campus, 4801 Massachusetts,<br/>4200 Wisconsin, 3201 New Mexico1:9,718Tenley Campus:1,388Total:11,106

#### 2021 Campus Plan, Condition 5

Overall Enrollment Cap:14,380Tenley Enrollment Cap:2,000

### Main Campus Enrollment

Full-time Undergraduate Students:	6,919
Graduate Students:	2,147
Other (e.g. part-time, non-degree):	<u>652</u>
Total:	9,718

2021 Campus Plan Student Housing Requirement		
On-Campus Capacity:	4,152	
Triples:	330	
Qualified Master Lease (The Frequency)	200	
Total Beds Available:	4,682	
Full-time Undergraduate Enrollment: Percentage of Student Housing Provided:	6,919 67.67%	
Condition 13 Requirement:	67%	

<sup>1</sup>Note: No courses were offered at 4200 Wisconsin Avenue or 3201 New Mexico Avenue in Fall 2023



## New Business and Neighborhood Items November 28, 2023



## **Future CLC Dates:**

- Tuesday, March 5, 2024
- Monday, June 3, 2024

CLC Website: https://www.american.edu/communityrelations/clc/