

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

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

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**Councilmember Sandra (Sandy) Allen, Chairperson**  
**Committee on Human Services**

**Announces a Public Hearing on**

**Bill 15-57, The "Practice of Naturopathic Medicine Licensing  
Amendment Act of 2003"**

**Monday, September 29, 2003**

**Council Chamber**

**John A. Wilson Building**

**1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W.**

**10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.**

Councilmember Sandra (Sandy) Allen, Chairperson of the Committee on Human Services, announces a public hearing to receive comments on Bill 15-57, the "Practice of Naturopathic Medicine Licensing Amendment Act of 2003." The hearing will be held on Monday, September 29, 2003 from 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. in the Council Chamber at 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W.

Bill 15-57, the "Practice of Naturopathic Medicine Licensing Amendment Act of 2003," would amend the District of Columbia Health Occupations Revision Act of 1985 to define the practice of naturopathic medicine, to establish the Advisory Committee on Naturopathic Medicine to advise the Board of Medicine on the licensure of naturopathic physicians and regulation of the practice of naturopathic medicine, to establish the requirements for licensure, to delineate prohibited acts, and to redefine the practice of naturopathy.

The Committee extends an invitation to the public to testify at the hearing. Those who wish to testify should contact **Eric Goulet, Legislative Analyst for Health and Aging Issues at the Committee on Human Services, at (202) 724-8170** and furnish their names, telephone numbers, and organizational affiliation (if any) by **12:00p.m., Thursday, September 25, 2003.** You may also forward your information via fax to (202) 724-4722 or e-mail at **egoulet@dccouncil.us.** Written statements to be presented at the hearing should be transmitted prior to the day of the hearing. **Witnesses should also bring 20 copies of their written testimony to the hearing.** Individuals will be limited to three minutes and panels will be limited to five minutes for oral presentations, in order to permit each witness an opportunity to be heard.

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**Councilmember Sandra (Sandy) Allen, Chairperson**  
**Committee on Human Services**

**Announces a Public Hearing on**

**Bill 15-267, The "District of Columbia Healthy Families Managed Care Reform Act of 2003"**

**Wednesday, September 24, 2003**

**Council Chamber**

**John A. Wilson Building**

**1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W.**

**10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.**

Councilmember Sandra (Sandy) Allen, Chairperson of the Committee on Human Services, announces a public oversight hearing to receive comments on Bill 15-267, the "District of Columbia Healthy Families Managed Care Reform Act of 2003." The hearing will be held on Wednesday, September 24, 2003 from 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. in the Council Chamber at 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W.

Bill 15-267, the "District of Columbia Healthy Families Managed Care Reform Act of 2003," would require the District to disclose factors relating to the determination of risk-based reimbursement rates for managed care contracts under the District of Columbia Healthy Families program; and to establish a Medicaid Rate commission to report on the historical Medicaid rates in the District, program participation, and to make recommendations as to Medicaid rates.

The Committee extends an invitation to the public to testify at the hearing. Those who wish to testify should contact **Eric Goulet, Legislative Analyst for Health and Aging Issues at the Committee on Human Services, at (202) 724-8170** and furnish their names, telephone numbers, and organizational affiliation (if any) by **12:00p.m., Monday, September 22, 2003.** You may also forward your information via fax to **(202) 724-4722** or e-mail at **egoulet@dccouncil.us**. Written statements to be presented at the hearing should be transmitted prior to the day of the hearing. **Witnesses should also bring 20 copies of their written testimony to the hearing.** Individuals will be limited to three minutes and panels will be limited to five minutes for oral presentations, in order to permit each witness an opportunity to be heard.

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**Councilmember Sandra Allen, Chairperson**  
**Committee on Human Services**

**Announces a Public Hearing on**

**“Director of the Office of Human Services Yvonne D. Gilchrist Confirmation  
Approval Resolution of 2003”, PR 15-257**

**Thursday, September 18, 2003**  
**10:00 a.m.**

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

Councilmember Sandra Allen, Chairperson of the Committee on Human Services, announces a public hearing to receive public comment on PR 14-257 “Director of the Office of Human Services, Yvonne Gilchrist Confirmation Approval Resolution of 2003”. The public hearing will be held on Thursday, September 18, 2003 at 10:00 a.m., in the Council Chamber, at 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW.

