

Council of the District of Columbia
Committee on Health
Notice of Public Hearing
1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20004

ABBREVIATED/REVISED

COUNCILMEMBER DAVID A. CATANIA, CHAIR
COMMITTEE ON HEALTH

Announces A Public Hearing

On

B16-460: The Assisted Living Residence Regulatory Amendment Act of 2005
B16-704: The Long-Term Care Reform Act of 2006

On

Thursday, June 1, 2006
10:00 a.m.

The John Wilson Building
1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW
Council Chamber, 5th Floor
Washington, DC 20004

Councilmember David A. Catania, Chair of the Committee on Health, announces a Public Hearing on the Assisted Living Residence Regulatory Amendment Act of 2005 and the Long-Term Care Reform Act of 2006. The hearing will be held on Thursday, June 1, 2006, at 10:00 a.m., in the Council Chamber, 5th Floor of the John Wilson Building, 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW.

The purpose of this hearing is to address the following legislation -

- B16-460: The Assisted Living Residence Regulatory Amendment Act of 2005. The bill would amend the Assisted Living Residence Regulatory Act of 2000 to amend the definition of instrumental activities of daily living to include medication management, the insurance requirements for assisted living residences, and the expiration date for the special assisted living residence licensure requirement for community residential facilities.
- B16-704: The Long-Term Care Reform Act of 2006. The bill would require the Department of Health to complete a level of care assessment for nursing home residents, to create a rapid response system for nursing home quality of care complaints, to create a website for the posting of annual nursing home surveys and to create a Quality Home Care Authority; to amend the Health Services Planning Program Re-establishment Act of 1996 to exempt home care agencies from the certificate of need process; to amend the Health-Care and Community Residence Facility Hospice and Home Care Licensure Act of 1983 to define a residential service agency and to create a special fund for the personal needs of nursing home residents; to amend the Assisted Living Residence Regulatory Act of 2000 to impose penalties for statutory violations; to amend the District of Columbia Municipal Regulations to restrict the use of restraints in nursing homes; to amend the District of Columbia Long-Term Care Ombudsman Program Act of 1988 to include

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home and community-based services, to amend the District of Columbia Municipal Regulations to allow for temporary parking permits for home care workers; and to amend the District of Columbia Health Occupations Revisions Act of 1985 to regulate the practice by nurse aides, home health aides, and personal care assistants.

Members of the public are invited to testify. Testimony may be limited to 3 minutes per witness and 5 minutes for an organization. Those wishing to testify should contact Mr. Hosea Alston of the Committee on Health via email at halston@dccouncil.us or by phone at (202) 724-8170 by Tuesday, May 30, 2006. Witnesses should bring 15 copies of their written testimony to the hearing.

Members of the public may submit written testimony which will be made part of the official record. Copies of written statements should be submitted to Mr. Ira Stohlman, Acting Secretary to the Council, 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Suite 5; Washington, DC 20004, no later than 5:30 p.m., Thursday, June 8, 2006.

This notice has been revised to reflect the addition of B16-460 to the agenda.

Council of the District of Columbia
Committee on Education, Libraries and Recreation
Notice of Public Hearing

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

**COUNCILMEMBER KATHY PATTERSON, CHAIRPERSON
COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION, LIBRARIES AND RECREATION**

ANNOUNCES A PUBLIC HEARING ON

Bill 16-734, the "Library Transformation Act of 2006"

**Thursday, June 15, 2006
10:00 A.M.**

**John A. Wilson Building
1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W.
Council Chamber, Room 500**

On Thursday, June 15, 2006, Councilmember Kathy Patterson, Chairperson of the Committee on Education, Libraries and Recreation, will hold a public hearing on Bill 16-734, the "Library Transformation Act of 2006." This legislation represents the Mayor's proposal to finance and construct a new Martin Luther King, Jr. Memorial Library at the old convention center site. The public hearing will begin at 10 a.m. in the fifth-floor Council Chamber at 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W.

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 roundtable should contact Evelyn Bourne-Gould, Legislative Assistant to the Committee on Education, Libraries and Recreation, at 724-8195, or via e-mail at egould@dccouncil.us. All witnesses will be permitted a maximum of three (3) minutes for oral presentation.

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 Education, Libraries and Recreation, or to Mr. Ira Stohlman, Acting Secretary to the Council, Room 5 of the Wilson Building, 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20004. The record will close on Thursday, June 22, 2006.

