

Council of the District of Columbia
Committee on Public Works and the Environment
Notice of Public Hearing

ABBREVIATED

**COUNCILMEMBER JIM GRAHAM, CHAIRPERSON
COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC WORKS AND THE ENVIRONMENT**

ANNOUNCES A PUBLIC HEARING ON

**SECTIONS 8 AND 10(C) OF BILL 17-138, THE "MOTOR VEHICLE
THEFT PREVENTION ACT OF 2007"**

**MONDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 2008 – 2:00 PM
ROOM 120, JOHN A. WILSON BUILDING
1350 PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE, NW
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20004**

On Monday, February 25, 2008, Councilmember Graham will hold a public hearing on Sections 8 and 10(c) of B17-138, "Motor Vehicle Theft Prevention Act Of 2007". The public hearing will be held beginning at 2:00 pm in Room 120 of the historic John A. Wilson Building. **This notice is being abbreviated in order to provide timely notice to the public.**

Sections 8 and 10(c) of Bill 17-138, as introduced, would increase the vehicle registration fee by \$1 and deposit the additional revenue generated and any fines and penalties for failure to have vehicle insurance into the Motor Vehicle Theft Prevention Fund, to be used to reduce motor vehicle thefts in the District of Columbia.

Sections 8 and 10(c) of Bill 17-138 were sequentially referred to the Committee on Public Works and the Environment on Tuesday, February 5, 2008.

The Committee invites the public to testify or to submit written testimony, which will be made a part of the official record. Those who wish to testify should contact Mrs. LaDorsa Willis at (202) 724-8195 before 5 p.m. on Thursday, February 21, 2008. Witnesses should bring 16 copies of their testimony to the hearing. Individuals will be permitted 3 minutes for oral presentation; individuals representing organizations or groups, 5 minutes.

If you are unable to testify at the public hearing, written statements are encouraged and will be made part of the official record. Copies of written statements should be submitted to Mrs. LaDorsa Willis, Committee on Public Works and the Environment, Room 116, 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Washington, DC, 20004, by 5:00 pm on Tuesday, February 26, 2008.

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ANNOUNCES

A PUBLIC HEARING

ON

**B17-266, THE "PUBLIC SPACE VAULTS RENTAL FEES RELIEF
AMENDMENT ACT OF 2007"**

**5:00 PM - MONDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 2008
ROOM 120, JOHN A. WILSON BUILDING
1350 PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE, NW
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20004**

Councilmember Jim Graham, Chairperson of the Committee on Public Works and the Environment, will convene a public hearing on B17-266, the "Public Space Vaults Rental Fees Relief Amendment Act of 2008". The public hearing will be held on Monday, February 25, 2008, at 5:00 p.m. in Room 120 at the Wilson Building, 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20004.

This bill establishes a separate rate for public space rental fees for vaults located on Class I property owned and used by a condominium association or housing cooperative. The bill would reduce the rates on these specified types of property by 16.7% and would make these rate reductions retroactive to July 1, 2006.

The Committee invites the public to testify or to submit written testimony, which will be made a part of the official record. Those who wish to testify should contact Mrs. LaDorsa Willis at (202) 724-8195, llwillis@dccouncil.us before 5 p.m. on Thursday, February 21, 2008. Witnesses will be permitted 3 minutes for oral presentation, and should bring 16 copies of their testimony to the public oversight hearing.

If you are unable to testify at the public oversight hearing, written statements are encouraged and will be made part of the official record. Copies of written statements should be submitted to Mrs. LaDorsa Willis, Committee on Public Works and the Environment, Room 116, 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Washington, DC, 20004, by 5:00 pm on Tuesday, February 26, 2008.

