



ADVISORY NEIGHBORHOOD COMMISSION 3-C
GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

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Minutes of Regularly Scheduled Public Meeting
Held January 22, 2001

1. The ANC 3-C held its regularly scheduled meeting on Monday, January 22, 2001, at the 2d District Police Station, 3320 Idaho Avenue, NW, Washington, DC. Comm. Opacinch called the meeting to order at approximately 8:00 p.m., immediately following the 2d District's PSA.
2. All nine commissioners were present. A quorum was thereby established. Each of the nine commissioners was present for all actions and decisions undertaken by the Commission at the meeting.
3. All commissioners verified verbally that they had been sworn in.
4. All commissioners verified verbally that they had posted public notices of the meeting as required.
5. All commissioners, new and returning, introduced themselves to community members in attendance.
6. Election of officers. The following Commissioners were elected officers: Comm. MacWood, Chair; Comm. Bartel, Vice Chair; Comm. Rohde, Secretary; Comm. Hyde, Treasurer. Each candidate was elected by acclamation.
7. Comm. Opacinch turned control of the meeting over to the new Chair, Comm. MacWood.
8. Community Forum. Liquor license renewal of Atomic Billiards was discussed. No action was taken on the renewal. The Chair was authorized by the other commissioners (moved by Comm. Vorndran) to send a letter to the District of Columbia ABC Board urging the agency to properly notify liquor license applicants of the Advisory Neighborhood Commission's role in the application process.
9. ANC 3-C Resolution No. 2001-001, attached, relating to ANC 3-C payments to third parties, moved by Comm. Hyde, was approved by acclamation.
10. The Vigorelli Restaurant. Comm. Welsh introduced a resolution on the glass enclosure to the roof deck of The Vigorelli of 3421 Connecticut Avenue, NW. Comm. Opacinch seconded. The Commission sought and received input from the community. Community speakers included Pierre Mattia, owner, and Nancy Skinkle, representing the Cleveland Park Historical Society Architectural Review Committee. Friendly amendments offered by Comms. MacWood and Opacinch accepted. Resolution 2001-02, attached, passed by a voice vote of eight to zero, with Comm. Bartel abstaining.
11. Calendar of regularly scheduled meetings. Comm. MacWood announced a list of calendar dates at which ANC 3-C would hold the remainder of its regularly scheduled

- meetings for calendar year 2001. ANC 3-C will meet the fourth Monday of every Monday, except during the months of May and December 2001, when ANC 3-C will meet on the third Monday of the month.
12. The Commission took a brief recess.
 13. Klingle Road I. Comm. Rohde introduced a resolution related to the District of Columbia Department of Public Works' environmental study related to the final disposition of that part of Klingle Road, NW, currently inaccessible to vehicular traffic. Seconded by Comm. Saranovich. Comm. Bartel offered up friendly amendments, which were accepted. Comm. Welsh offered up a friendly amendment which was accepted. Comm. Hydle offered up a friendly amendment which, after Commission and community discussion, was withdrawn. Community input sought and received. Comm. Opacinch offered up friendly amendments; which were accepted. Several ANC 3C residents in attendance offered their opinions on the matter. Resolution 2001-003, attached, was passed by a voice vote of 9-0.
 14. Klingle Road II. Comm. Hydle introduced a resolution related to a potential option to study. Seconded by Comm. Doggett. Comm. Opacinch offered up a friendly amendment, which was accepted. Resolution 2001-004, attached, was passed by a voice vote of 8-1 (Comm. Welsh against).
 15. ANC Standing Committees. The candidates for Chairs of two ANC 3-C committees were offered up as a slate by Comm. Hydle. These were Comm. MacWood and Comm. Doggett for Planning & Zoning; and Comm. Opacinch and Pam Aycok (not a commissioner) for Preservation & Landmarks. Comm. Rohde proposed Comm. Hydle as Chair of the ANC 3-C ANC Administration Committee. All proposed chairs approved by acclamation. Comm. MacWood announced to the community that a change in standing committee structure, as currently defined in ANC 3-C's by-laws, would be discussed and voted on at the next regularly scheduled meeting.
 16. Comm. Opacinch introduced a resolution relating to the search of ANC 3-C for a new Executive Director. Resolution 2001-005, attached, was passed by acclamation.
 17. Meeting was adjourned at 10:50 p.m., with all nine members still present.

Attested by _____ on _____
Clifford C. Rohde, Secretary Date



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ANC 3-C Resolution No. 2001-001

RESOLVED, that Advisory Neighborhood Commission 3-C approves the payment of the expenditures noted below and authorizes the Treasurer to pay the following expenses:

1. Verizon, no more than \$157.75, for phone bill through December 2000;
2. CFM Management Services, \$130.00, for February 2001 rent for ANC 3-C office;
3. John Dear (accountant), \$110.00, for January 2001 retainer;
4. IKON, \$135.36, for office supplies; and
5. Lexis-Nexis, \$25.00, for regular subscription to DC legal texts.