**Council of the District of Columbia
Committee of the Whole
Notice of Public Hearing**

John A. Wilson Building 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20004

REVISED

**CHAIRMAN LINDA W. CROPP
ANNOUNCES A PUBLIC HEARING
BY THE COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE ON**

**BILL 16-720, "CLOSING OF PUBLIC ALLEYS IN SQUARE 749,
S.O. 00-83, ACT OF 2006"**

**TUESDAY, MAY 30, 2006, 1:00 P.M.
COUNCIL CHAMBER, ROOM 500
JOHN A. WILSON BUILDING
1350 PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE, N.W.**

Council Chairman Linda W. Cropp announces a public hearing by the Committee of the Whole on Bill 16-720, the "Closing of Public Alleys in Square 749, S.O. 00-83, Act of 2006." The public hearing is scheduled for Tuesday, May 30, 2006, at 1:00 p.m., in the Council Chamber, Room 500 of the John A. Wilson Building, 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W. The public hearing notice is revised to reflect a change in the time of the hearing on May 30, 2006, from 2:25 p.m. to 1:00 p.m.

Bill 16-720, introduced by Chairman Cropp at the request of the Mayor, would close the public alleys in Square 749, bounded by K Street, L Street, 2nd Street, and 3rd Street, NE, in Ward 6. The applicant, Ronald Cohen Investments, is requesting the alley closings to facilitate a mixed-use residential and retail project. The Planned Unit Development, Union Place, will include approximately 700 residential units, of which approximately 78 units will be set aside as affordable workforce housing; a daycare center; and retail shops.

Individuals and representatives of organizations who wish to testify at the public hearing are requested to telephone Aretha Latta, Administrative Assistant to the Committee of the Whole, at 202-724-8196, by e-mail at alatta@dccouncil.washington.dc.us, or by fax at 202-724-7139, and furnish their names, addresses, telephone numbers and organizational affiliation, if any, by the close of business on Friday, May 26, 2006. Witnesses should also provide 20 copies of their written testimony at the hearing or submit one copy of their written testimony by Friday, May 26, 2006. Each person presenting verbal testimony may be limited to 5 minutes in order to permit each witness an opportunity to be heard.

Written statements for the record are encouraged and will be made a part of the official record. All statements should be submitted to the Committee of the Whole, Council of the District of Columbia, John A. Wilson Building, 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Suite 410, Washington, D.C. 20004.

**Council of the District of Columbia
Committee of the Whole
Notice of Public Hearing**

John A. Wilson Building

1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW

Washington, DC 20004

**CHAIRMAN LINDA W. CROPP
ANNOUNCES A PUBLIC HEARING
BY THE COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE ON**

**PR 16-757, "ANACOSTIA TRANSIT AREA STRATEGIC INVESTMENT AND
DEVELOPMENT PLAN APPROVAL RESOLUTION OF 2006"**

**PR 16-758, "GEORGIA AVENUE-PETWORTH METRO STATION AREA AND
CORRIDOR PLAN APPROVAL RESOLUTION OF 2006"**

**PR 16-759, "CONVENTION CENTER AREA DEVELOPMENT PLAN
APPROVAL RESOLUTION OF 2006"**

**TUESDAY, JUNE 13, 2006, 10:00 AM
COUNCIL CHAMBER, ROOM 500
JOHN A. WILSON BUILDING
1350 PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE, N.W.**

Council Chairman Linda W. Cropp announces a public hearing by the Committee of the Whole on three small area plans proposed by the Mayor: 1) PR 16-757, the "Anacostia Transit Area Strategic Investment and Development Plan Approval Resolution of 2006;" 2) PR 16-758, the "Georgia Avenue-Petworth Metro Station Area and Corridor Plan Approval Resolution of 2006;" and 3) PR 16-759, the "Convention Center Area Development Plan Approval Resolution of 2006." The hearing is scheduled for Tuesday, June 13, 2006, at 10:00 a.m., in the Council Chamber, Room 500 of the John A. Wilson Building, 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W.

