

Council of the District of Columbia
Subcommittee on Human Rights, Asian/P.I. & Latino Affairs, and
Property Management
Notice of Budget Hearings

1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20004

**COUNCILMEMBER JIM GRAHAM, CHAIRPERSON
SUBCOMMITTEE ON HUMAN RIGHTS, ASIAN/P.I. & LATINO AFFAIRS,
AND PROPERTY MANAGEMENT**

ANNOUNCES A BUDGET HEARING FOR

**THE OFFICE ON ASIAN AND PACIFIC ISLANDER AFFAIRS, THE OFFICE ON LATINO
AFFAIRS, THE OFFICE OF HUMAN RIGHTS, AND THE OFFICE OF PROPERTY
MANAGEMENT**

**MONDAY, APRIL 5, 2004
10:00 A.M. - 6:00 P.M.
Council Chamber
John A. Wilson Building
1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW
Washington, D.C. 20004**

Councilmember Jim Graham, Chairperson of the Subcommittee on Human Rights, Asian/P.I. & Latino Affairs, and Property Management will hold Budget Hearings on the FY 2005 budgets for agencies under its oversight jurisdiction. The hearings will be held on Monday, April 5, 2004 in the Council Chamber from 10:00 A.M. to 6:00 P.M. at the John A. Wilson Building, 1350 Pennsylvania Ave. N.W., Washington, D.C. 20004.

The following reflects the order of the budget hearings:

Agency
Office on Asian Pacific Islander Affairs
Office on Latino Affairs
Office of Human Rights
Office of Property Management

The Subcommittee 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 Fernando Rivero, 724-8181 by close of business March 31, 2004. Witnesses should bring 16 copies of their testimony to the hearing. Individuals will be permitted 3 minutes for oral presentation. Translation will be provided on a need basis and upon request before close of business on March 31, 2004.

If you are unable to testify, copies of written statements should be submitted to Ms. Phyllis Jones, Secretary of the Council, Suite 5, 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Washington, DC 20004 by close of business April 9, 2004.

**Council of the District of Columbia
Committee on Finance & Revenue**

Notice of Public Hearing

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

**COUNCILMEMBER JACK EVANS, CHAIR
COMMITTEE ON FINANCE AND REVENUE**

ANNOUNCES A PUBLIC HEARING ON

Bill 15-609, the "Sales Tax Holiday Amendment Act of 2003"

Wednesday, May 5, 2004 – 10:00 a.m.

Council Chambers

**John A. Wilson Building - 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW
Washington, D.C. 20004**

Councilmember Jack Evans, Chairman of the Committee on Finance and Revenue, announces a public hearing on Bill 15-609, the "Sales Tax Holiday Amendment Act of 2003". The hearing will be held on Wednesday, May 5, 2004 at 10:00 a.m. in the Council Chambers of the John A. Wilson Building, 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20004.

Bill 15-609, the "Sales Tax Holiday Amendment Act of 2003", would create annual sales tax holidays in August, and late November and early December. The holiday would exempt from sales tax the sale of clothing, accessory items or shoes sold for \$100 or less during the defined time periods.

The Committee invites the public to testify at the hearing. Those who wish to testify should contact Schannette Grant at (202) 724-8058, or sgrant@dccouncil.washington.dc.us, and provide your name and organizational affiliation, if any, by the close of business on Monday, May 3, 2004. Witnesses should bring 15 copies of their written testimony to the hearing. The Committee allows each witness 3 minutes to testify. Additional time may be allowed for witnesses representing organizations or for witnesses appearing as a panel.

Written statements are encouraged and will be made part of the official record. Copies of written statements should be submitted to Phyllis Jones, Secretary to the Council, The Wilson Building, 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20004. The record for this hearing will remain open until the close of business on Wednesday, May 19, 2004.