The Committee extends an invitation to the public to testify at the public hearing. Those who wish to testify should contact **Janell Mathis, Administrative Clerk for the Committee on Human Services, at 202-724-8045** and furnish their names, telephone numbers and organizational affiliation, if any by noon, Tuesday, September 16, 2003. Written statements to be presented at the hearing should be transmitted prior to the day of the hearing. **Witnesses should bring 20 copies of their written testimony to the hearing.** Individuals will be limited to three minutes and panels will be limited to five 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 Janell Mathis, Administrative Clerk for the Committee on Human Services, Council of the District of Columbia, 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20004.

Council of the District of Columbia  
Committee on Government Operations  
**NOTICE OF PUBLIC OVERSIGHT HEARING**

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

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**RESCHEDULED**

COMMITTEE ON GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS  
COUNCILMEMBER VINCENT B. ORANGE, SR., CHAIRPERSON  
ANNOUNCES A PUBLIC OVERSIGHT HEARING ON

**“A Comprehensive Review of Sole Source Contracts Awarded by the District of  
Columbia Government, and a Review of the District’s Statutory and Regulatory  
Requirements Relative to Personnel Exchange Agreements”**

**Thursday, July 10, 2003  
2:00 p.m.  
Council Chamber\*  
John A. Wilson Building  
1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW  
Washington, D.C. 20004**

Councilmember Vincent B. Orange, Sr., Chairperson of the Committee on Government Operations, announces the rescheduling of a Public Oversight Hearing on “A Comprehensive Review of Sole Source Contracts Awarded by the District of Columbia Government, and a Review of the District’s Statutory and Regulatory Requirements Relative to Personnel Exchange Agreements”. The Public Oversight Roundtable will be held on Thursday, July 10, 2003 at 2:00 p.m., in the 5<sup>th</sup> Floor Council Chamber, 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W. The Public Oversight Hearing was originally scheduled for Thursday, July 10, 2003 at 10:00 a.m.

The purpose of the Public Oversight Hearing is to formally receive data and testimony relative to the statutory and regulatory requirements associated with sole source contracts awarded by District of Columbia government agencies. In addition, the Committee will review the number and description of personnel exchange agreements entered into by the District of Columbia government in FY2002 and FY2003. According to District Personnel Regulations, any District agency is authorized to enter into personnel exchange agreements with private sector organizations, institutions of higher education, or agencies of federal, state, and local governments.

Those who wish to testify should contact Mr. Kristopher Howard, Committee on Government Operations, at (202) 724-8191, by the close of business on Wednesday, July 9, 2003. Witnesses should bring 20 copies of their written testimony to the Public Oversight Hearing and will be permitted a maximum of (5) five minutes for oral presentation.

If you are unable to testify at the Public Oversight Hearing, written statements are encouraged and will be made a part of the official record. Copies of written statements should be submitted to Mr. Kristopher Howard, Committee on Government Operations, John A. Wilson Building, 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C., 20004, no later than Thursday, July 24, 2003.

Council of the District of Columbia  
Subcommittee on Human Rights, Latino Affairs, and Property Management  
**NOTICE OF A PUBLIC OVERSIGHT HEARING**

1350 Pennsylvania, NW, Washington, DC 20004

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**CONTINUATION/ABBREVIATED**

**COUNCILMEMBER JIM GRAHAM, CHAIR  
SUBCOMMITTEE ON HUMAN RIGHTS,  
LATINO AFFAIRS, AND PROPERTY MANAGEMENT**

**ANNOUNCES A CONTINUATION OF A  
RECESSED PUBLIC OVERSIGHT AND INVESTIGATIVE HEARING ON**

**"LEASE AND CONSTRUCTION MANAGEMENT OPERATIONS OF THE OFFICE OF  
PROPERTY MANAGEMENT."**

**MONDAY, JULY 7, 2003 AT 10:00 A.M.**

**THE JOHN WILSON BUILDING  
1350 PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE, N.W.  
COUNCIL CHAMBER  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20004**

Pursuant to the Council's authorization, under Res. COW 15-3, Councilmember Jim Graham, Chairperson of the Subcommittee on Human Rights, Latino Affairs and Property Management, will hold a continuation of a recessed May 19, June 6, 19 and 30, 2003 Public Oversight and Investigative Hearings on the Office of Property Management's activities surrounding lease obligations and construction projects for properties located at 4800 Addison Road and 77 P Street (also known as 64 New York Avenue) and other properties on Monday, July 7, 2003, at 10:00 A.M. in the Council Chamber.