PR 16-757, which would approve a plan to revitalize the Anacostia Metro Station area in the northwest portion of Ward 8, outlines strategies for: 1) enhanced housing, retail and employment opportunities near transit resources; 2) increased mixed-income housing opportunities and rehabilitation assistance; 3) a stronger retail main street that supports existing and promising local entrepreneurs; and 4) improved parks, public spaces and streetscape realm. PR 16-758 would approve a plan to revitalize the Georgia Avenue corridor from Euclid Street in Ward 1 to Decatur Street in Ward 4, as well as property within a quarter-mile radius of the Georgia Avenue-Petworth Metro Station. PR 16-759 would approve a plan to guide public and private in neighborhoods adjacent to the Convention Center in Ward 2 in a way that strengthens neighborhood businesses, generates quality housing, and improves the public

Individuals and representatives of organizations who wish to testify at the public hearing are asked to telephone Aretha Latta, Administrative Assistant to the Committee of the Whole, at 724-8196, or send e-mail to alatta@dccouncil.us, and furnish their names, addresses, telephone numbers and organizational affiliation, if any, by the close of business on Tuesday, May 17, 2005. They should also bring with them 20 copies of their written testimony or submit one copy of their written testimony by Friday, June 9, 2006. Persons presenting testimony may be limited to 3 minutes in order to permit each witness an opportunity to be heard.

Written statements for the record are encouraged and will be made a part of the official record. All statements should be submitted to the Committee of the Whole, Council of the District of Columbia, Suite 410, 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20004. Copies of PR 16-757, PR 16-758 and PR 16-759, each of which has a copy of its respective small area plan attached to it, may be obtained from the Legislative Services Division of the Council, 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Suite 2, 724-8050. This plan is also available on the D.C. Office of Planning web site at planning.dc.gov.

Council of the District of Columbia
Committee on Economic Development
Notice of a Public Oversight Hearing
1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20004

REVISED

**COUNCILMEMBER SHARON AMBROSE, CHAIRPERSON
COMMITTEE ON ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT,
ANNOUNCES A PUBLIC OVERSIGHT HEARING ON THE COMPREHENSIVE
HOUSING STRATEGY TASK FORCE REPORT OF 2006**

June 13, 2006 at 10:00 am
Room 412
John A. Wilson Building
1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW
Washington, D.C. 20004

Councilmember Sharon Ambrose, Chairperson of the Committee on Economic Development, announces a Public Oversight Hearing on the Comprehensive Housing Strategy Task Force Report of 2006. The Public Hearing will be held on Tuesday, June 13, 2006 at 10:00 am in Room 412 of the John A. Wilson Building, 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20004.

The purpose of the Public Oversight Hearing is to hear testimony from the Comprehensive Strategy Task Force and the public regarding the recommendations issued the Task Force's 2006 Report. The Task Force's recommendations encourage the Mayor and the Council to consider an array of available measures when formulating a policy to provide affordable housing for District residents.

The Committee extends an invitation to the public to testify at the Public Oversight Hearing. Those who wish to testify should contact the Office of Councilmember Sharon Ambrose, at (202) 724-8072 by the close of business, June 9, 2006. Witnesses should bring 15 copies of their written testimony to the Public Oversight Hearing and additionally, where possible, send a copy of their testimony in an electronic format to abenjamin@dccouncil.us. Representatives of organizations will be permitted a maximum of five (5) minutes for oral presentation, and individuals will be permitted a maximum of three (3) minutes.

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 Mr. Ira Stohlman, Acting Secretary to the Council, Suite 5, John A. Wilson Building, 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Washington, DC, 20004. This notice has been revised to reflect a room change to Room 412.

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**Council of the District of Columbia
Committee on Human Services
Notice of Public Oversight Roundtable**

1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW Washington, DC 20004

**COUNCILMEMBER ADRIAN FENTY, CHAIRPERSON
COMMITTEE ON HUMAN SERVICES**

ANNOUNCES A PUBLIC OVERSIGHT ROUNDTABLE ON

LOCALLY AND FEDERALLY FUNDED SERVICES TO MRDDA CONSUMERS

**Friday, May 26, 2006
9:30 a.m.**

**John A. Wilson Building
1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W.
Council Chamber
Washington, D.C. 20004**

On Friday, May 26, 2006, Councilmember Adrian Fenty, Chairperson of the Committee on Human Services, will convene a public oversight roundtable on locally and Federally funded services to consumers of the Department of Human Services, Mental Retardation and Developmental Disabilities Administration. The Committee will review the District's ability to receive available Federal reimbursements for services to MRDDA consumers, projected FY 2006 expenditures in excess of MRDDA's original budget authority, and any reprogramming requests and operating cash reserve allocations needed to maintain an anti-deficient budget in FY 2006 while providing appropriate services to consumers.

The Committee will invite government and expert witnesses to testify at the roundtable. The hearing will be held in the fifth floor Council Chamber and will begin at 9:30 a.m. Copies of written statements should be submitted either to the Committee on Human Services or to Mr. Ira Stohlman, Acting 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 on June 5, 2006.