Council of the District of Columbia Notice of Public Hearing

John A. Wilson Building

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

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

**BILL 15-720, THE "CLOSING OF A PUBLIC ALLEY IN SQUARE 235,
S.O. 03-2526, ACT OF 2004"**

**WEDNESDAY, APRIL 21, 2004, 11:00 A.M
ROOM 120**

**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 15-720, the "Closing of a Public Alley in Square 235, S.O. 03-2526, Act of 2004." The public hearing is scheduled for Wednesday, April 21, 2004, at 11:00 a.m., in Room 120 of the John A. Wilson Building, 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W.

Bill 15-720, introduced by Councilmember Jim Graham, would close a portion of a public alley in Square 2526, bounded by V Street N.W., W Street N.W., 13th Street N.W., and 14th Street, N.W., in Ward 1. The applicants are the Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Authority ("WMATA"), George Galich, *et. al.*, and P.N. Hoffman, Inc. WMATA and George Galich *et. al.*, are the owners of the property abutting the portions of the alleys to be closed. P.N. Hoffman, Inc., is the contract purchaser and developer of this property. The alley closing is requested to permit the construction of a mixed-use development, including approximately 292,000 square feet of residential use, 24,000 square feet of retail use, and 250 parking spaces.

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 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 Monday, April 19, 2004. Witnesses should also provide 20 copies of their written testimony at the hearing or submit one copy of their written testimony by Monday, April 19, 2004. 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
Subcommittee on Public Interest
Notice of Public Hearing**

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

**COUNCILMEMBER PHIL MENDELSON, CHAIRPERSON
SUBCOMMITTEE ON PUBLIC INTEREST ANNOUNCES A PUBLIC HEARING ON**

BILL 15-747 THE "RENEWABLE ENERGY PORTFOLIO STANDARD ACT OF 2004"

**Thursday, May 13, 2004
10:00a.m. Council Chamber (Room 500), John A. Wilson Building
1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20004**

Councilmember Phil Mendelson, Chairman of the Subcommittee on Public Interest, announces a public hearing on Bill 15-747 the "Renewable Energy Portfolio Standard Act of 2004." The purpose of Bill 15-747 is to require that a minimum amount of renewable energy is included in the portfolio of electricity resources serving the District. Under this bill electricity suppliers must purchase 11% of their sales of electricity from renewable energy sources by the year 2021. For purposes of this legislation "renewable energy" includes electricity generated by wind or solar power.

The public hearing will be held on Thursday, May 13, 2004 at 10:00a.m.in the Council Chamber (Room 500) of the John A. Wilson Building.

Those who wish to testify should contact Nicola Y. Whiteman, the Subcommittee Clerk, at (202) 724-8064, by fax at (202) 724-8099, or via e-mail at Nwhiteman@dccouncil.us, and provide their name, address, telephone number, organizational affiliation and title by the close of business on Tuesday, May 11, 2004. Witnesses should also provide 15 copies of their testimony. If submitted by the close of business on Tuesday, May 11, 2004, the testimony will be distributed to councilmembers before the hearing. Witnesses should be prepared to limit their testimony to five (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 subcommittee clerk, or to Ms. Phyllis Jones, Secretary to the Council, Room 5 of the Wilson Building, 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20004. The record will close at 5:00p.m. on May 21, 2004.

COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
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WASHINGTON, DC 20004

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

COUNCILMEMBER HAROLD BRAZIL
CHAIRPERSON OF THE COMMITTEE ON ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

announces a public hearing on

Bill 15-752, "National Capital Revitalization Corporation Eminent Domain Clarification and Skyland Eminent Domain Approval Amendment Act of 2004"

Wednesday, April 28, 2004, 2:00 p.m.
Room 412 — 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW

Councilmember Harold Brazil, chairperson of the Committee on Economic Development, announces a public hearing on Bill 15-752, "National Capital Revitalization Corporation Eminent Domain Clarification and Skyland Eminent Domain Approval Amendment Act of 2004". The public hearing will be held at 2:00 p.m. on Wednesday, April 28, 2004, in Room 412 of the John A. Wilson Building (1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW).