**This hearing is an on-going investigation into the lease management operations of the Office of Property Management and is being abbreviated to continue our investigation into the alleged fraud, abuse and mismanagement of public funds.**

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**Councilmember Sandra (Sandy) Allen, Chairperson**  
**Committee on Human Services**

**Announces a Public Oversight Hearing on**

**The Quality of Nursing Home Care in the District of Columbia**

**Wednesday, October 15, 2003**  
**Council Chamber**  
**John A. Wilson Building**  
**1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W.**  
**10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.**

Councilmember Sandra (Sandy) Allen, Chairperson of the Committee on Human Services, announces a public oversight hearing to receive comments on the quality of nursing home care in the District of Columbia. The hearing will be held on Wednesday, October 15, 2003 from 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. in the Council Chamber at 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W.

This hearing will examine the quality of nursing home care in the District of Columbia and other related issues.

The Committee extends an invitation to the public to testify at the hearing. Those who wish to testify should contact **Eric Goulet, Legislative Analyst for Health and Aging Issues at the Committee on Human Services, at (202) 724-8170** and furnish their names, telephone numbers, and organizational affiliation (if any) by **12:00p.m., Monday, October 13, 2003.** You may also forward your information via fax to **(202) 724-4722** or e-mail at **egoulet@dccouncil.us**. Written statements to be presented at the hearing should be transmitted prior to the day of the hearing. **Witnesses should also bring 20 copies of their written testimony to the hearing.** Individuals will be limited to three minutes and panels will be limited to five minutes for oral presentations, in order to permit each witness an opportunity to be heard.

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

1350 Pennsylvania Ave, NW

Washington, D.C. 20001

**COUNCILMEMBER KEVIN P. CHAVOUS, CHAIRMAN  
COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION, LIBRARIES AND RECREATION**

**ANNOUNCES A PUBLIC ROUNDTABLE**

**ON**

**THE NO CHILD LEFT BEHIND ACT**

**Wednesday, July 9, 2003  
1350 Pennsylvania Ave, N.W.  
The John Wilson Building, room 412  
1:00 p.m.**

On Wednesday, July 9, 2003, from 1:00 p.m., in the room 412 of The John Wilson Building, 1350 Pennsylvania Ave, N.W., Councilmember Kevin P. Chavous, Chairman of the Committee on Education, Libraries and Recreation, will hold a Public Roundtable on the "No Child Left Behind Act" in the District of Columbia.

The purpose of the hearing is to address the implementation, effects and fiscal impact of the "No Child Left Behind Act" in District of Columbia. The issues to be discussed will include, but are not limited to, Assessment, Data Collection, Accountability, Teacher Quality, and other costs.

The Committee extends an invitation to the public to testify at the hearing. Persons who wish to testify are asked to contact Andrea Delaney, Committee Aide for the Committee on Education, Libraries and Recreation, at (202) 724-8068 and furnish their name, telephone number and organizational affiliation by **noon, Tuesday, July 8, 2003**. You may also forward your information via fax to (202) 724-7133. Written statements to be presented at the hearing should be transmitted prior to the day of the hearing. Witnesses should also bring 20 copies of their written testimony to the hearing. **Individuals will be permitted a maximum of three minutes and panels will be limited to five minutes for oral presentations.** The press should contact Eric Rogers at 724-8068.

If you are unable to testify, written statements are encouraged and will be made a part of the official record. Copies of written statements should be submitted to Ms. Phyllis Jones, Secretary to the Council, Suite 5, 1350 Pennsylvania Ave, N.W., Washington, DC 20004. The record will officially close on Wednesday, July 16, 2003.