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ANC 3C Resolution No. 2001-002
Relating to Vigorelli's Restaurant Roof Top Enclosure

1. WHEREAS the Cleveland Park Historical Society (CPHS) is a private organization with certain qualifications in architectural assessment and evaluation;
2. WHEREAS the CPHS Architectural Review Committee (ARC) has objected to Vigorelli's Restaurant (Vigorelli's) disregard for the CPHS design review process for which it had previously agreed to comply;
3. WHEREAS Vigorelli's has constructed a rooftop enclosure and changed its building signage without appropriate permits;
4. WHEREAS the CPHS ARC alleges that Vigorelli's has not constructed its rooftop enclosure according to the plans and specifications previously supplied to and approved by the HPRB;
5. WHEREAS the CPHS ARC alleges that only conceptual plans were submitted to them and that the rooftop enclosure did not track with the conceptual plans nor correspond to the granted permit;
6. WHEREAS ANC 3C has been advised that Vigorelli's has now submitted plans to the D.C. Historic Preservation Review Board (HPRB) after being cited by the Historic Preservation Inspector for a D.C. Code violation;
7. WHEREAS ANC 3C will not support permits or licenses for those entities that subvert and/or ignore the D.C. Code, D.C. Municipal Regulations, and other applicable Federal law and District law and regulations.
8. WHEREAS a rooftop dining space, within the applicable constraints of the Zoning regulations and the Cleveland Park Commercial Overlay District's limitations, is a desirable element for the neighborhood;
9. THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that ANC 3C supports, in principle, Vigorelli's building a rooftop dining space consistent with HPRB-approved specifications, provided that it is sensitive to and compatible with the historic character of the neighborhood, and that all laws and regulations are followed;
10. BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that ANC 3C encourages D.C. Department of Consumer and Regulatory Affairs (DCRA) to vigorously carryout its duties to ensure that the rooftop structure matches previously submitted plans and specifications and is proven to be structurally sound, and that it provide businesses with proper notice of pending meetings/hearings related to licenses, permits, and similar matters;
11. BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that ANC 3C encourages D.C. Department of Consumer and Regulatory Affairs (DCRA) to ensure compliance with existing fire and safety codes;
12. BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that ANC 3C will confer with DCRA and CPHS with

regard to this matter when the ANC next reviews Vigorelli's liquor license renewal;
and

13. BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Commission authorizes John Welsh and/or Nancy MacWood to testify before the Historic Preservation Review Board.

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ANC 3-C Resolution No. 2001-003
Relating to the D.C. Department of Public Works Environmental Study
Regarding Alternative Final Dispositions of that Portion of Klingle Road, NW,
Now Inaccessible to Vehicular Traffic

1. WHEREAS the District of Columbia Department of Public Works (DPW) has proceeded to collect views from the public related to the Department's preparation of an environmental study which may result in an Environmental Assessment/Environmental Impact Statement related to the final disposition of the portion of Klingle Road currently closed to vehicular traffic ("Klingle Road"); and
2. WHEREAS the District of Columbia is annually allocated a finite amount of federal funds for highway and transit projects; and
3. WHEREAS any improvements on Klingle Road would likely be funded through such finite funds; and
4. WHEREAS the residents of ANC 3-C are deeply divided over the final disposition of Klingle Road; and
5. WHEREAS this ANC 3-C is concerned about various negative environmental impacts on Washington, D.C., such as the fact that studies show that the tree canopy in Washington, D.C., has declined significantly over the past twenty years; and
6. WHEREAS the first public meeting of the newly-constituted ANC 3-C was not held until January 22, 2001;
7. BE IT RESOLVED that ANC 3-C urges DPW to accept this resolution, notwithstanding that DPW's scheduled comment period has expired; and
8. BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that ANC 3-C takes no position at this point as to the ultimate disposition of Klingle Road; and
9. BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that ANC 3-C strongly urges the Department of Public Works to include in its environmental study a recommendation that, regardless of the final disposition of Klingle Road options, various issues—in addition to those issues identified previously by this ANC 3-C— be thoroughly studied, related to:
 - A. traffic counts and congestion (within and without the borders of ANC 3-C);
 - B. environmental impacts (including local and regional air quality, water quality of Rock Creek, soil conservation, noise, old-growth tree conservation, tree canopy conservation, and related effects); and
 - C. appearance and characteristics (resulting from federal and/or local transportation engineering requirements).
10. BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that ANC 3-C strongly recommends that an adequately funded cost-benefit analysis of each option (including maintenance where applicable) be conducted before a final recommendation on this project is promulgated; and

11. BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that ANC 3-C strongly recommends that DPW provide a comparison of the costs of Klinge Road options with other proposed District of Columbia projects eligible for federal highway and transit funds, including
 - A. listing in sequence of priority other projects eligible for federal funds, and
 - B. estimates of the cost of these other projects.

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ANC 3-C Resolution No. 2001-004
Relating to Klingle Road Options

1. WHEREAS the draft environmental study considered Alternative F—two lanes of traffic flanked by two six-foot wide lanes for bikes and pedestrians— but rejected it as too wide for the limited amount of right of way; and
2. WHEREAS ANC 3-C takes no position at this point as to the ultimate disposition of Klingle Road;
3. BE IT RESOLVED THAT ANC 3-C respectfully asks the District of Columbia Department of Public Works to examine an option for two vehicular lanes and one two-way path for bicycles and pedestrians running to the south of the vehicular roadway and connecting with the Rock Creek Park Trail.

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ANC 3-C Resolution No. 2001-005
Relating to ANC 3-C's Executive Director

1. WHEREAS, ANC 3-C reluctantly accepts the resignation of its Executive Director, Mary Scohera; and
2. WHEREAS ANC 3-C will seek to fill this position as quickly as possible;
3. THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that ANC 3-C authorizes the expenditure of up to \$150.00 to advertise for such position.

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