Bill 15-752, "National Capital Revitalization Corporation Eminent Domain Clarification and Skyland Eminent Domain Approval Amendment Act of 2004", if approved, will authorize the National Capital Revitalization Corporation or the RLA Revitalization Corporation to exercise the power of eminent domain to acquire the following parcels and lots and squares: Square 5632, Lot 1; Square 5632, Lot 2; Square 5632, Lot 3; Square 5632, Lot 4; Square 5632, Lot 5; Square 5632, Lot 802; Square 5633, Lot 800; Square 5633, Lot 801; Square 5641, Lot 0010; Square 5641, Lot 0011; Square 5641, Lot 0012; Square 5641, Lot 0013; Square 5641, Lot 0891; Square 5641N, Lot 0012; Square 5641N, Lot 0013; Square 5641N, Lot 0014; Square 5641N, Lot 0015; Square 5641N, Lot 0016; Square 5641N, Lot 0017; Square 5641N, Lot 0018; Square 5641N, Lot 0019; Square 5641N, Lot 0020; Square 5641N, Lot 0021; Square 5641N, Lot 0022; Square 5641N, Lot 0023; Square 5641N, Lot 0024; Square 5641N, Lot 0025; Square 5641N, Lot 0026; Square 5641N, Lot 0027; Square 5641N, Lot 0028; Square 5641N, Lot 0029; Square 5641N, Lot 0030; Square 5641N, Lot 0031; Square 5641N, Lot 0033; Parcel 02130052; Parcel 02130060; Parcel 02130061; Parcel 02140062; Parcel 02140088; Parcel 02140104; Parcel 02140182; Parcel 02140187; Parcel 02140189; Parcel 02140190; and Parcel 02140196 and for any other parcel located within the geographic area bounded by a line beginning at the north line of Good Hope Road, S.E., of the intersection of Alabama Avenue, S.E., and Good Hope Road, S.E., thence along the north line of Good Hope Road, S.E., extended to intersect the east line of Naylor Road, S.E., thence along the east line of Naylor Road, S.E., thence in a northwesterly direction along the east line of Naylor Road, S.E., to the north most northwesterly corner of Square 5633, Lot 0801, thence in a northeasterly direction along the north property line of Square 5633, Lot 0801 to the most westerly corner Parcel 0213, Lot 0052, and proceeding thence in a southerly direction along property line to the most northeastern corner of Square 5641N, Lot

0033, and proceeding thence in a easterly direction along the northern property line of Square 5641N, Lot 0016 to the most eastern corner of Lot 0031 in a easterly direction, thence along the eastern property line of Square 5641N, Lot 0033 to the most southwesterly corner of the said Square 5641N, Lot 0033, thence along the south property line to the most northeast corner of Square 5641N, Lot 0012 in a southerly direction, thence along the east property line to the northeast corner of Square 5641, lot 0013 to the most southeast corner of square 5641, Lot 0819 at the north line of Alabama Ave, S.E., thence along the north line of Alabama Ave, S.E., to the point of beginning.

The purpose of this hearing is to receive testimony from the government and the public on the bill. If you wish to provide oral testimony at the hearing, please provide your name, telephone number, and the name of the organization you represent (if any) to Barry Kreiswirth, Clerk of the Committee on Economic Development (202-724-8792), by noon on Monday, April 26, 2004. Each person presenting oral testimony will be limited to 4 minutes. All persons presenting oral testimony should provide the Committee with 25 written copies of their testimony at or prior to the hearing.

If you do not wish to provide oral testimony, but do wish to provide written testimony for the record, you may submit your written testimony by 5:00 p.m. on Tuesday, April 27, 2004, to: Barry Kreiswirth, Committee Clerk, Committee on Economic Development, Room 119, 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20004, or by fax to 202-724-4726.

Copies of the bill may be obtained from the Council's Legislative Services Division at 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Room 2, Washington, DC 20004, 202-724-8050.

