American University
Community Liaison Committee

March 5, 2024
Agenda:

• Introductions and Opening Remarks
• Standing Reports:
  • Off-Campus Student Conduct
  • Construction Update
  • Transportation and Parking
  • Community Relations Update
• New Business and Neighborhood Items
• Good of the Order
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
March 5, 2024
REPORTS:

For the period of November 29, 2023 – March 5, 2024 the Office of the Dean of Students has received 4 reports of disruptive off-campus behavior.

3 reports regarding single family homes
   1 – AU Park
   1 – Spring Valley
   1 - Wesley Heights

1 report regarding apartment/condo communities
   1- City Ridge

All 4 were regarding noise/parties/gatherings.

During the same period last year, there were 9 reports.
ACTIONS TAKEN:

1 report was referred to Office of Student Accountability and Restorative Practices (OSARP) (formerly Student Conduct)

1 report was resolved through a meeting with the Dean of Students (DOS)

1 report did not involve an AU student

1 report was a high school student having their Sweet 16 celebration
Construction Updates
March 5, 2024
Meltzer Center/SCAN Updates
Updates

- The main building permit has not yet been received.
- Tennis and basketball courts have closed.
- Community garden has closed.
- Locating and verification of site utilities underway.
- Construction activities will begin as soon as possible following groundbreaking ceremony.*
- The building is now planned to be AU’s 1st LEED Platinum building.

*Final dates TBD and pending release of required permits
Updated Renderings
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Sign Up for Construction Updates

Or go to
http://tinyurl.com/MOutreach
Jacobs Field Sound Barrier
Progress Photos

2/20/24
Community Garden Relocation
Location

Note: Approximately 30 people per week estimated to be present at previous location.
Progress Photos

2/15/24
Progress Photos

2/16/24
Reeves Field Replacement
Existing Conditions

- The Reeves Field grass surface system has failed and is no longer functioning as required.
- Urgent maintenance replacement of the surface and drainage system is needed.
- Reeves Field and the track will be unavailable for use in part or in entirety during the work.

*Note: Closure of Reeves Field was already expected because of the Meltzer Center/SCAN project.*
Site Safety and Control Measures (Phase I)

February 2024 - August 2024
Site Safety and Control Measures (Phase II)

September 2024 - September 2025
Army Corps of Engineers
ACOE Work Near Fletcher Gate

- Stained soil and munitions debris uncovered near Fletcher Gate
  - The debris is not considered explosive or hazardous
    - Munition shells discovered with no fuse, accelerant, or explosive material
- All tests on the items for residual chemical agents are also negative
- Army Corp of Engineers contact: Dan Noble, Dan.G.Noble@usace.army.mil  Office phone: (443) 986-3450
Transportation and Parking
March 5, 2024
**Scooters**
- AU is working with Lime and has updated geofencing of main campus.
- Updated Lime map features cutouts/incentives for users to end trips and park scooters at campus bike racks to help mitigate clutter on the edges of campus and surrounding neighborhoods.
- AU partner SPIN to reinforce similar maps/restrictions, which includes parking/staging corals.
- Both Spin & Lime continue to include in-app messaging on proper rider safety and parking as well as administer fines and penalties for violations.

**RideShare Pick-Up/Drop-Off (PUDO)**
AU has gotten Lyft/Uber to enforce campus PUDO locations:
- Cutout in front of Hughes Hall
- Nebraska Hall
- East Campus Surface Lot – Next to Constitution Hall
- South-Side – Across from Lower-Level Letts Hall
Capital Bikeshare

• Scheduled to replace Mass Ave. 15-dock station on March 14, as part of their "State of Good Repair" efforts.
• Completed environmental review process for Rockwood Parkway Station. On track as part of the Meltzer construction plan.
• Additional station to be placed in Spring Valley. Final location TBD.

-Next TAP meeting scheduled for March 12.
## Transportation and Parking – Off-Campus Parking Enforcement

**Tickets Issued November 28, 2023 – March 5, 2024 (5 p.m.)**

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*Other:*

- 39th Street
- 40th Street
- 41st Street
- 43rd Street
- 44th Street
- 47th Street
- 48th Street
- 49th Street
- Albermarle Street
- Cathedral Avenue
- Fordham Road
- Glenbrook Road
- Kingle Street
- Lowell Street
- Loughboro Road
- Massachusetts Avenue
- Macomb Street
- Newark Street
- New Mexico Avenue
- Sedgwick Street
- Springdale Street
- Tilden Street
- Upton Street
- Van Ness Street
- Verplanck Street
- Veazey Street
- Wesley Seminary
- Windom Place
- Yuma Street
Parking Follow Up

OLLI steps being taken:

1. Require all in-person course attendees to sign an attestation that they have received and are aware of the AU “Good Neighbor” policy

2. Increased signage
   a. Two new physical signs in prominent spaces
   b. Digital signage in social space and 5th floor lobby

3. Prominent placement of AU “Good Neighbor” policy on OLLI website and newsletter

4. Announcements made by our classroom volunteers in each course for the first two full weeks of classes and periodic announcements, thereafter

5. Reminder of the AU “Good Neighbor” policy in all OLLI public meetings (fall and spring) and for all special events

6. Advertising campaign about the parking app – bottlenecks at the kiosks are one of the barriers to people using the garage.
Community Relations Update
March 5, 2024
Updates:

• New AVP for Community and Government Relations, Laura Marks

• Campus Plan Commitments
  • Jacobs Field Quarterly Sound Monitoring Report, Condition 4(g)
  • [https://www.american.edu/communityrelations/neighborhood-partnership/neighborhood-partnership-documents.cfm](https://www.american.edu/communityrelations/neighborhood-partnership/neighborhood-partnership-documents.cfm)

• Upcoming Community Programs
  • Moonlight Arboretum Tours
  • Family Movie Nights
  • Lacrosse Free Kid's Clinic (March 30)

• Spring Commencement Dates
  • Friday, May 10 and Saturday, May 11
New Business and Neighborhood Items
March 5, 2023
Future CLC Dates:

• Monday, June 3, 2024

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