Council of the District of Columbia
Committee on Public Services and Consumer Affairs
Notice of Public Hearing

1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20004

**COUNCILMEMBER MARY CHEH, CHAIRPERSON
COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC SERVICES AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS**

ANNOUNCES A PUBLIC HEARING ON

**Bill 17-513, the “District of Columbia Medical Liability Captive Insurance
Company Establishment Act of 2008”**

Bill 17-438, the “Enhanced Security at Gas Stations Amendment Act of 2007”

Bill 17-34, the “District of Columbia Spam Deterrence Act of 2007”

**Tuesday, March 11, 2008
11:00 A.M., Room 412
John A. Wilson Building
1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W.**

On Tuesday, March 11, 2008, Councilmember Mary M. Cheh, Chairperson of the Committee on Public Services and Consumer Affairs, will hold a public hearing on Bill 17-513, the “District of Columbia Medical Liability Captive Insurance Company Establishment Act of 2008”, Bill 17-438, the “Enhanced Security at Gas Stations Amendment Act of 2007”, and Bill 17-34, the “District of Columbia Spam Deterrence Act of 2007”. The public hearing will be held at 11:00 A.M. in Room 412 of the John A. Wilson Building at 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W.

The stated purpose of Bill 17-513 is to establish the District of Columbia Medical Liability Captive Insurance Company to provide medical malpractice liability coverage for non-profit community health centers in the District of Columbia. The stated purpose of Bill 17-438 is to provide for increased safety and enhanced security at gas stations by requiring 24-hour video surveillance at all District gas stations. The stated purpose of Bill 17-34 is to prohibit a person or entity from transmitting commercial electronic mail with false identifying information or false or misleading subject line information.

The Committee invites the public to testify or to submit written testimony, which will be made a part of the official record. Anyone wishing to testify at the hearing should contact Aukima Benjamin at 724-8062 or via email at abenjamin@dccouncil.us. All public witnesses will be permitted three (3) minutes for oral presentation, and all

witnesses representing groups or organizations will have five (5) minutes. The witness list will close at the end of the business day on Friday, March 7, 2008.

If you are unable to testify at the hearing, written statements are encouraged and will be made a part of the official record. Copies of written statements should be submitted either to the Committee on Public Services and Consumer Affairs, or to Ms. Cynthia Brock-Smith, Secretary to the Council, Room 5 of the John A. Wilson Building, 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20004. The record will close at the end of the business day on Friday, March 21, 2008.

Council of the District of Columbia
Committee on Public Services and Consumer Affairs
Committee on Public Works and the Environment
Notice of a Joint Public Hearing

**COUNCILMEMBER MARY M. CHEH, CHAIRPERSON
PUBLIC SERVICES AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS**

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**COUNCILMEMBER JIM GRAHAM, CHAIRPERSON
PUBLIC WORKS AND THE ENVIRONMENT**

ANNOUNCE

A JOINT PUBLIC HEARING

ON

B17-610, THE "VENDING REGULATION ACT OF 2008"

**2:00 PM - Thursday, March 13, 2008
Room 412, John A. Wilson Building
1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW
Washington, D.C. 20004**

On Thursday, March 13, Councilmember Mary M. Cheh, Chairperson of the Committee on Public Services and Consumer Affairs, and Councilmember Jim Graham, Chairperson of the Committee on Public Works and the Environment, will hold a joint public hearing on B17-610, the "Vending Regulation Act of 2008".

The stated purpose of Bill 17-610 is to authorize the Mayor to regulate vending in the District of Columbia, to require vendors to vend only from designated locations, to authorize development areas within which alternative forms of regulation of vending may be tested, to authorize the Mayor to charge fees for licenses and other authorizations to vend from public space, to authorize the imposition of civil fines for the violation of this act or regulations promulgated pursuant to this act, and to authorize the regulation of public markets.

The Committees invite the public to testify or to submit written testimony, which will be made a part of the official record. Those who wish to testify should contact Ms. Aukima Benjamin at (202) 724-8062 or via email at abenjamin@dccouncil.us before 5 p.m. on Tuesday, March 11, 2008. Witnesses should bring 16 copies of their testimony to the hearing. Individuals will be permitted 3 minutes for oral presentation; individuals representing organizations or groups, 5 minutes.

If you are unable to testify at the hearing, written statements are encouraged and will be made a part of the official record. Copies of written statements should be submitted either to the

Committee on Public Services and Consumer Affairs, or to Ms. Cynthia Brock-Smith, Secretary to the Council, Room 5 of the John A. Wilson Building, 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20004. The record will close at the end of the business day on Friday, March 21, 2003.