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

1350 Pennsylvania Ave., N.W.

Washington, D.C. 20004

Rescheduled

**COUNCILMEMBER KEVIN P. CHAVOUS, CHAIRMAN
ANNOUNCES THE RESCHEDULING OF A PUBLIC HEARING
BY THE COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION, LIBRARIES AND RECREATION ON**

**DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND RECREATION
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA PUBLIC LIBRARIES
STATE EDUCATION OFFICE
TEACHERS RETIREMENT FUND
OFFICE OF VOCATIONAL AND EDUCATION SKILLS TRAINING
EDUCATION IN PARTNERSHIP WITH TECHNOLOGY CORPORATION**

**FRIDAY, APRIL 23, 2004, 10:00 A.M.
ROOM 412, JOHN WILSON BUILDING
1350 PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE, N.W.**

Councilmember Kevin P. Chavous announces the rescheduling of a public hearing by the Committee on Education, Libraries and Recreation on the above agencies and entities, which incorporates the Committee's review of the Fiscal Year 2005 budget as submitted by the Mayor, and the legislative matters necessary to support the Fiscal Year 2005 Budget Request and Budget Support Act. The public hearing, which had been scheduled for March 26, 2004, has been rescheduled to Friday, April 23, 2004, beginning at 10:00 a.m. in Room 412, on the fourth floor of the John A. Wilson Building, 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., due to the extension of the budget submission date.

The Committee extends an invitation to the public to testify at this public hearing. **Those persons who previously signed up to testify at this hearing on the prior hearing date, will remain on the witness list unless they contact the committee.** Others who wish to testify are requested to contact Andrea Delaney, by telephone at 202-724-8178, by fax at 202 724-7133 or by email at adelaney@dccouncil.us. When contacting the Committee, please provide your name, address, telephone number, affiliation, if any, by the close of business on Thursday April 22, 2004. Witnesses should bring 20 copies of their written testimony to the hearing or submit one advance copy of their written testimony by Thursday April 22, 2004. Persons presenting oral testimony may be limited to 3-5 minutes in order to permit each witness an opportunity to be heard.

If you are unable to testify, written statements are encouraged and will be made a part of the official record. All statements should be submitted to the Committee on Education, Libraries and Recreation Room 116 John A. Wilson Building, Suite 5, 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20004, and to Ms. Phyllis Jones, Secretary to the Council, John A. Wilson Building, Suite 5, 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20004.

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

1350 Pennsylvania Ave., N.W.

Washington, D.C. 20004

Rescheduled

**COUNCILMEMBER KEVIN P. CHAVOUS, CHAIRMAN
ANNOUNCES THE RESCHEDULING OF A PUBLIC HEARING
BY THE COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION, LIBRARIES AND RECREATION ON**

**THE UNIVERSITY OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA PUBLIC SCHOOLS
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOLS**

**MONDAY, APRIL 19, 2004, 11:00 A.M.
ROOM 412, JOHN WILSON BUILDING
1350 PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE, N.W.**

Councilmember Kevin P. Chavous announces the rescheduling of a public hearing by the Committee on Education, Libraries and Recreation on the University of the District of Columbia, the District of Columbia Public Schools and the District of Columbia Public Charter Schools, which incorporates the Committee's review of the Fiscal Year 2005 budget as submitted by the Mayor, and the legislative matters necessary to support the Fiscal Year 2005 Budget Request and Budget Support Act. The public hearing, which had been scheduled for April 5, 2004, has been rescheduled to Monday, April 19, 2004, beginning at 11:00 a.m. in Room 412, on the fourth floor of the John A. Wilson Building, 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., due to the extension of the budget submission date.

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If you are unable to testify, written statements are encouraged and will be made a part of the official record. All statements should be submitted to the Committee on Education, Libraries and Recreation Room 116 John A. Wilson Building, Suite 5, 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20004, and to Ms. Phyllis Jones, Secretary to the Council, John A. Wilson Building, Suite 5, 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20004.