

COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
COMMITTEE ON FACILITIES AND PROCUREMENT
ROBERT C. WHITE, JR., CHAIR

NOTICE OF PUBLIC OVERSIGHT ROUNDTABLE

on the

**Department of General Services Sustainability and Energy Management
Division**

Friday, November 20, 2020, 12:00 PM

Live via Zoom Video Conference Broadcast
Council Channel 13 (Cable Television Providers)
DC Council Website (www.dccouncil.us)

On Friday, November 20, 2020, Councilmember Robert C. White Jr., Chair of the Committee on Facilities and Procurement will hold a Public Oversight Roundtable on the Department of General Services Sustainability and Energy Management Division. The public oversight roundtable will take place via the Zoom web conferencing platform at 12:00 PM. Members of the public will be able to view the public roundtable on cable television on Council Channel 13 or online at: <https://dccouncil.us/council-videos/> or at: entertainment.dc.gov.

The Committee intends to continue its targeted series of oversight roundtables on the Department of General Services operations by examining the work of the Department's Sustainability and Energy Management Division. The Division is responsible for transforming the District's utilities and building footprint, through energy and sustainability efforts while saving taxpayer dollars and creating local jobs. The Division has three core objectives: limit portfolio resource consumption and environmental impacts, increase digital control and system knowledge of the building portfolio, and deliver cost savings to District taxpayers and agencies.

The Committee invites the public to testify remotely or to submit written testimony. Anyone wishing to testify must sign up in advance by contacting the Committee by e-mail at facilities@dccouncil.us or by phone at (202) 741-8593, and provide their name, phone number or e-mail, organizational affiliation, and title (if any) by **the close of business on Wednesday, November 18, 2020**. Witnesses are encouraged, but not required, to submit their testimony in writing electronically in advance to facilities@dccouncil.us. Public witnesses will participate remotely and using audio only. The Committee will follow-up with witnesses with additional instructions on how to provide testimony through a web conferencing platform.

All public witnesses will be allowed a maximum of four minutes to testify, while Advisory Neighborhood Commissioners will be permitted five minutes to testify. At the discretion of the Chair, the length of time provided for oral testimony may be reduced due to schedule constraints.

Witnesses who anticipate needing language interpretation, or require sign language interpretation, are requested to inform the Committee on Facilities and Procurement of the need

as soon as possible but no later than five (5) business days before the proceeding. We will make every effort to fulfill timely requests, however requests received in less than five (5) business days may not be fulfilled and alternatives may be offered.

The Committee encourages the public to submit written testimony to be included for the public record. Copies of written testimony should be submitted by e-mail to facilities@dccouncil.us. **The record for this public oversight roundtable will close at the close of business on Friday, December 4, 2020.**